

TEENAGERS FOR CHRIST don't seem to make news like teenagers for crime, so here's some good news about teens for a change. Paul, Jonathan, Faith and friend Arnie like to witness instead of Watusi, preach better than protest, and win rather than sin. So they launched a teenage witnessing demonstration for Christ to prove He's still better than the Beatles.

In thousands of miles of travel they've convinced scores of other teens, sung and testified to hundreds, inspired others to witness too, and, like Martin Luther, posted warnings on miles of church doors as well as challenging those within. Here are a few experiences:

ARNIE: "For a guy who's tried everything this world has to offer, take it from me: A Christian life is the most thrilling and exciting! While in Fort Worth during a street meeting I had just finished giving my testimony when the Lord led me to speak to a man sitting in his car. An ex-fighter, John, like many others, was looking for something better, and the same Jesus I have he now has also. Later in his barber shop while giving me a haircut he started telling his friends what had happened to him. Before long there was a small crowd and they all heard the Gospel. In New York we were moseying along the street and Paul was strumming his guitar when three women came toward us, so I asked if they'd like to hear a song or two. Nellie was the only one who understood what was said, so she began to explain to her companions in Spanish. Paul, with the help of Faith and Jonathan, quickly sang a Gospel song in Spanish. It hit home and opened a conversation, the conversation opened the

Bible, and Nellie opened her heart to accept the Lord Jesus Christ. Jesus calls \*Follow Me\*
--will it be today--or tomorrow?--Or was it yesterday when you were too busy to heed?"

PAUL: "We met two Job Corps fellows and started talking to them about Christ. I went aside with one of them and we bowed our heads and he received Jesus as his Savior and tossed away his cigarettes, although we hadn't even discussed smoking. We then prayed for his nervous condition, and he held out his arms amazed that God had calmed and relaxed his nerves.

"In Liberty, N.Y., I started talking to three boys on the street about Christ. Several more walked up and I explained to them God's plan of salvation through faith in Jesus Christ. I asked if they believed Jesus, God's Son, died for them, and did they want to receive Him? They all raised their hands, so we bowed our heads and they asked Christ to save them. Some of them said they felt something different and wonderful. I gave each some Scripture portions and verses to memorize, and had a Rible study with them later."

JONATHAN: "We stopped at Mammoth Cave for a weekend and passed out tracts and witnessed. The manager let us have the evening service in which we sang and testified. Then we went over got the Job Corps Camp where my brother played the guitar and we sang for the teenagers. Armie Dietrich gave his testimony of how Jesus saved him from a life of sin on the streets of New York. About 50 boys raised their hands for prayer that they might know Jesus as their Savior We talked to many of them afterwards and gave them Gospels of John. This is just one of the many wonderful experiences we have had on this trip. Praise the Lord."

FAITH: "As I entered the jail with the other Teen Challenge counselors, the girls invited me to talk to a girl they had not been able to get through to. Shirley was 21. She had been in and out of reformatories since she was 12. As I talked with her, Marie came over to listen. Shirley seemed hard and bitter and said she knew all about God and Jesus, but They had never done anything for her and she didn't think They loved her. The Holy Spirit gave me real compassion for her, and I said if Christ couldn't love her just as much as He did me and forgive her sins just as He had forgiven mine, then I didn't want Him either, because He didn't keep His Word. This really touched her heart and she began to weep. I was shocked, for the girls had told me how tough she was! Then I prayed with both, and Marie accepted Christ. Shirley prayed, and I believe she came in contact with God and His love for the first time."

MOTHER: "Witnessing on Wall St., New York, was different. Crowds of well-dressed business men

of the world's financial center showed keen interest as the young folks sang and testified, and Oren Dudley, himself a stock-broker and head of the N.Y. Bible Society, preaced the Gospel 'in the market place' like the apostles of old. In the Catskills hundreds of Jews received our Gospels, while only a few spat on it, trampled it under foot or tried to cause trouble. At one place our young people were even hauled off to jail for witnessing to a large group of teenagers, but they only 'rejoiced that they were accounted worthy to suffer for His sake' like the early disciples, and we thanked God it was for Christ and not for crime! Daily Bible, prayer, Christian training, faith living, active service and example makes for teens who pray, quote Scripture by the yard, witness by the mile, find excitement in service & are safe in Him

Would you like to have them at your church, pray or help them in their revolt against ruin?
--Contact or write them today--tomorrow may be too late!--God bless and use you now.

-- In His Service .-- David and Jane and Family

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