

# Theology of Evangelism



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# The Passion of God



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# ***History of evangelism***



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# Whitfield

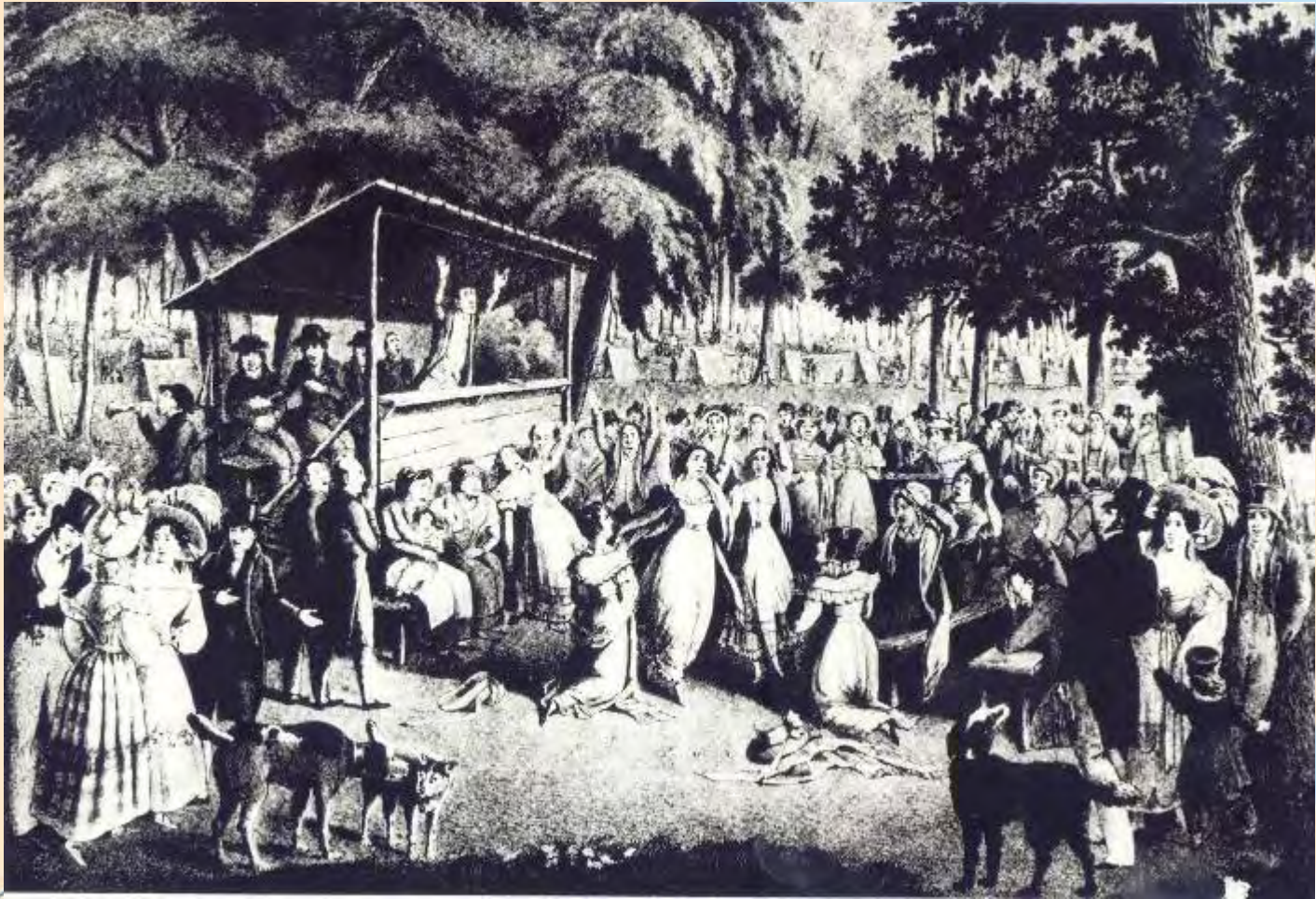


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# John Wesley

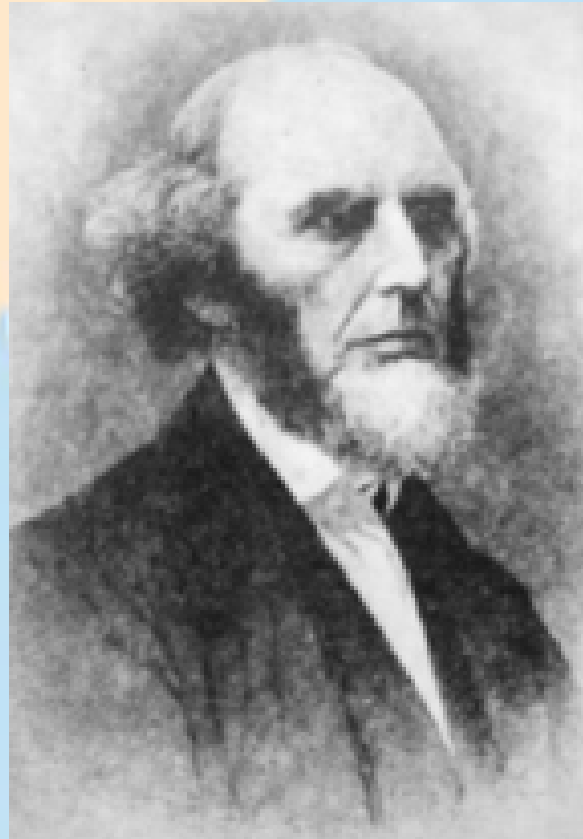


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# Charles Finney



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# DL Moody



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# Gipsy Smith



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# Billy Sunday



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# Billy Graham



# ***Definitions of evangelism***

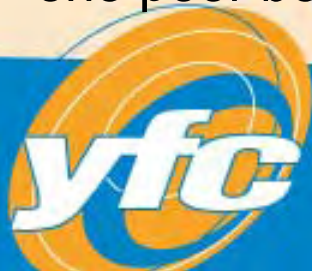
"proclamation of the good news of salvation in Jesus Christ with a view to bringing about the reconciliation of the sinner to God the Father through the regenerating power of the Holy Spirit"

Evangelism should be perceived in terms of its nature, as mediating the good news of God's love in Christ that transforms life, proclaiming by word and action, that Christ has set us free.

Taking the Good News to the lost, the last and the least.

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"one poor beggar telling another poor beggar where to find bread."



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***Evangelism is not...***



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# ***What is Evangelism?***

The Gospel of God Rm 1:1.

The gospel of Power Rm 1:4

The gospel of the Kingdom Rm 1:5

The gospel about Jesus Rm 1:3

The Gospel is not new Rm 1:2

The Gospel demands a response Rm 1:5

The gospel is for all people everywhere. Rm  
1:5



# ***Who does the announcing?***



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# ***Types of Evangelism***

Presence

Proclamation

Power

Persuasion

Propagation



# YFC's 4 D Evangelism

Demonstrate

Declare

Decision

Discipleship



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# ***Why should I evangelise?***

**Biblical Command. Mk 16:15. Mt 28:19**

**Jesus' Example**

**Needs of the world in which we live**



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# ***What is the message of evangelism?***

Can you explain the gospel simply and easily if asked?

Can you tell your story how you came to faith?



# ***The Work of the Holy Spirit***



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# ***Evangelism in Acts***



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