



Victory Wednesday Bible Study Series

Fighting the Good Fight

Principles of Faith for Living the Abundant Life

Week 5 – Witnessing: Let Your Light Shine Around the World

Introduction

As Believers, our divine purpose in life is found in **Ephesians 2:10**: *"For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them."* As Christians our lives should be visible and impactful, reflecting God's standards of holiness, love, and grace, our lives become a testimony — a living witness — of His righteousness. We are not saved by works, but we are saved for works—works that bring light, truth, and hope to a dark world. We are called to be the salt of the earth, the light of the world, and the fragrance of Christ. We are called to be witnesses.

The Great Commission - Matthew 28:19–20

Christ's final instruction to His followers was to "go and make _____ of all _____." Witnessing is not optional; it is a command.

Salt and Light - Matthew 5:13–16

Salt and Light are essential elements for life and transformation. Salt _____, _____, and adds _____. Likewise, as believers we are to preserve moral truth, bring healing through love, and reflect God's goodness in the world. As light in the world we should dispel darkness wherever we go. Our good _____ should _____ before others, not to glorify _____, but to point people to our Father in heaven.

Ambassadors for Christ - 2 Corinthians 5:20

As Christ's _____ on earth, we have been entrusted with the message of _____. We are _____ for Christ, and through us, God makes His appeal: "Be reconciled to God." Ambassador is not just a title; it is a divine responsibility. Everywhere we go, we carry the _____, _____, and _____ of Christ.

The Harvest is Plentiful - Matthew 9:37–38

The world is ready for truth — we must be _____ workers, _____ for more laborers and being one ourselves.

Reaching the Lost - James 5:19–20

"...Whoever turns a sinner from the error of their way will save them from death and cover over a multitude of sins."

Class Activity

- Discuss practical ways we can be a witness in our homes, workplaces, and communities.
- For the hand illustration below, find at least two scriptures to coincide with each discipline represented (i.e., Word, Prayer, Worship, fellowship, and witness)



...Take Hold of Eternal (Abundant) Life - I Timothy 6:12

Conclusion

Witnessing is one of several principles of faith that enable believers to “fight the good fight of faith and take hold of eternal life to which we have been called.” As with witnessing, the spiritual disciplines we have discussed over the past 4 weeks are not reserved only for pastors or missionaries; they are for every believer. As God’s children, we are called to know God through His Word, to know our identity in Christ and pray accordingly, to worship Him in spirit and truth, to nurture godly fellowship, and to carry the light of God’s truth and the aroma of His presence into every space we inhabit. In doing so, we will take hold of the abundant life to which we are called.

We were created to walk in good works, to bear much fruit, and to be a living testimony of God's redemptive power. Let the world see Jesus through you. Be bold. Be faithful. Be the light.

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