




*What God Wants  
for Christmas*

*Part 1: Everyone to Hear the  
Message of Salvation*

[Video: “Forgotten Christmas”




*“Go into all the world and preach the Good News to everyone. Anyone who believes and is baptized will be saved. But anyone who refuses to believe will be condemned.”—Mark 16:15-16 (NLT)*



**What can I do to give God what he wants  
for Christmas?**



1) Pray for the gospel to go out.




*“The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.”—Luke 10:2 (NIV)*



*Agrippa interrupted him. “Do you think you can persuade me to become a Christian so quickly?”*


*Paul replied, “Whether quickly or not, I pray to God that both you and everyone here in this audience might become the same as I am, except for these chains.”—  
Acts 26:28-29 (NLT)*



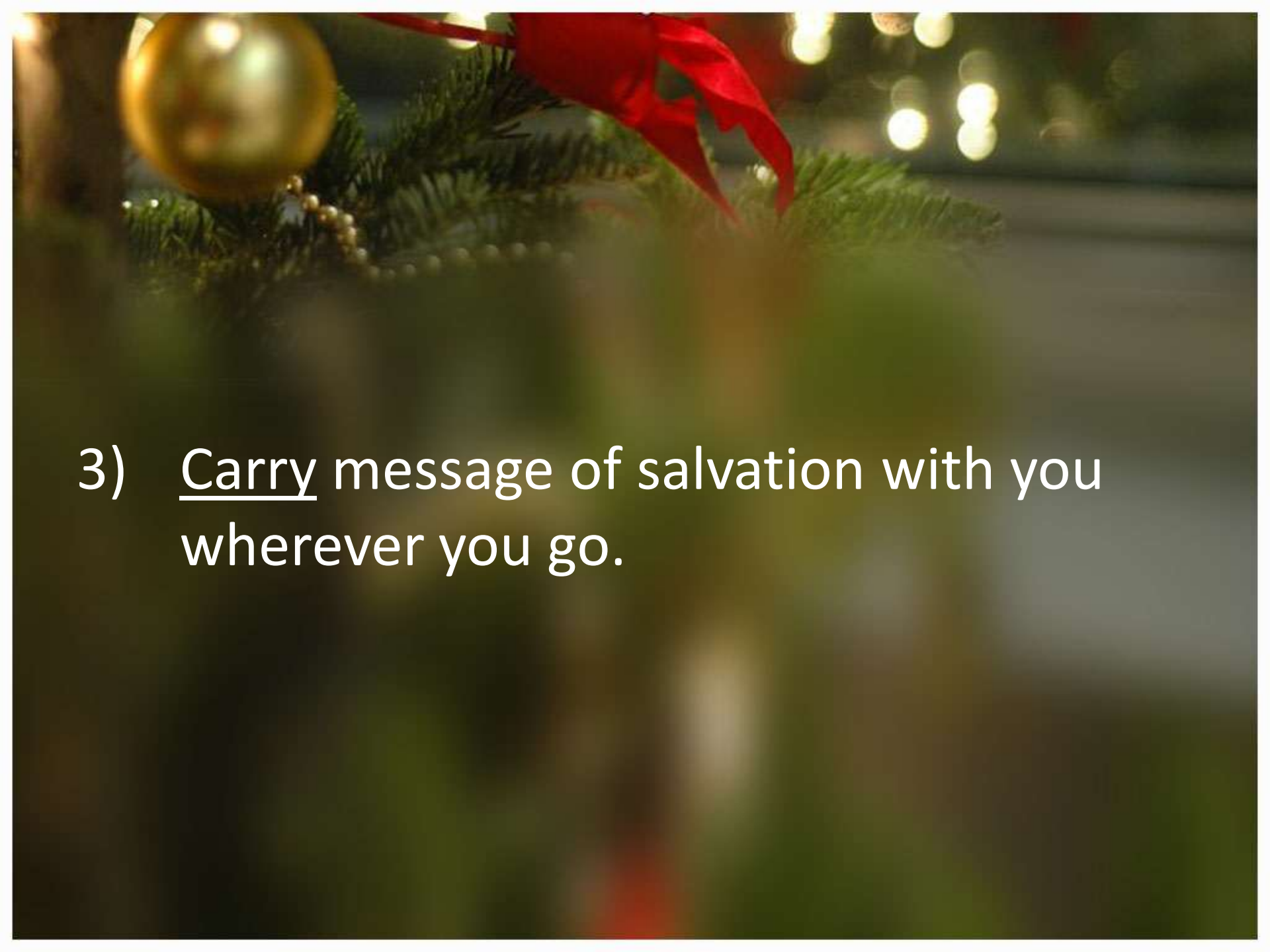
*And pray for me, too. Ask God to give me the right words so I can boldly explain God's mysterious plan that the Good News is for Jews and Gentiles alike.—*  
Ephesians 6:19 (NLT)




2) Give to support ministries that share the good news.




*As you know, you Philippians were the only ones who gave me financial help when I first brought you the Good News and then traveled on from Macedonia. No other church did this. Even when I was in Thessalonica you sent help more than once.—Philippians 4:15-16 (NIV)*



3) Carry message of salvation with you  
wherever you go.



*But the believers who were scattered preached the Good News about Jesus wherever they went.—Acts 8:4 (NLT)*



*For shoes, put on the peace that comes from the Good News so that you will be fully prepared.—  
Ephesians 6:15 (NLT)*