Morning Lesson

SHARING OUR FAITH WITH OTHERS Matt. 28:18-20

III. CONSEQUENCES OF EVANGELISTIC FAILURE

- A. Evangelism is essential to the survival of the church of future generations.
- B. If we stagnate or decline while population grows, our influence will be drastically reduced. 2 Tim. 3:13
- C. Declining interest in evangelism is the root cause of most of our internal problems. Luke 19:10

IV. RISKS OF EVANGELISM

- A. Evangelism produces a lot of babies in Christ. 1 Cor. 3:1-3; Gal. 6:1, 2
- B. There may be folks among us who are struggling with serious moral and personal problems, like at Corinth. 1 Cor. 6:9-11
- C. We will be confronted with people in the church that are confused in their thinking.
- D. We will find ourselves spending much time on spiritual babies that are easily discouraged or offended. Prov.14:30

V. BENEFITS OF EVANGELISM

- A. Evangelism always results in lost souls being saved.
- B. Soul winning makes a Christian feel valuable and responsible, productive and happy.
- C. Teaching the lost will drive us to our knees in prayer.
- D. Commitment to evangelism will heal and revitalize a congregation that has suffered from internal problems and strife and will renew dead or dying churches and stimulate growth that will soon fill our assemblies.
- E. Evangelism is the secret to both material and spiritual strength in a congregation.
- F. Soul winning is a direct blow to Satan's head because every soul saved is freed from his domain.

CONC:

- 1. We have our marching orders. Matt. 28:19, 20; Acts 1:8
- 2. "Christ alone can save the world, but Christ cannot save the world alone."