I have come so that they might have life and that they might have it more abundantly. Jesus Christ



Apply these Biblical truths to Walk with God Each Day and Experience His Plan for Your Life

## APPENDIX A – TESTIMONY WORKSHEET COMMUNICATING MY CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE

- 1. Read John 3:5-8 and 16:7-11. Who makes people see their need for God?
- 2. Read 2 Corinthians 5:17-20. What is God's main plan for communicating the Gospel (Good News) message to people?

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- 3. Read Psalm 107.2. Why do you think it is important to tell others what Christ has done in your life?
- 4. Read Luke 9:26. What does it mean to be ashamed of Jesus?
- 5. Why might someone be ashamed of Christ and His message?



Several ships landed in South America, with Spanish explorers, soldiers, settlers, and fortune-seekers. After experiencing the hardships involved in conquering and settling the new land, many wanted to return to Spain. Morale was low, disputes erupted, and it was impossible to advance in the work of building a new life in the new world. So the Spanish commander, Hernando Cortez, ordered the ships burned. Only then did the people commit to the goals of their expedition.

- 6. **Read Luke 9:23-25**. Knowing and following Jesus is a total and irrevocable commitment. Anything short of a life surrender will keep us from experiencing the abundant life that God desires for us.
- 7. **Read Acts 22:3-15**. Sharing our Christian experience (testimony) with others builds our faith and draws others to Christ. Paul, in just a few paragraphs, tells about his life **before** meeting Jesus, **how** he met the Lord, and his life **after** becoming a Christian. See if you can do the same. Choose one area of your life that Christ has changed—the most dramatic, obvious to others, or most appreciated by you. Avoid generalities or vagueness. Be specific. The goal is something you can share with others in about three minutes.

Before I met Christ, I lived, thought, talked, felt, or behaved this way:

I learned about Jesus and accepted Him as my Savior and Lord this way:

Since meeting Jesus, I live, think, talk, feel, or behave this way:

A verse that helps me or has come to mean a lot to me is:

## FAITH IN ACTION

- Memorize Acts 1:8.
- Read John 19-21, keeping your Quiet Time Journal.
- Share your "3-Minute Testimony" with a small group.