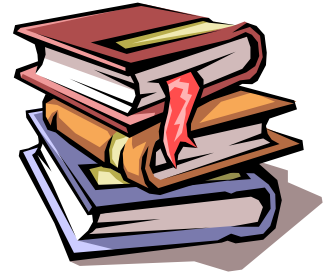

Focus on Commitment

WHAT DO I MISS?



Introduction:

- **Excuses! Excuses!** *In the Shadow of Moses.*
- This lesson is to ENCOURAGE and to TEACH.
- Consider how absenteeism affects **YOU!**

I. YOU MISS FELLOWSHIP WITH GOD AND HIS CHILDREN.

A. *Acts 20:7.*

B. **SOME** do not come because of who is here!

C. **ALL** do not come because they do not love God.

II. YOU MISS AN OPPORTUNITY TO OBEY GOD'S WILL.

A. *Hebrews 10:24-25.*

B. **Jesus attended services** —Matthew 9:35.

C. If we do not attend services, we sin.

III. YOU MISS LEARNING MORE ABOUT GOD'S WILL.

A. *2Timothy 2:15.*



B. Faith is a process...the church can help that process.

C. If we do not attend, we remain ignorant.

IV. YOU MISS THE CHANCE TO HELP OTHERS.

A. *Hebrews 10:24*.

B. You have to be here to exhort others.

C. **Non-attendance** becomes a discouragement.



V. YOU MISS MAKING VALUABLE USE OF YOUR TIME.

A. *Colossians 4:15*.

B. *Time-management* is a biblical concept.

C. Our non-attendance can cost us our souls.



Conclusion:

- ✓ Attendance is readily excused by human standards.
- ✓ Attendance is biblically commanded.
- ✓ Attendance is necessary for the children of God.
- ✓ Attendance helps everyone.
- ✓ Attendance is necessary if we are going to go to Heaven.