

The OUTLOOK

By Pastor Stephens

"WHAT SHALL I DO"

"Another year is separated from the chain of ages, and drops into the gulf of the past. The New Year comes surrounded by all the forebodings of the unknown. What does she hide in the clouds which mantle her? Is it storm or sunshine?" These are the thoughts of many as the New Year is ushered in. The Child of God is not free from such fears, but he has that which helps him to drive such thoughts away. His eyes are lifted up to Him who is the ruler of nations, whom earth and sea must obey. His help comes from above, from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning.

What shall I do and what is my concern about those who have not received the living Christ into their life? Shall I boldly accept the challenge of the great commission of our blessed Saviour the Lord Jesus Christ this year of 1958? There are many right here in Robbins Illinois who scoff about religion and ridicule the existence of God, of heaven and hell. We have men and women who never go to church and are not concerned about their eternal welfare. What shall I do concerning those who say: "All religions are good, and all people who pray worship the same God whether they call Him Allah or something else"? What shall I do about those who say: "Jesus was the best man ever lived but smile contemptuously about His deity and His work of atoning for the sins of the world by suffering and dying?" What about our responsibility to those who sincerely trust in the works of their own hands for their salvation, and say: "I do what's right; I live at peace with my neighbors and know that God will reward me by taking me to heaven"? May the power of God's Holy Spirit move every delivered soul to be motivated to proclaim the living Christ to a dying world.

What shall I do must be started to day if it is to be done at all. And what greater work can we do than to give a light for those who walk in darkness. Let Him who is light shine in our every day living that others may be led by Him through us.

"Arms of Mercy" Prayer Band To Hold Services

The Arms of Mercy Prayer Band will hold service Sunday, January 5, 1958 at Bethel AME Church, 3405 West 139th street.

at 6:00 a.m.

I. John 4:1 - 2: Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.

2. Hereby know ye the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesseth that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God:

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