

## Are You Listening

### WANT TO HELP OTHER PEOPLE

Consider those jobs which deal with human beings as PERSONS—not as customers or cases or patients or bosses or workers. Such jobs aren't easy. They're not over-paid. Nor are they a ticket to great prestige and "the smart set." But they do make, for thousands, a satisfying investment of their 50 years—more or less—career. Here are a few:

Child psychologist  
 Choral leader  
 Community-chest worker  
 County farm agent  
 Criminologist  
 Dean  
 Diplomat  
 Housing-program director  
 Labor relations adviser  
 Personnel counselor  
 Probation and parole leader  
 Recreation director  
 Scouter or "Y" executive  
 Social case worker  
 Social group worker  
 Teacher

From the religious standpoint a young man may be "called" to such a task just as completely as a minister is called to his work. It's the Christian view that God does need people in such jobs—and that He summons certain people to them, as to any worthwhile job a Christian can do.

Be sure that you can make your job YOUR means of serving people and serving God, through duties well and honestly done. That's what is meant by "Christian vocation" in any field of work.

Will your life be invested for self, or things, or PEOPLE?

### CHOICE OF FRIENDS

I chose my friends for what they are . . . And what they mean to me . . . And not because some lucky star . . . Has kept them company . . . I chose them not for wealth or fame . . . Or favors they may do . . . But just because they are the same . . . When skies are grey or blue . . . Because they mean the word they say . . . And everything they write . . . And they would never run away . . . And leave me to my plight . . . They share my fondest hopes and dreams . . . And help me carry on . . . However dark the hours seem . . . When happiness is gone . . . They are the ones with time to spare . . . When I am looking for . . . The kind of friends who really care . . . And last forevermore.

### B.S.U. CONVENTION

On the afternoon of November the sixth, one thousand students from various colleges and universities throughout North Carolina gathered for what proved to be a very educational, inspirational and recreational weekend. This was the annual B. S. U. Convention, held this year at the First Baptist Church of Winston-Salem.

From all reports the program was filled with wonderful speakers. Among these were Dr. Roger Crook of Meredith College who had devotions for each assembly. These were in line with the central theme of the convention which was "Worship and Work."

The keynote address of the first session was given by Robert S. Denny, Associate South-wide Baptist Student Union Secretary. He so graphically opened the eyes of the representatives to the responsibility we have toward the people around the world who are not as fortunate as we.

The outstanding speaker of the entire Convention was Dr. John Oliver Nelson of Yale University. He delivered two addresses during the convention. These were enjoyed by all. They so wonderfully brought out the theme of the Convention.

Other speakers were Dr. Emily Lansdel who spoke on the topic of "Missions." Another outstanding speaker was Spencer Thornton, a student missionary who worked on a foreign field in Hawaii this summer.

All in all the convention was well worth while. The B. S. U. still holds a very high place on the campuses of the colleges of our state and in the heart of North Carolina Baptist.

Does love impel sacrifice toward every need in your life? Many questions of vast importance are being asked of every individual during our day, but no one can supersede those of whether your existence is for "getting" or "giving." Many people feel that it is only proper to ridicule the sufferings or unfortunate state of others; very few of these people are remembered for doing anything either worthwhile or worthless in the history of the world. When a man neglects the needs of his neighbor, he is neglecting his own needs.

The Listen campaign was brought about by the compelling messages of Dr. Walter Juil, congressman of Minnesota, and Dr. Louis Evans, Presbyterian Minister at Large, at Ridgecrest last June to a group of students. Does the statement "More Than Half The World's Population Goes To Bed Hungry Every Night," mean anything to you as a member of the world's population. This statement is not including those of us who go to bed with a little empty feeling in our stomach because our stomach has finally digested all the food before we can refill it as we have been doing at least three times a day. We get hungry of course, but it is far from the hunger which would drive men to eating cats and dogs and perhaps to cannibalism. Very few of us have ever felt hunger pangs that actually were painful. Many persons on this campus are unwilling to admit even to themselves that their needs are met bountifully. Suppose we could call back some of the men who carved our nation out of the wilderness and asked them how they got their food; their answer would not surprise us, but we would not understand it because we have no thoughts for "hard work."

A penny a day is a great deal of money in some parts of the world. That amount of money given by the students in Baptist colleges for a period of nine months would amount to about \$40,000 in North Carolina alone. Can you see a picture of the suffering of hunger that that amount of money would relieve around the world in your mind? Can you see children about the age of your own small brothers and sisters filling themselves with food for perhaps the first time in their short lives? If you gave a small friend of yours some candy and he would not divide with his playmate because of selfishness, you might take some from the former and give to the latter if you were a normal human being. God gives us ample chance to divide and if we don't . . . ?

The Listen campaign is a chance to share and receive the joys of giving. Let us support this program with a penny a day or a meal a month and show ourselves that we are made of something we can be proud of.

### BIBLE QUIZ

Below are some scripture verses from God's word. Can you select the correct passage at the right?

- ( ) 1. Resist the Devil, and he will flee from you. A. Matt. 11:30
- ( ) 2. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light. B. Rom. 2:11
- ( ) 3. Am I therefore become your enemy because I tell you the truth. C. James 4:7
- ( ) 4. Heaven and Earth shall pass away, but my word shall not pass away. D. Gall. 4:16
- ( ) 5. For there is no respect of persons with God. E. I Peter 3:13
- ( ) 6. And Peter went out and wept bitterly. F. John 1:4
- ( ) 7. And who is he that will harm you, if ye be followers of that which is good. G. Mark 13:31
- ( ) 8. In Him was life and the life was the light of man. H. Luke 22:62
- ( ) 9. And they shall see his face; and his name shall be; as their forehead. I. Acts 16:5
- ( ) 10. And so were the churches established in the faith and increased in number daily. J. Rev. 22:4
- ( ) 11. Rejoice in the Lord always: again I say rejoice. K. Phil. 4:4