



The Most Beautiful Feet:

Suggested Props:

- Have the *Most Beautiful Feet Contest*. At the end of this message is attached a “flyer” we have used to promote *The Most Beautiful Feet Contest* over the years. About 2 to 3 weeks prior to this message we send home this flyer. Students will come with all kinds of feet decorations☺. The point you need to make on the day of the message is NOT what their feet are painted up to be, but rather at the end of the message your “winner” is the person[s] that have figured out what the Bible has to say about beautiful feet...that is...the folks that have brought folks as visitors on that Sunday have understood the precept & they are the designated “winners.” ***Romans 10:15 And how shall they preach, except they be sent? as it is written, How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things!***
- Have on hand different kinds of shoes, boots, & feet coverings to illustrate.

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Introduction:

Feet come in all shapes and sizes. Some are small. Some are big. Some are distorted and twisted. Some are strong. Some are dirty and some clean. What makes beautiful feet? It is not painting your toe nails or putting on ankle bracelets. It’s not even putting on a pair of Lucchese Boots which go for around \$1000 a pair. It all comes down to what the feet are doing that determines what they look like.

God’s definition of beautiful feet is different from ours.

Isaiah 59:7 “Their feet run to evil, and they make haste to shed innocent blood: their thoughts are thoughts of iniquity; wasting and destruction are in their paths.”

Proverbs 1:16 “For their feet run to evil, and make haste to shed blood.”

When God makes a statement we should all take heed.

When God repeats something nearly word for word, we need to pay close attention and purpose to do what He says. These two verses point out that our feet should never run to evil. Instead we should point our feet in the right direction and keep walking that way all our lives.

We are the ones who make the choice regarding which way we walk. ***Proverbs 4: 26-27 “ponder the path of thy feet, and let all thy ways be established. Turn not to the right hand nor to the left: remove thy foot from evil.”***

Message:

Proverbs 1:16 “*For their feet run to evil, and make haste to shed blood.*”

It's obvious that feet that “*run to evil*” are not beautiful. This verse makes me think about street gangs.

The Bible says in ***Matthew 18:8*** “*...if thy foot offend thee...cut it off*” Obviously when you read that verse in context Jesus is making a statement about how extremely important it is to do right in our lives.

God gives you a choice: ***Proverbs 4:27*** “*...remove thy foot from evil.*”

Now contrast those verses to ***Ephesians 6:15*** “*..feet shod with the preparation of the gospel...*” Instead of traveling about on your feet to do evil, you use your feet to go tell others God's good news. If you do then ***Proverbs 3:23*** applies to you: “*...and thy foot shall not stumble.*”

Let's look at one pair of feet that were always walking in the right direction.

- These feet had to make frequent stops because lame people and blind people would fall at His feet. [***Matthew 15:30***]
- These feet were able to walk on water. [***Mark 6:48***]
- These feet belonged to someone who was willing to wash the feet of others. [***John 13:5***]
- These feet walked to Jerusalem even though they knew what was waiting for them. [***Luke 19:28***]
- These feet walked up a hill called Golgotha [***John 19:17***] and had huge nails driven through them.
- Then three days later, these feet walked right out of a borrowed tomb. [***John 19: 41-42***]
- Then disciples saw Him walk into a locked room. [***John 20:19***]
- Later believers experienced Him walking beside them on the road to Emmaus. [***Luke 24: 13-15***]
- The feet of Jesus went down the shore of the Sea of Galilee to encourage his disciples to not give up, but to use their feet to spread the Gospel. [***John 21:4***]
- Then according to ***Acts 1:9*** some of his disciples watched the feet of Jesus step up off the ground and walk on clouds as He ascended to Heaven.

Any day these feet are coming back, and when they do, they will be magnificent to behold. ***Revelation 1:15 & Revelation 2:18*** describe his feet as looking like “*fine brass*”. His feet are described as pillars of fire.

When He sets these glorified feet down upon the earth, mountains will split and crumble. [***Isaiah 64:1***].

These beautiful feet are the most powerful feet to ever walk this earth. These feet are also the most generous and forgiving.

When the feet of Jesus willingly walked up Calvary to hang on a cross, they bought forgiveness for everyone who would accept Jesus as Savior. If you are not saved, you need to use your feet to get up and come to talk about being saved. It is the best trip your feet will ever take.

Present Salvation.

Most Beautiful Feet Contest
Sunday
Cowboy Children's Wrangler Church



Isaiah 52:7 & Romans 10:15 Are clues.
You may earn the award for the Most
Beautiful Feet