



I HAVE A MISSION

"I have brought you glory on earth. I have finished the work you gave me to do."

John 17:4 (NIrV)

"You sent me into the world. In the same way, I have sent them into the world...I pray for everyone who will believe in me because of their message." John 17:18; 20b. (NIrV)

"Again Jesus said, "The Father has sent me. So now I am sending you." John 20:21 (NIrV)

1. OPEN YOUR EYES

"Don't you have a saying? You say, 'It's still four months until harvest time.' But I tell you, open your eyes! Look at the fields! They are ripe for harvest right now." John 4:35 (NIrV)

"When he <u>saw</u> the crowds, he felt deep concern for them. They were treated badly and were helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then Jesus said to his disciples, "The harvest is huge. But there are only a few workers. So ask the Lord of the harvest to <u>send</u> workers out into his harvest field." Matthew 9:36-38 (NIrV)

1. OPEN YOUR EYES The spiritual opportunities are all around me. What do I see? LIVING ON MISSION

2. LISTEN TO GOD

"I am carrying out my Father's instructions right down to the last detail."

John 14:31 (Mes)

"My sheep listen to my voice. I know them, and they follow me."

John 10:27 (NIrV)

2. LISTEN TO GOD God is always speaking, the question is, "Am I listening?" LIVING ON MISSION

3. ACT IN FAITH

"Faith is the confidence that what we hope for will actually happen; it gives us assurance about things we cannot see."

Hebrews 11:1 (NLT)

"Without faith it is impossible to please God.

Those who come to God must believe that he exists. And they must believe that he rewards those who look to him."

Hebrews 11:6 (NIrV)

3. ACT IN FAITH Faith involves risk. "What am I courageously trusting God for right now? LIVING ON MISSION

4. DON'T GIVE UP!

"Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain." I Corinthians 15:58 (NIV)

"Stay excited about your faith as you serve the Lord. When you hope, be joyful. When you suffer, be patient. When you pray, be faithful." Romans 12:11,12 (NIrV)



4. DON'T GIVE UP!

Living Sent on His mission can be discouraging. The question is, "Am I completing the mission He's given me?"