



EVANGELISM WORKSHOP

How to share your faith

[44] "The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.

Outline

1. Available Heart (Matthew 28:16)
2. Worshipful Heart (Matthew 28:17)
3. Warned Heart (Revelation 10:8-11)
4. Grateful Heart (Isaiah 6:1-9a)

[16] Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. [17] And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. [18] And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.

[19] Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, [20] teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

1. Available Heart (Matthew 28:16)

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[6] He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. [7] Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him."

Matthew 28:10

[10] Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee, and there they will see me."

**Make yourself available to be used by the
Lord for His mission.**

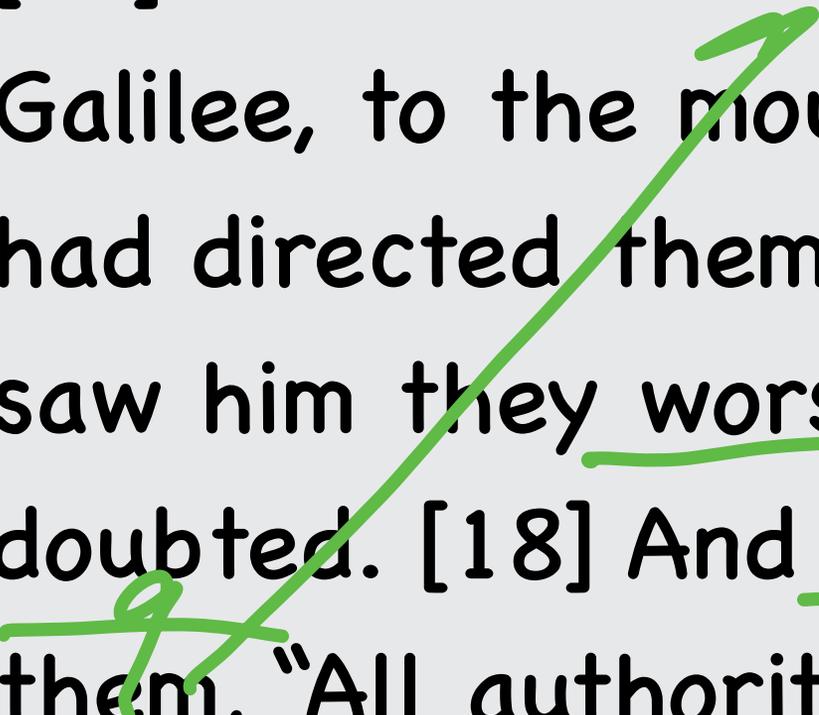
“Because they were there, they met Christ. Because they were there, they were commissioned. Because they were there, they received the Lord’s promise of His continual presence and power as they ministered to the world in His name. It all started with being available.”

- John MacArthur

We are not commanded to come and obey dutifully; we are invited to come and obey willingly

2. Worshipful Heart (Matthew 28:17)

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It is from a worshipful heart that proper service to God flows!

[8] Though you have not seen him, you love him. Though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory, [9] obtaining the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

John 20:29

[29] Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

3. Warned Heart (Revelation 10:8-11)

[8] Then the voice that I had heard from heaven spoke to me again, saying, "Go, take the scroll that is open in the hand of the angel who is standing on the sea and on the land." [9] So I went to the angel and told him to give me the little scroll. And he said to me, "Take and eat it; it will make your stomach bitter, but in your mouth it will be sweet as honey."

[10] And I took the little scroll from the hand of the angel and ate it. It was sweet as honey in my mouth, but when I had eaten it my stomach was made bitter. [11] And I was told, "You must again prophesy about many peoples and nations and languages and kings."

Revelation 10 teaches us that the coming wrath of God against sin is meant to compel us to go and tell others.

[16] "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life... [18] Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.

4. Grateful Heart (Isaiah 6:1-9a)

[1] In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. [2] Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew.

[3] And one called to another and said:

“Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts;
the whole earth is full of his glory!”

[4] And the foundations of the thresholds
shook at the voice of him who called, and
the house was filled with smoke.

[5] And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost;
for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell
in the midst of a people of unclean lips;
for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD
of hosts!"

[6] Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. [7]

And he touched my mouth and said:

"Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for"

2 Corinthians 5:21

God

Son

[21] For our sake he made him to be sin
who knew no sin, so that in him we might
become the righteousness of God.

Like Isaiah, we have received atonement for sins - forgiveness for our sins because Jesus Christ bore our sins instead.

[8] And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" Then I said, "Here I am! Send me." [9] And he said, "Go, and say to this people..."

Reflecting on the grace of God shown to us compels us to “go” and proclaim the King’s message

2 Corinthians 5:20

[20] Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God.

Discussion Questions

1. In regards to your worship, where do you see yourself today? (Doing it because you have to, and not joyfully; OR worshipping joyfully OR doubting)
2. What's one practical way you can (or have) made yourself available to be used by God for evangelism?
3. What motivation for evangelism works (or could work) for you?



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