

## Importance Of Teaching

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- *“Go”*
- *“Teach all nations”*
- *“Baptize them”*
- *“Teaching them”*

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## The Need To Teach

- Be it known. Acts 2:14, 36, 41; 4:10; 13:38; 28:28
- Believers multiplied. 4:4, 10; 5:14
- Taught daily. Acts 5:42
- Disciples multiplied. 6:1, 7; 11:20-21

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## The Need To Teach

- The gospel is God’s power to save. Romans 1:15-17; Galatians 1:6-9

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## Who Shall Teach?

- Church to evangelize. 1 Timothy 3:15; Philippians 1:3-5; 4:14-15; 2 Corinthians 11:8-9
  - One must be taught in order to come unto God. John 6:44-45; Matthew 11:28
  - One must continue in these things. 1 Timothy 4:16

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## Who Shall Teach?

- Men
    - 2 Timothy 2:2; Luke 10:1; Acts 1:8; 1 Timothy 3:2; cf. Titus 1:9
  - Women
    - Titus 2:3-4; Acts 18:24-28; 2 Timothy 1:5
- All disciples** obligated to teach.  
Acts 8:1-4; cf. Hebrews 5:11ff;  
1 Peter 3:15

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## Who Shall Be Taught?

- **“Teach *all nations* ...”** Matthew 28:19; Luke 24:44f; cf. Isaiah 2:2-3

Seed sowers, not soil testers ...  
cf. Luke 8

- Acts 2:21; 10:34-35; 11:12; 15:7-9; Galatians 2:11ff; James 2:1-4

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## Who Shall Be Taught?

- **Teach our families.**
  - Noah. Genesis 6:13
  - Abraham. Genesis 18:19
  - Joshua. Joshua 24:15
  - Law of Moses commanded it. Deuteronomy 6:4ff; cf. Romans 10:12-17
  - N.T. commands it. Ephesians 6:4

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## Who Shall Be Taught?

- **Teach our friends.** Acts 10:24, 33

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## What Methods Shall We Use?

- Oral or written. 1 Corinthians 2:2ff; Ephesians 3:3ff
- Publicly or privately. Acts 20:20
  - Public proclamation. John 6; Mark 4
  - Answering a question with a question. Matthew 21:23-27

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## What Methods Shall We Use?

- Contrasts. Matthew 5:21-48
- Conversation. John 4:7ff
- Known to unknown. Acts 17:23
- Information that prompts a question. Acts 2
- **“Beginning from *this scripture*.”** Acts 8:35; 17:2; 18:24, 28

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## What Must Be Taught?

- Preach the word. 2 Timothy 4:1-4; cf. Mark 16:15f; 1 Corinthians 2:2
- Gospel saves. Romans 1:16; James 1:22
- Preach the gospel in its fullness. Acts 20:20, 27
- Danger of perversion. Galatians 1:6-9; cf. 2 Peter 3:15ff

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## Why Teach The Gospel?

- Consequences of sin. Isaiah 59:1-2;  
Romans 6:23; 2 Thessalonians 1:7-9

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## Why Teach The Gospel?

- Universality of sin.
  - All are guilty of sin. Acts 20:21;  
Romans 1, 2, 3
  - All are accountable to God's law.  
Acts 17:30-31; cf. Romans 4:15
  - All will be judged by the gospel.  
John 12:48
  - Therefore, all need the gospel.  
Romans 10:13-15

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## Why Teach The Gospel?

- Only the gospel is sufficient to save.  
Romans 1:16-17; 2 Timothy 3:16-17
- Only the gospel will make free from sin.  
John 8:32
- Only the gospel ... reproof, rebuke, and  
exhorting. 2 Timothy 4:3-4
- No greater reward. 3 John 4; Philippians  
4:1

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## The Importance Of Teaching

- The Lord uses His people to make  
known His word to the world.  
*2 Timothy 2:2, "And the things which thou hast  
heard from me among many witnesses, the same  
commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to  
teach others also."*
- The world on its own will not turn  
unto the Lord. 1 Corinthians 1:21

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