

A script from



“Go and Tell”

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- What** A look at God’s question “Whom shall I send” and a challenge to answer the call. Themes: Elisha, Isaiah, Evangelism, Commitment, Witnessing, Serving, God’s call, Heroes of the Faith
- Who** Narrator 1 (Skippy)
Narrator 2
- When** Present
- Wear
(Props)** 1 pair of dark “Blues Brothers” sunglasses
- Why** Isaiah 3:1-13, Isaiah 6:8, Matthew 28:19
- How** This skit can be performed as an actual skit, or as a Reader’s Theatre piece. The **Skippy** story may be omitted if needed for time or performed as a separate piece.
- Time** Approximately 7-8 minutes

Narrators begin center stage side by side wearing sunglasses.

- 1: (Removes glasses) We're on a mission;
2: (Removes glasses) A mission from God.
1: It's a mission of extreme urgency.
2: It's a mission of purpose.
1: Are you ready for the mission? You're in this too, you know.
2: Oh, yeah. If you're a child of God, this mission has got your name written all over it.
1: No casual bystanders here; lives are at stake.
2: Spiritual lives.
1: Will you accept the mission?
2: Can you be sent?

1 and 2 bow and begin mini-scene one.

- 1: In the year that King Uzziah died,
2: A year with many questions on the minds of the people:
1: "Did our love and confidence in our earthly king cause us to forget our true King?"
2: "What does the future hold?"
1: "Where is our hope and security?"
2: Questions asked 2300 years ago, but frighteningly similar to questions asked today.
1: Isaiah saw the Lord seated on a throne high and exalted, and the train of His robe filled the temple.
2: Above Him were seraphs;
1: Burning snakes with six wings.
2: With two wings they covered their faces,

- 1: With two they covered their feet,
2: And with two they were flying.
1: Flying, burning snakes. What a sight!
2: And they were calling to one another. . .
1: This is the coolest part!
2 & 1: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty, (**Narrator 1** repeats this same line, as in a round) the whole earth is full of His glory."
1: At the sound of their voices the doorposts and doorways shook and the temple was filled with smoke.
2: True worship in action.
1: Shaking buildings, loud voices, and God on the throne; this is good.
2: Then Isaiah cried out:
1: "Woe to me! I am ruined!"
2: Hopeless,
1: alone,
2: destined for hell.
1: "For I am a man of unclean lips and I live among a people of unclean lips."
2: Isaiah knew that his worship and service and that of his people would never honor God,
1: because of unclean lips:
2: hatred,
1: disunity,
2: lust,
1: gossip,
2: idol worship,

- 1: comfortable Christianity.
- 2: Isaiah continued:
- 1: "My eyes have seen the King, the Lord Almighty!"

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ENDING:

- 1: I quickly gathered my team around me for instructions: (**2 leans in close to 1**) Well, dudes, go save her!
- 2: But, instead, excuses were heard:
- 1: (*As a team member*) "She's just too far gone."
- 2: (*As a team member*) "She'll find her way somehow."
- 1: (*As a team member*) "What if she rejects me?"
- 2: (*As a team member*) "I'm still in training."
- 1: (*As a team member*) "I left my manual at home."
- 2: (*As a team member*) "I don't have anything in common with her."
- 1: (*Returns as a **Narrator***) And as the excuses continued, the little girl sank
- 2: (*Returns as a **Narrator***) Deeper,
- 1: and deeper.
- 2: And she disappeared.

*Transition to Scene Three and return to **Narrator** status.*

- 1: "Whom shall I send?" The question still rings.
- 2: "Who will go for us?" The call remains the same.
- 1: A call to go,

- 2:** a call to tell,
1: the call of love.
2: The mission is clear; they need to hear that. . .
1: Christ came to die, so that we don't have to.
2: We can line our walls with plaques and certificates, attend workshops,
even practice saving our classmates.
1: But, will we rescue the drowning?
2: Will we see?
1: The drowning guy in the locker across the hall?
2: The drowning girl in our PE class?
1: The drowning teacher who teaches biology?
2: The mission is clear, the gift is given, and no one is excused.
1 & 2: Go and tell.

Lights out. The end.