

## SEEKERS of TRUTH

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## **QUESTION:**

Should I win people to Christ, or is this the work of my pastor? How should I go about it?

## **ANSWER:**

The commission "Go ye," is for every Christian. Opportunity is everywhere! *Everyone needs Christ*. Everyone in this world has a desperate need which only Jesus can fill. (See Acts 4:12).

First, you must surrender your life to God (Rom. 12:1,2). When you have surrendered your life, you will note certain unmistakable signs. Relief from the burden of sin will be evident. You will feel as though a great load has been lifted from your back. There will be a new song in your heart, and your life will radiate this change for all to see. Your cleansed heart will have the indwelling of the Holy Spirit, and you will want to talk about Jesus (See 1 Cor. 6:19, 20). These are unmistakable marks of a transformed life. If you have allowed God to transform your heart, nothing can prevent you from winning people for Christ.

There are certain fundamental rules that you should follow. *Preparation* is very necessary. God's Word instructs us to study! (See 2 Tim. 2:15; 1 Tim. 4:13, 14; 2 Tim. 4:1, 2.) Read and know as much of God's Word as you possibly can. Read books on winning the lost. Pray ... pray... pray.

Use God's Word, and demonstrate a genuine interest. Recognize that man is dead in his sin, lost, and condemned without Christ. Believe that God's main concern is that the lost shall be saved. Know that God gave his only begotten Son for sinners. Transmit this belief to the one whom you are seeking for Christ. To accomplish this mission, God will provide POWER through the influence of His Holy Spirit.

I am genuinely glad that you are concerned for the lost. This concern will add a sweetness to everything else in your Christian experience.

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