

## Missionaries – Part 13

### Must the Whole World Hear?

Welcome to Hope Sabbath School--an in-depth interactive study of the Word of God. We are continuing a series of studies on Missionaries. Our topic today: Must the Whole World Hear?

Scripture Theme Song: “You are a Chosen Generation” (1 Peter 2:9)

- 1) A message for the whole world
  - a) What bold declaration does Peter before the Sanhedrin? Acts 4:12
  - b) What clear teaching did Jesus give to His disciples? John 14:6; Mark 16:15-16; Acts 1:8
  - c) Romans 2:14-16 If sincere believers in God can be saved without knowing about Jesus, why is it necessary to declare the truth about Jesus to the whole world?
- 2) How much needs to be shared?
  - a) Acts 8:35-38
    - i) Some quote this text to emphasize that we just need to share the truth about Jesus.
  - b) Matthew 28:19-20
  - c) While all of the teachings of Jesus are not essential for salvation, Jesus instructed us to share everything that He taught. Why? (See Matt. 7:24-27)
  - d) In Paul’s great letter about salvation by grace through faith in Jesus, (Romans), he devotes 5 whole chapters to practical Christian living? Why does the way we live matter if we have accepted Jesus as our Savior?
- 3) The common plight of all humanity
  - a) Romans 3:23
  - b) Romans 6:23
  - c) Romans 7:14-15
    - i) We have all experienced that dilemma at some point in our lives. What options do we have at that point?
      - (1) Give up.
      - (2) Cry out to Jesus
        - (a) Romans 7:24-25a
        - (b) Romans 10:13
  - d) Jesus is God’s remedy for our hopeless condition – John 3:16-17
  - e) When did you recognize your great need to a Savior and accept the gift of forgiveness and salvation through Jesus?
- 4) The mission call to each one of us
  - a) Our assignment is not simply to try to stay out of trouble until Jesus comes. We have a mission assignment.
  - b) Isaiah 55:6-7 – What invitation does the prophet Isaiah give to people of every generation?
  - c) Isaiah 55:10-12 – God’s Word will accomplish what He pleases. Our assignment is to share it!
  - d) Isaiah 6:8 – Who will go?
  - e) Who can confirm the testimony of Isaiah that those who go out to share God’s Word will experience joy?