

A script from



## “Tell the World”

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**What** At times, we get excited as we gather within the walls of the church for worship and activities, but hesitate to intentionally share the love of God with those we meet out in the world.

**Themes:** Evangelism, Sharing, The Great Commission

**Who**

Leader	#3
#1	#4
#2	#5

**When** Present

**Wear  
(Props)** Five chairs  
Podium

**Why** Matthew 28:19

**How** Keep the dialogue moving and the pacing up. Especially at the beginning so that when the Leader announces that everyone should go out into the world, there's a build up and then silence. The pacing then slows, and then begins to build back up once again so that everyone is excited at the end.

Have fun with this and feel free to put your own spin on it.

**Time** Approximately 4 minutes

The **Leader** is standing at the podium after a successful church service.

**Leader:** *(At a podium)* What an inspiring service!

**All:** *(Randomly)* Yes! Great! Loved it! What a blessing!

**Leader:** Andy, that solo was great. Did you see Mrs. Johnson crying? You really moved her. She didn't know what hit her.

**All:** Great job, Andy! You're the man!

**Leader:** And when you all delivered that big ending of the special, the applause shook the house!

**All:** Yes! *(Singing/shouting)* "Hallelujah!"

**Leader:** I mean, isn't it absolutely awesome to be a Christian?

**All:** Completely! Couldn't agree more! Yes!

**Leader:** There are just so many things to love about following Jesus! For instance, the fellowship...

**All:** Yes, the fellowship!

**Leader:** ...the freedom of forgiveness!

**All:** Forgiveness!

**Leader:** ...complete grace and mercy!

**All:** *(Clapping)* Yes! Yes!

**Leader:** So are we happy?

**All:** Yes!

**Leader:** Are we excited?

**All:** Yes!

**Leader:** So, let's go do something about it! It's time to take the message of Jesus to the whole world! It's time to share our faith outside these church walls!

*Sudden complete silence. Then, as excuses are given, all begin moving slowly offstage. Lines can overlap.*

**#1:** I think my family is waiting in the car.

**#2:** I've got some work to catch up on at the office.

**#3:** Wow! I didn't realize it was so late.

**#4:** Gotta go, I've got a golf tee time.

**#5:** I think I heard someone call me.

**Leader:** Now wait a minute everybody...you come back here right now! (*Strikes podium.*)

*All slowly return.*

**Leader:** Jesus has done so much for us, surely we can share his love with the rest of the world...starting right here in our own community!

*All look down and shuffle around ... then slowly answer.*

**#1:** I don't speak well in front of others.

**#2:** There are others who would do a better job of that than me.

**#3:** Yeah, we might mess up!

**#4:** We'll just pray for you as you tell others about Jesus' love.

**#5:** Good idea...huddle up! Let us pray. (*Trying to quickly get this over with.*)

**Leader:** Stop that...back in formation...now! (*Characters move back to bench*)  
Aw, come on. You can do it! I'll bet that each of you knows someone who needs the love of Jesus in their lives. Don't you?

*Characters look at one another and then slowly begin to respond.*

**#3** My Uncle Thomas got turned off by church a long time ago. Maybe I should go see him.

**#5** I have a friend who just lost her job! Maybe she would like to talk.

**#1** I can help you if you need any food or anything carried to someone in need.

**#2** Our next door neighbors don't go to church. I've never invited them, but I guess I could.

**#4** My dad and I had an argument six months ago and haven't talked since then. I'm going to call him. But this won't be easy!

**Leader:** See...there's a whole world of people for us to reach out to. So what do you say? Are you with me? Will you show someone the love of God?

**All:** *(Begins to build)* Yes!

**Leader:** What?

**All:** Yes! *(Getting more enthusiastic.)*

**Leader:** One more time!

**All:** Yes! *(Standing)*

**Leader:** All right...get your hands together...on three...one, two, three ...go team!

*Lights out.*