

Family Discussion

Worldwide Responsibility



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Yet when I preach the gospel, I cannot boast, for I am compelled to preach. Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel! If I preach voluntarily, I have a reward; if not voluntarily, I am simply discharging the trust committed to me. What then is my reward? Just this: that in preaching the gospel I may offer it free of charge, and so not make use of my rights in preaching it.

1 Corinthians 9:16-18 (NIV)



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Discuss

- Paul speaks of the task of preaching the gospel to be a responsibility. List some of the responsibilities each member of the family has.
- Jesus gave us the Great Commission. We are challenged to communicate the gospel locally, regionally, and around the world. What are some ways we can fulfill this responsibility at each of these levels?
- What kind of ministries aid the worldwide spread of the Gospel?
- How can we learn to obey the Great Commission out of love for Christ, instead of being pressured into doing so?



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Prayer

- Thank the Lord for those who told you about how to trust in Jesus to have your sins forgiven.
- Pray for people you know, friends and family who have not yet given their lives to Jesus as Savior and Lord
- Pray for those who take the Gospel to far of places where people have never heard of Jesus
- Ask God to give you the wisdom and courage to be a kind and loving witness to others who need Jesus



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