

Be Witnesses

What is a witness?

David wrote a song after the ark of the covenant was brought back in the proper manner.

Give thanks unto the LORD, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the people. Sing unto him, sing psalms unto him, talk ye of all his wondrous works. (1Chronicles 16:8,9)

Making known the deeds of the Lord and talking of all His wondrous works is being a witness for the Lord.

There was a man in Mark 5 who saw Jesus do something amazing and wonderful. He knew all about it because the person who it happened to was him.

Read and tell Mark 5:1-16. Jesus made a great change in this man's life. He was like a new man.

Mark 5:18-20 The man wanted to be with Jesus but Jesus had an important job for him to do.

Jesus went back to heaven in Acts 1:9,10 but did not take his disciples with him. He had an important job for them to do. But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. (Acts 1:8) They were to tell others about Jesus.

When we get saved, Jesus does not straight away take us to heaven to be with Him. He has left us on the earth to do a very important job. He wants us to tell others of the great things He has done for us and how He has changed us.

But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear: (1Peter 3:15)