

# PAYING IT FORWARD

Life Apps – Part 9

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“But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect...” 1 Peter 3:15 (NIV)

## What’s the Problem? \_\_\_\_\_

“Who is going to harm you if you are eager to do good? [v.14] But even if you should suffer for what is right, you are blessed. ‘Do not fear what they fear, do not be frightened.’” 1 Peter 3:13-14 (NIV)

## Why Should We Pay It Forward?

1. **Because** \_\_\_\_\_.

2. **Because** \_\_\_\_\_.

“Therefore go and make disciples of all nations...” Matthew 28:19 (NIV)

“You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden. [v.15] Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. [v.16] In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.” Matthew 5:14-16 (NIV)

3. **Because** \_\_\_\_\_.

“I pray that you may be active in sharing your faith, so that you will have a full understanding of every good thing we have in Christ.” Philemon 1:6 (NIV)

## How Do We Pay It Forward?

1. **We need** \_\_\_\_\_.

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2. **We need** \_\_\_\_\_.

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3. **We need** \_\_\_\_\_.

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“But how can they call on Him to save them unless they believe in Him? And how can they believe in Him if they have never heard about Him? And how can they hear about Him unless someone tells them?” Romans 10:14 (NLT)