WHAT SHALL I DO WITH THE GOSPEL?

INTRODUCTION:

1. God has spoken to the human family by His Son -- Heb. 1: 1 - 2
2. This message concerning man's salvation is called the Gospel -- Rom. 1:16; I Pet. 1: 25
3. The gospel is the power of God unto salvation -- Rom. 1: 16
4. Man has the gospel -- Now, what is he to do with it?
5. Let us study this question: "WHAT SHALL I DO WITH THE GOSPEL?"

I. WE ARE TO HEAR IT

1. Mk. 16: 15 - 16; Matt. 28: 19 - 20
2. Rom. 10: 17
3. Matt. 7: 24 - 25; Rev. 3:6; Lk. 8: 18 "HOW"; Matt. 7: 26 - 27

II. WE ARE TO BELIEVE IT

1. Mk. 16: 15 - 16
2. The Corinthians -- Acts 18:8
3. The people of the city of Samaria -- Acts 8:12
4. Heb. 11: 6
5. II Cor. 5:7

III. WE ARE TO OBEY IT

1. II Thess. 1: 7 - 9
2. Mk. 16: 15 - 16
3. Heb. 5:9; Rom. 6:17

IV. WE ARE TO STUDY IT

1. II Tim. 2:15; Eph. 5:17
2. Heb. 5: 12 - 14
3. I Pet. 2: 2

V. WE ARE TO PREACH IT

1. Mk. 16: 15 - 16
2. I Cor. 9:16
3. II Tim. 2:2
4. Rom. 1: 14 - 15; Acts 8:4
5. It will SAVE the Lost -- Rom. 1: 16; I Cor. 15: 1 - 2
6. It will EDIFY the church -- Acts 20: 32
7. It will REPROVE AND REBUKE sin -- II Tim. 4:2

VI. WE ARE TO GUARD IT
1. I Tim. 6:20 "Guard that which is committed unto thee"...ASV
2. Phil. 1:17
3. Jude 3
4. We must guard it because some will PERVERT IT -- Gal. 1: 6 - 7
5. We must guard it because some will WREST it -- II Pet. 3:16
6. I John 4:1; II Pet. 2:1

VII. WE ARE TO SUPPORT IT WITH OUR MONEY
1. Phil. 1:5; 2:26; 4: 14 - 18; I Cor. 16: 1 -2
2. II Cor. 11: 8
3. Gal. 6:6

VIII. WE ARE TO LIVE WORTHY OF IT
1. Eph. 4: 1 - 3
2. Phil. 1:27
3. I Cor. 9:27
4. Tit. 2: 10 - 11
5. I John 2: 15 - 17
6. II Cor. 6:17

IX. WE ARE TO HOLD IT FAST
1. II Tim. 1: 13
2. I Cor. 15: 1 - 2
3. Heb. 2:1

X. WE WILL BE JUDGED BY IT
1. Rom. 2: 16
2. John 12:48; II Cor. 5:10

CONCLUSION:
1. What have you done with the gospel?

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