

Heralding the Kingdom

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I. Introduction. Text: I Timothy 2.

II. We should be involved in heralding the kingdom...

A. Because God desires all men to be saved. (I Corinthians 8:4, I Thessalonians 5:28, John 2)

B. Because God has provided for all men to be saved. Christ is a ransom for all. (Romans 8:32, John 10)

1. When a person accepts Christ, he gives up all rights to himself.

2. A believer has no rights as a child of the living God apart from Him.

3. Jesus came to be a mediator for man.

C. Because God has called all men to share the gospel not just the clergy. We can pray, give, go and train others to go.

Application questions:

1. Which reason for sharing the gospel stands out to you? What strikes you about it?

2. How might a layperson have greater success in sharing the gospel than a clergy?

3. Who can you share the gospel with this week? What can you do to make this happen?
