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OUR REWARDS IN HEAVEN – PART 3  
THE VICTOR'S CROWN OF REJOICING

The "Crown of Rejoicing" could also be called "the Soul winner's Crown." Psalm 126:5-6 says, ***"They that sow in tears shall reap in joy. He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed (of the gospel), shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him."***

A sheaf is a part of the harvest, and in this case, it speaks of a harvest of souls for the kingdom of heaven. Even the angels in heaven rejoice when a soul is saved. We arrive someday in heaven and we shall rejoice to see our harvest, the souls we have led to Christ. Proverbs 11:30b says, ***"...he that winneth souls is wise."*** Daniel 12:3 says, ***"they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament (the stars), and they that turn many to righteousness (salvation) as the stars for ever and ever."***

How many stars will be in your Crown of Rejoicing? In other words, how many souls have you turned to righteousness through Christ? The "stars" in your Soul Winner's Crown of Rejoicing are counted by how many souls you lead to Jesus.

There is no greater joy for a Christian than to lead a sinner to salvation. That is the greatest fruit you can bear. Great is your eternal reward.

How many people have you led to salvation? If none, or only one or two, pledge to make this new year a time to refocus toward soul winning. Meditate on it. Pray for the boldness and empowerment. Learn scriptures to back it up. It does take both preparation and commitment. You can do it. Yes, you can do it.