

“Our Duty To Teach God’s Word”

Mission Bible Study

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2 Corinthians 4:1-2; 5-10 *(Continued)*

⁴ Therefore seeing we have this ministry, as we have received mercy, we faint not;

² But have renounced the hidden things of dishonesty, not walking in craftiness, nor handling the word of God deceitfully; but by manifestation of the truth commending ourselves to every man's conscience in the sight of God.

⁵ For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake.

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⁶ For God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

⁷ But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us.

⁸ We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed; we are perplexed, but not in despair;

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⁹ Persecuted, but not forsaken; cast down, but not destroyed;

¹⁰ Always bearing about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life also of Jesus might be made manifest in our body.

LESSON #1: Keep Truth In Your Teaching

- Be careful not to twist God's truth when sharing with others
- Don't twist the Gospel to gain a captive audience

LESSON # 2: We are the Messenger and Not the Message

- We minister to others to teach Jesus Christ and not to build-up ourselves
- Remember that we are vessels of God and it is our job to compel people to Christ
- It is our job as Christians to serve others and teach them about Christ even we feel they do not deserve it

LESSON # 3: It Is Our Responsibility To Allow Others To See God Through Us

- God gives us the strength to persevere through adversity to teach others on salvation
- We need to live our life sharing the Good news on salvation and that our source is God
- We need to know that God's promise to be our "everything" will never go void