

Sent To Preach The Gospel

"I do it all for the sake of the gospel, that I may share with them in its blessing."
1 Corinthians 9:23 (English Standard Version)

A _____ effort in England helped the refugees.

Jesus' Commission, And The Early Christian Response

A. The charge to take the gospel to all the world:

1. "Gospel" is from _____, or the _____.
2. Mark 16:15,16 - The good _____ is that people can be _____ . Jesus' followers are to _____ it to _____.
3. Luke 24:46,47 - Repentance from _____ is to be proclaimed to all _____.

B. The early Christian response to the Great Commission:

1. Acts 2:44-47 - _____ - _____ - _____ was the method used by the first Christians to proclaim the gospel.
2. Acts 8:4 - Even _____ didn't stop the _____.
3. Acts 11:19,20 - Some left their _____ zone, and taught the gospel to _____.
4. Colossians 1:23 - In a relatively short time the gospel was _____ to _____ creation under heaven.

How Will We Respond To The Lord's Commission?

A. 2 Kings 7:9 - The _____ realized they were not doing _____ by remaining _____.

B. 2 Corinthians 5 - Motivation to tell the Good News:

1. 5:9,10 - We make it our _____ to _____ Him, knowing that we will be _____ by Him.
2. 5:11 - Knowing the _____ of the _____, we seek to _____ others.
3. 5:14,15 - The _____ of Christ _____ us.
4. 5:20 - As _____ of Christ, we seek to _____ others to God.
5. 5:7 - We _____ by _____, not by _____.

C. 1 Corinthians 9:22 - Paul used _____ means to _____ some.
What are some means available to us (*list these on the back*)?

Romans 1:16 - Most of us are not _____ with the _____ of our nation. But we hold the _____ that can change things!

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