

THE OUTSIDERS
Colossians 4:2-6

THE RESURRECTED LIFE

Based Upon Who Jesus Is and What Jesus Has Done for You, How Should You Live?

Insiders - Believers
Outsiders - Pre-Believers

God's Plan:
To Get Insiders Out
To Get Outsiders In

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PRAYER IS POWERFUL
The Secret Weapon for the Salvation of the Lost

STAY ALERT
WATCH TO PRAY

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Pray Obstacles Are Removed

² Corinthians 4:4 The god of this age has **blinded the minds of the unbelievers** to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God.

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Pray for an Open Door

JESUS IS KNOCKING

Revelation 3:20 I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and eat with him, and he with me.

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Matthew 10:16 Look, I'm sending you out like sheep among wolves. Therefore be as shrewd as serpents and as innocent as doves.

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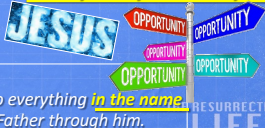
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Make the Most of Every Opportunity

Colossians 3:17
And whatever you do, in word or in deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.



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Make the Most of Every Opportunity

Let Your Speech Be Gracious



Adds Seasoning
Creates Thirst

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Luke 14:21-23

²¹ Go out quickly into the streets and alleys of the city, and bring in here the poor, maimed, blind, and lame. ²² "Master," the servant said, "what you ordered has been done, and there's still room." ²³ "Then the master told the servant, 'Go out into the highways and hedges and make them come in, so that my house may be filled.'

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