

# WORK OF GOD



**GO!  
SENT!  
REPENT!**

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# OUT OF DARKNESS THE LIGHT WILL SHINE

- Out of blindness, the work of God will be displayed in the man John 9:3
- The **work of God** is this: **to believe in the One He has sent.**” John 6: 29
- Out of spiritual darkness, do I display my belief in the One sent in my life?
- Warning! **Night is coming!**
- **Display the work of God in me comes from obedience**      Go!      Siloam (Sent!)

## **POOL OF SILOAM**

Who sinned? John 9:2

## **TOWER OF SILOAM**

- Luke 13:1-8
- Is calamity a sign of guilt?
  - Slaughtered Galileans
  - 18 at the Tower
- Unless YOU repent, you too will all perish!



# NIGHT IS COMING!

- We must do the work of Him who sent Me John 9:4
- Night is coming when no one can work
- Where is our urgency?
  
- Parable of Fig tree Luke 13: 6-9
  - Owner gave 3 years
  - Why should it use up the soil?
  - Grace of one more year with nurture
  - No fruits, cut down!
  
- Why is there no urgency even among us Christians?

# SARS: DARKNESS AND BLESSINGS

- The result of SARS is death
- SARS spread through our behaviour
- Change of mindset and behaviour
- No cure
- No doctor and sinseh hopping
- Is it judgmental to say someone has SARS and has to be quarantined? Is the government fanatical?
- Are rights of SARS patients denied for the sake of community?
- The wages of sin is death Ro.6:23
- So does sin
- Repent!
- No cure except The Way, The Truth, The Life John 14:6
- Should the way of salvation be a matter of personal interpretation? Matt.28:18-20; 2 Peter 1:20-21
- Is it wrong to admonish, rebuke, disfellowship in order to prevent sin from spreading? 2Thess.3:6-15
- Righteousness means giving up one's rights to save others

# IN PRAISE OF DEATH

- “..behold, **now** is the accepted time; behold, **now** is the day of salvation” 2 Cor.6: 1
- “Like the thief in the night” 1 Thes2. 4:13-5:11
- **Christians, are we sure we believe in the One sent?**
- The harvest is plentiful of those *in distress, scattered and without shepherd Matt.9:36*
- Are we moved by compassion ?
- or are we moved by schedule, delegation, assignment, planning?

**TODAY IS A GIFT  
THAT IS WHY IT IS CALLED  
THE PRESENT**

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