How To Keep Laborers In The Harvest Jack Hill and Sam Starkey

I. What is a Laborer?

Matthew 9:36-38

II. What is the Harvest?

Matthew 24:44-46

III. Workshop Definition (Col. Starkey)

"Holding Pattern"

"Stacking"

IV. TYRANNY OF THE URGENT

The URGENT replaces the IMPORTANT

Dawson Trotman:

Emotion is no substitute for Action

Action is no substitution for Production

And production is no substitute for reproduction

also

"The hardest thing to pray for is PEOPLE"

Isaiah 43:4

PUTTING IT INTO ACTION

I. Assess your life

II. Assess your resources

III. Isaiah 6: 8 ("Who will go..? " "Here am l...send me!")

IV. PRAYER - "3 P's, 1 W"

The Power of Networking

Through RELATIONSHIPS:

Illustration: Man to man (Kent and Chris)

Through EVENTS:

Jack and Brad's Mission trips to Russia

I. Tunes evangelism

- II. Finds the "rare birds"
- III. Gets the Christian Community involved

(praying and giving)

IV. Leaders and nationals learn disciple making

A. e.g. : Don B. in Wisconsin

B. e.g. : Sam's jet instructor, Hark D. in Florida

CONCLUSION