

HEAR AND DO

EZEK 33:32, DEUT 30:11-18, JAM 1:22

Text: Ezekiel 33:32

(Ezek 33:32) "And, lo, thou art unto them as a very lovely song of one that hath a pleasant voice, and can play well on an instrument: for they hear thy words, but they do them not."

Introduction:

We are living in a day where there are more churches than ever before. There is more ability to get the Word of God out through the airways, with radio, short-wave radio and television. The internet has also open unlimited opportunity to get to the world the Word of God.

With such opportunity why are things not becoming more right? If we took a close look, things are not getting better, but worse.

I understand the world and society getting worse, but why is God's people keeping pace with the world. But some say we are at the same distance from the world as we always have been. I would question that but if that is true, we are now doing today in churches what was preached against just ten years ago.

Why is this happening?

Read Ezekiel 33

1. PRETENSE

A. Talk against the messengers of the Word of God.

1. Some have the idea that the message must change as society changes, and become politically correct.

B. Pleasant

2. PROBLEM

A. Reject

3. PROMISE

A. See Duet 30:11-20

B. See James 1:22-25

4. PRINCIPLE

A. Things we are to do is possible.

(Phil 4:13) "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."

B. Do all to the glory of God.

(1 Cor 10:31) "Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God."

C. Do all in His name

(Col 3:17) "And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him."

D. Do all things without murmurings and disputings.

(Phil 2:14) "Do all things without murmurings and disputings:"