

Dear Friend of Abiding Above,

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Simply and clearly Jesus said this, "For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost." Luke 19:10

Even if a person did not know the very basics of the Bible, if we share and he believes and receives Jesus Christ, he has an eternal home in heaven just like we do.

So, first and foremost we must do as Jesus did in our brief moment here on earth, "... seek and save that which is lost ..."

I believe the motivation to "... seek and save that which is lost ..." comes from the inward compelling of the Holy Spirit Who indwells God's children.

For just a moment, think of that person that God used to cause you to think more seriously about your soul. What was his or her name? What did he or she say or do to cause you to think about God and wonder how to have a personal relationship with Him? They were compelled by the Holy Spirit to share with you. They acted. Oh! Praise God He used them! Write them a note today and thank them!

If you would like help in learning how to tell another person about Jesus, write to us at the address below and we can send you our tracts, "How Can I Get To Heaven?," or our bookmarkers which are printed with the Romans Road outline for easy use. We will send these out to you right away!

It's always a privilege and a joy for me to preach at Memphis Union Mission. This past month we saw 17 people pray to receive Christ! Please pray for them as they enter into discipleship at the mission.





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We have opportunities to get on more radio stations; we need your prayers and your financial support as the Holy Spirit leads you.

Exactly what will a person hear from our radio broadcasts?

1. Christ Died For You!



Always, we share the simple gospel message which is summed up in the words of Jesus:

John 14:6 - "I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father but through Me.

There is only one way to heaven and that is through the death of Jesus Christ on the cross. We stress this in all that we do.

2. You Died With Christ!



Galatians 2:20 - "I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself up for me."

Colossians 3:1-3 – "Therefore if you have been raised up with Christ, keep seeking the things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your mind on the things above, not on the things that are on earth. For <u>you have died and your life is hidden with Christ in God</u>."

These, I believe, are primary for a lost person and for a believer. The person who is lost needs to know how to be found in Christ. The person who is saved needs to know that he or she *is in Christ*.

Thank you for your prayers! Please continue to pray and give. We really need you. May God continue to bless you and your family and make you a blessing to many people during your time on earth.

You are loved!,

Chin S. Hadger

President Abiding Above Ministries Colossians 3:1-3

PS: An opportunity for you to help people see that Christ died for them is available as we hand people a simple tract at this years Saint Patrick's Day Parade in Memphis, TN. Please call me at 901-230-1085 if you would like information on how to be a part of this Saturday, March 17th event. Or you can email me at <u>chrishodges@abidingabove.org</u>.