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Ezekiel 3:10 – 11

“... He said to me, “Son of man, all My words that I shall speak to you, receive into your heart, and hear with your ears. And go to those in captivity... and speak to them and tell them.” Ezekiel 3:10 – 11

Is this not the essence of the Gospel as it is to be practically worked out in our lives?

It is never enough to only hear the words of the Gospel for they must be received into our hearts and heard – that is, registered upon our hearts and minds! There must be a revelation to us in the most intimate of terms! We must receive the words of the Lord as if He has personally spoken to us!

Proof of having received and heard the Word of God is the result of our having heard. What is the subsequent action produced by our having heard? “But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves. For if any be a hearer of the word, and not a doer, he is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a glass: For he beholds himself, and goes his way, and straightway forgets what manner of man he was.” (James 1:22 – 24).

“And go...” Even in our hearing and in our acting it is not a mindless haphazard going. This going is to those still in captivity to sin and bound by the darkness of their rebellion. The Gospel is the message of the Lord Jesus’ work on behalf of all mankind and our telling it forth – or our testimony of that grace at work within our lives! (Revelation 12:11; Romans 10:13 – 17).

Some questions then remain... Have you heard the voice of God calling you to His Son Jesus Christ? Having heard, have you gone to others that they may also hear?

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