

Helping The Lost Matthew 9:35-38

Acts 2:37-40

Convict – vs 37 They Need To Know They Are Lost!

Not convinced – Jews, Paul - **John 8:31-33**

Convinced - 3000 Jews on Pentecost, Jailer - **Acts 2:37; Acts 16:30**

Some things that keep people from acknowledging their lost condition

Deceived--false security in a false religion; Faith only; Parent's religion; False teachers make false religion look good; Feelings; Self-satisfaction; Trivial attitude toward God, Bible , etc; Prejudice; Morally good people; God is too good to punish men in hell fire

Deal with their sin - **John 16:8; Acts 7:51-53**

Deal with their condition - **Romans 6:23**

Teach – vs 38 They Need To Know The Plan For Salvation

Romans 1:16; 2Timothy 3:16-17

Blood of Christ - **Hebrews 9:22; Hebrews 2:9; Matthew 26:28; 1Peter 3:18**

Design of baptism - **Romans 6:3-11**

One Church and individual relationship to it - **1Corinthians 12:13; Ephesians 1:22-23**

Faithfulness is manner of life - **Revelation 2:10; Titus 2:11-12**

Inspire – vs 40 They Need To Be Encouraged Toward Obedience

Matthew 5:6

Hindrances: - **John 12:42-43; 2Thessalonians 2:9-10; 2Timothy 3:2-5; Acts 24:25**

Motivation:

God's Goodness - **Romans 2:4; Matthew 5:45; Romans 5:8; Ephesians 1:3; 1Peter 3:12**

Godly sorrow - **Psalms 51:4; Romans 3:23**

Right attitude toward sin, self, others & God - **2Corinthians 7:10**

Judgment - **Acts 24:25; 2Corinthians 5:10**

Hell - **2Thessalonians 1:7-9; Revelation 21:8**

Heaven - **Revelation 21:4**

Godly life - May need to help them count the cost

1Peter 3:3-4; Matthew 5:16; Mark 9:47-48

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