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JESUS said, Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid. Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven. (Matthew 5:14-16) This was directed to us who believe. We are not to be hid nor silent; on the contrary we are to be visible or heard by all because we have the answer, and that answer is JESUS. We owe the whole world this life giving, devil defeating, overcoming death GOSPEL. JESUS said, And as ye go, preach, saying, The kingdom of heaven is at hand. Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils: freely ye have received, freely give. (Matthew 10:7-8) We live in a world covered in darkness and the only light is the Gospel Of JESUS CHRIST! Imagine, if you had the cure for

cancer and not sharing it with the rest of the world: how cruel and heartless that would be? Yet untold numbers of human beings face a fate, an eternity in total darkness and unending pain without GOD, which is far worse than any cancer. We have a mandate from GOD to let the LIGHT which has been given to us SHINE; that souls would be saved. GOD will not hold us guiltless for failing to do so. Consider now what GOD said to the Prophet Ezekiel about warning HIS people of their sins. And it came to pass at the end of seven days, that the word of the LORD came unto me, saying, Son of man, I have made thee a watchman unto the house of Israel: therefore hear the word at my mouth, and give them warning from me. When I say unto the wicked, Thou shalt surely die; and thou givest him not warning, nor speakest

warn the wicked from his wicked way, to save his life; the same wicked man shall die in his iniquity; but his blood will I require at thine hand. Yet if thou

Warn the wicked, and he turn not from his wickedness, nor from his wicked way, he shall die in his iniquity; but thou hast delivered thy soul. (Ezekiel 3:16-19) Our job is to present the truth to this world, and then allow GOD through

the HOLY SPIRIT to open the eyes of their understanding that they may receive JESUS CHRIST as LORD and SAVIOUR. We are co-laborers with GOD. The Apostle Paul explains it this way, Who then

is Paul, and who is Apollos, but ministers by whom ye believed, even as the Lord gave to every man? I have planted, Apollos watered; but God gave the increase. So then neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth; but God that giveth the increase. Now he that planteth and he that watereth are one: and every man shall receive his own reward according to his own labour. For we are labourers together with God: ye are God's husbandry, ye are God's building.

**(1 Corinthians 3:5-9)** 

We are all in this together, working with GOD to bring people into HIS Kingdom and to build up The Body Of CHRIST. Christian radio KJIR is one of the tools GOD has given us to complete the task. We broadcast GOD honoring Christian music continually, 24 hours a day. Every song carries the message of GOD's Love pointing the way to JESUS. Your partnership and prayers make this all possible. Your financial gift is an act towards the call to let this GOSPEL LIGHT shine before men. THANK YOU. But don't let it be the only act, be active in your church, be active at sharing with others what JESUS has done for you. In doing so we look forward to hearing those words, Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy Lord. (Matthew 25:21)

GOD BLESS ALL OF YOU. Remember KJIR stands for: KING JESUS IS RETURNING!



September Top 20 Singing News Chart Songs
1. Start With Well DoneGreater Vision
2. Messiah OvercameKaren Peck and New River
3. What A DayLegacy Five
4. My King Is Known By LoveCrabb Family
5. You're Home To StayGuardians
6. Raised On RedWilburn & Wilburn
7. These Are The DaysKingsmen
8. Never Changing GodKingdom Heirs
9. Religion Isn't WorkingJoseph Habedank
10. Whosoever Will May Come11 <sup>th</sup> Hour
11. This Is Amazing GraceOld Paths
12. Grace Ain't FairNelons
13. I Choose JoyTaylors
14. God Walks InFreemans
15. The God Who Never ChangesLauren Talley
16. UnspokenJordan Family Band
17. You Can't Say He Didn't Love UsMark Bishop
18. He Walked OutTriumphant Quartet
19. It Runs In The FamilyCollingsworth Family
20. Anytime's A Good TimeHyssongs

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## **GOD'S GREAT MERCY**

We see in Jonah a man who wants to die when he is least prepared to die. It can only be attributed to God's great mercy that he did not take Jonah at his word and kill him when he cried with childish petulance, "Now, O Lord, take away my life, for it is better for me to die than to live" (Jonah 4:3).

Jonah asked that he might die and from the moment he disappears from the page of history and passes into an oblivion that has no ray of hope or light of recompense. The best way to be prepared to die is to living for some high and noble purpose. The men who are ready to die are those who are needed most to live for God and their fellow men.

A.B. Simpson

## THE TRUE SECRET OF DYING

We learn one more lesson from Jonah's life: the true secret of how to die and then live for God and our own highest interest and blessing. Thank God, Jonah's life lifts our thoughts to another and nobler life – the Lord Jesus Christ. He has died for us and taught us not only how to live with Him, but also how to die with Him. He has taught us how to live the life that has been crucified with Christ and is alive forevermore.

Not unwillingly but with His whole heart did Christ lay down His life for us, so that in His dying we might be saved from death eternal. Not for His own glory did He live and die but for us and for His Father. Only through His dying can we truly die. We can never crucify ourselves but we can be crucified with Christ and say: "I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith of the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me" (Galatians 2:20).

Let us learn to die, and thus let us live. Someday we shall know all the meaning of these mighty words:

> He died for me that I might die, He lives for me that I might live, Oh, death so deep! Oh, life so high! Help me to die, help me to live.

> > A.B. Simpson