

hen Jesus started his preaching

ministry he told people to 'Repent'. This means to turn from sin and turn to God. Jesus' message to us today is the same. He is telling us to turn away from a life of disobedience to God and instead to give our lives to him. We are to trust in Jesus. Only by God's grace can a person's life be turned around. It is his love, power and mercy that make this possible. This turnaround, or conversion, is marked by sorrow for our sin and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ who died for

To be converted and to enter God's Kingdom, we need God's Spirit to work in our heart. He deals with each one differently. We read in the Bible of many people who were converted - some dramatically, some gently, some early in life, one man just before he died. We read of one man who turned back to sin, but was later wonderfully restored.

God wants all people to turn to him and to trust the Saviour Jesus Christ.

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