

God Partners with Us to Share His Light & Life Todd Arnett

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John 1:4-5

God has a mission: to spread his glory throughout the entire globe by redeeming people to himself <u>AND</u> sending them to tell others.

"The mission of God belongs to God, but the Scriptures come with the expectation that the people of God will engage with his mission."

– Payne, J. D.. (Theology of Mission: A Concise Biblical Theology)



1. God calls Believers into a partnership with Him
marked by an <u>EAGERNESS</u> to <u>DO</u> <u>GOOD</u> .

Titus 2:11-14, 2 Corinthians 8:23, Titus 1:12-13

- Jesus' people are <u>RESCUED</u> to <u>RESCUE</u>.

"Christianity is, in its very essence, a rescue religion."

- John Stott (The Authentic Jesus)

2.	God c	alls E	Believers	into a	par	tnership	with	Him
mo	arked	by a	READINE	SS to	DO	GOOD.		

Titus 3:1-2

Greek word for "readiness" — ready because prepared; "standing by," ready to meet the opportunity (challenge) at hand; ready because the <u>NECESSARY PREPARATIONS</u> are done.

3. God calls Believers into a partnership with Him marked by a <u>LEARNED DEVOTION</u> to <u>DO GOOD</u>.

Greek word for "learn" – gaining "fact-knowledge" as someone learns from experience, often with the implication of reflection – to 'COME to REALIZE'

– as Jesus' people, you're called into a partnership relationship with the risen Jesus to bring His <u>LIGHT</u> and <u>LIFE</u> into your relational world.

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