

“Therefore:” The Logical Lifestyle of a Hopeful Minority

Therefore, Put On Your “Ready Shoes”

Ephesians 6:15

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The Lord’s Day Morning

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“...and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace.”

–Ephesians 6:15

Q1: What is the gospel of peace?

A1: It is the good news that Jesus did four things for us (1 Corinthians 15:1–8).

1. He died to pay for our sins.
2. He was buried to prove he died.
3. He was raised to prove his payment was accepted by the Father.
4. He appeared to many to prove he was raised.

Q2: What does it mean to put on your “ready shoes”?

A2: We are ready to glorify God by helping people know, love, obey, and exalt Jesus. So we:

1. Get to the battle quickly: _____ to people who need to surrender to Jesus.
2. Stand in the battle strongly: _____ the devil who traps people with lies.
3. Finish the battle victoriously: _____ that Jesus has already won!

Q3: How does my church help me put on my “ready shoes”?

A3: First Bible Church has a three-stage process for helping you know, love, obey, and exalt Jesus.

1. _____: Show up on Sunday mornings to exalt Jesus.
2. _____: Grow up in smaller groups with people who love Jesus.
3. _____: Step up and go to people who need to know Jesus.