

# IN TIMES LIKE THESE

## The Good Message/Messenger

Isaiah 52:7

### The Good \_\_\_\_\_

How *beautiful* are the feet of *those who bring* good news... (Isaiah 52:7, NIV)

1) Accept the personal \_\_\_\_\_.

*“Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.” But how can they call on him to save them unless they believe in him? And how can they believe in him if they have never heard about him? And how can they hear about him unless someone tells them? And how will anyone go and tell them without being sent? That is why the Scriptures say, “How beautiful are the feet of messengers who bring good news!”*

(Romans 10:13–15, NLT)

2) Develop a personal \_\_\_\_\_.

*I try to find common ground with everyone, doing everything I can to save some. I do everything to spread the Good News and share in its blessings.* (1 Corinthians 9:22–23, NLT)

3) Share my personal \_\_\_\_\_.

*Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect, keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.* (1 Peter 3:15–16, NIV)

4) Give a personal \_\_\_\_\_.

*“Come and see.”* (John 1:36)

### The Good \_\_\_\_\_

How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of those who *bring good news*, who *proclaim peace*, who *bring good tidings*, who *proclaim salvation*, who *say* to Zion, *“Your God reigns!”* (Isaiah 52:7, NIV)

1) It is the *good news* that God \_\_\_\_\_ you and sent His son to \_\_\_\_\_ for your sins.

*God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.* (John 3:16, NIV)

2) It is the *peace* that God can give you no matter the \_\_\_\_\_.

*“I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world.”* (John 16:33, NLT)

3) It is the *good tidings* that God will give you \_\_\_\_\_ to make it through.

*We are pressed on every side by troubles, but we are not crushed. We are perplexed, but not driven to despair. We are hunted down, but never abandoned by God. We get knocked down, but we are not destroyed.*

(2 Corinthians 4:8–9, NLT)

4) It is the *salvation* that God is ready to \_\_\_\_\_ you with right now.

*If you declare with your mouth, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.* (Romans 10:9, NIV)

5) It is the *promise* that God will display the \_\_\_\_\_ he makes when his \_\_\_\_\_.

... who *say* to Zion, *“Your God reigns!”* (Isaiah 52:7, NIV)

\_\_\_\_\_ can be the good messenger that brings the good message!