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1. Vs. 1: First thing First! The Gospel.

John 14:6, "... I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me."

Hebrews 12:2, "Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God."

2. Vs. 2-3: The gospel is to prepare!

John 8:34-36, "...³⁴Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whosoever committeth sin is the servant of sin. 35 And the servant abideth not in the house for ever: but the Son abideth ever. 36 If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed."

3. Vs. 4-5: You can't have the gospel without repentance!

2 Corinthians 5:17, "Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new."

4. Vs. 6-7: The gospel transforms.

"But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus" (Phil. 4.19).

5. Vs. 8: The gospel brings life.

Romans 6:4, "Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life." "For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's" (1 Cor. 6.20).

"... Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost" (Ac. 2:38).

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