A script from



## "The Bell Ringer"

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**What** In this skit, a bell ringer stands outside collecting money for charity. She/he tries

different approaches to no avail. Themes: Christmas, Giving, Priorities, Sacrifice,

Sharing, Stewardship

**Who** Bell ringer

4 passersby

**When** Present day/Christmas season

**Wear** Small ringing bell w/ a handle (much like a Salvation Army bell ringer)

(**Props**) Stand or jar with coins

Shopping bags for passersby

Air horn

**Why** Sometimes we need to be loudly reminded of God's calling in our lives to help

others.

**How** This sketch is all about movement and facial expressions since there is no

dialogue. The bell ringer should have good comic timing and works best if it is a

girl who has that "cute" factor. You can also play Christmas music in the

background like in a mall or shopping center.

\*This sketch has also worked well during a Christmas variety program in

between songs.

**Time** Approximately 1-2 minutes; This script is 1 page long

The bell ringer begins ringing the bell in hopes of someone giving money.

The first person passes by with her shopping bags and stops right in front of the bell ringer to check her watch. The bell ringer rings the bell at the woman and motions a la Vanna White to the donation jar. The woman is oblivious and walks on in a hurry. The bell ringer is dejected.

The second person walks by on his cell phone jingling change in his pocket the whole time. He looks right at the bell ringer, who is ringing the bell at him hopefully and doing a little tap dance number. He continues his conversation and saunters on by. The bell ringer is once again dejected.

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