Study Guide: What Our World Needs: To Hear the Gospel

Reading

- Romans 10:14-21

- Isaiah 52:7

- Isaiah 53:1

- Deuteronomy 32:21

- Psalm 19:1-4

- Psalm 22:27

- Isaiah 49:6

Warm Up

- Reflect on a time when you heard a message that deeply impacted your life. What was it about the message that resonated with you?

- How do you currently understand the importance of sharing the Gospel in today's world?

Scripture Exploration

- Read Romans 10:14-21. What questions does Paul raise about belief and hearing the Gospel?

- How does Isaiah 52:7 describe those who bring good news? Why might their "feet" be considered beautiful?

- In what ways does Psalm 19:1-4 illustrate the visibility of God's glory in creation?

Personal Reflection

- Consider the statement "faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God" from Romans 10:17. How does this principle apply to your faith journey?

- Compare Isaiah 53:1 and the reaction of the Israelites to the Gospel message. What does this reveal about human nature and belief?

- Reflect on Deuteronomy 32:21 and its implications for how God uses unexpected means to reach people.

Personal Application

- In what ways can you be a "herald" of the Gospel in your daily life? Identify one specific action you can take this week.

- How can you support your community in hearing and understanding the Gospel message more clearly?

- Plan an outreach or conversation with someone who may not have heard the Gospel. What steps will you take to ensure the message is communicated effectively?

- Reflect on any hesitations you have about sharing your faith. What practical steps can you take to overcome these barriers?