

ATTEND THE MEETINGS

Friends, it is getting to be that time of the year when revivals are being conducted everywhere. Unfortunately, when one hears of a gospel meeting his interest is not sparked and he has an indifferent feeling about such matters.

There are some good and valid reasons why we should attend the meetings this year. Here they are:

BECAUSE THE GOSPEL WILL BE PREACHED

Nothing is "just as good as" the gospel. Since it is the "power of God unto salvation" (Rom. 1:16), no one has ever been saved without it, nor can one afford to be without it. What is more important than hearing God's Word proclaimed?

BECAUSE OF THE VALUE OF YOUR SOUL

Your soul is a unique thing (Matt. 10:28), more valuable than the whole world (Mark 8:36). Jesus then asked, "What would a man give in exchange for his soul?" (v. 37). Would he give an evening of watching television? Would he give a gallon or two of gasoline?

BECAUSE YOU ARE GOING TO DIE AND FACE THE JUDGMENT

"It is appointed unto man once to die and after this the judgment" (Heb. 9:27). Death and judgment are both certain and uncertain. They are certain to happen but they are uncertain when that moment will occur. The gospel meeting will help you prepare for when that moment happens.

THIS MAY BE YOUR LAST OPPORTUNITY

This is not a mere scare tactic but an attempt to get you to take time from your busy schedule and make you think about something you have been avoiding. With every beat of your heart and with every tick of the clock your chance to hear and obey the gospel grows that much shorter. Wasted opportunities can never be recalled and there is no unending supply. Have you given this matter serious consideration?

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