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# SERMON OUTLINE

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*“Wake up Everybody”*

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Scripture Text: Matt 5: 13-19 KJV

I. Introduction –

- a. Famous Song in the 70’s- Harold Melville and the Blue-Notes- Teddy Pendergrass
- b. Wake up Everybody- The terrible conditions of the world- A call to Action
- c. The Lyrics of the song: Wake up everybody, no more sleeping in bed....
- d. Today’s Climate – The News Events of the day- Negativity- Devastation
- e. Something must be done
- f. Sermon Title: Wake Up, Everybody

II. Point No. One: Wake up. You Have to Go to Work

- a. There is work to do here on Earth.
- b. Ecc. 12:13 Fear God, Keep his Commandments
- c. The 10 Commandments minus one.
- d. John 11: 25. The Resurrection and the Life
- e. John 14: 6. the Way, the Truth and the Life
- f. Rom 6: 23 The Gift of God- Eternal Life
- g. John 14:26. God will send the Comforter; The Holy Spirit
- h. Our Text: Matt 5: 13-14. The Salt of the Earth; The Light of the World
- i. Apply these principles to our lives.
- j. When Jesus returns, we need to be working

III. Point No. Two: Wake Up. It's time to go to school.

- a. We continue to learn from childhood to adulthood
- b. Morality
- c. We learn Spiritually
- d. Study our Bibles II Tim 2:15
- e. Learning from Worship services
- f. John 4:24. God is a spirit. Worship him in Spirit and in Truth
- g. Acts 2:42. Elements of Worship in the Early Church
- h. Eph 5:19. Singing; Hymns and Psalms

- i. Rom. 10: 13-16. Hearing the preached word
- IV. **Point No. Three: Wake up. It's Time To Complete our Tasks**
  - a. A house which is half built
  - b. Our tasks as Christians- take the Gospel to the world.
  - c. Our text: Matt 5: 13-14
  - d. Matt. 28: 18-20. The Great Commission. Teach All Nations
  - e. Mark 16: 15-16. Every creature must hear the gospel
  - f. We can ***affect*** the world.
  - g. What does salt do?
  - h. What does light do?
  - i. Contemplate what you can do, to impact others.
  - j. Co. 3:17. Wherever you go, take the name of Jesus with you.
  - k. Look at what is going on around us
  - l. Look at what God has done
  - m. Think about what God expects of us.

V. CONCLUSION

- a. Teddy Pendergrass- parting words
- b. All of us have to do something
- c. You are not insignificant
- d. Gal. 5:9 . A little leaven
- e. The Lord has used small numbers to do great things
- f. Jesus and the Apostles
- g. Focus your energy and efforts

- h. Your circle of friends, family and acquaintances
- i. Wake up. It's time. The lesson is yours.

**j. Invitation**

- i. The Church of Christ- Acts 2
- ii. Hear the Gospel Rom 10:17
- iii. Believe that Gospel Rom. 10:10
- iv. Repent of your Sins Luke 13:3
- v. Confess your faith in Jesus Acts 8: 36-37
- vi. Be Baptized (immersed in water) for the Remission of your sins Acts 2: 38
- vii. Live a faithful life and spread the word until you are called away. Rev. 2:10 .
- viii. Receive a crown of life – eternal life in heaven.
- ix. Church Members- Repent of your sins
- x. Prayer Requests- Let us know.