

Ten Motivators To Join The Search Party:
#1 - If I want to be like Jesus,MY life mission must includeHIS life mission.  Jesus prayed to the Father: "In the same way that you gave me a mission in the world,  I give them a mission in the world." John 17:18 MSG
#2 - JesusEXPECTS me to continue His mission.  "Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." Matthew 28:19-20 NIV (Also Mark 16:15, Luke 24:47, John 20:21, Acts 1:8)
#3 - Sharing the Good News is myRESPONSIBILITY  "Telling the Good News is my duty - something I must do. And how terrible it will be for me if I do not tell the Good News." 1 Corinthians 9:16 NCV
#4 - Sharing the Good News is aPRIVILEGE  "And God has given us the privilege of urging everyone to come into his favor and be reconciled to him  This is the wonderful message he has given us to tell others. We are Christ's ambassadors."  2 Corinthians 5:18b LB (Also Romans 1:16)
#5 - I'mGRATEFUL for what Jesus has done for me.  "Remember that in the past you were without Christ You had no hope, and you did not know God."  Ephesians 2:12 NCV
#6 - Because people areHOPELESS without Christ.  "Jesus is the <u>only one</u> who can save people. His name is the <u>only power</u> in the world that has been given to save people. We must be saved through him." Acts 4:12 NCV (Also Romans 10:13-14)
#7 - Because God wantsEVERYBODY saved.  "God wants <u>all men</u> to be saved and to come to a knowledge of the truth." 1 Timothy 2:4 NIV (Also 2 Peter 2:9)
#8 - God'sTIMETABLE for history hinges around us completing our mission.  "The Good News about God's kingdom will be preached in <u>all the world</u> , to every nation. <u>Then the end will come</u> ." Matthew 24:14 NCV (Also Acts 1:6-8)
#9 - I willBE GLAD when I see people in Heaven.  "I tell you there is much joy in heaven when one sinner changes his heart." Luke 15:7a ICB
#10 - I willJOIN THE PARTY when I see people in Heaven.  "And when she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I have lost.' Just so, I tell you, there is joy before the angels of God over one sinner who repents." Luke 15:9-10 NIV