

I'm Too Young

Intro:

1. Young people are determining their life long attitudes right now.

Body:

- I. God has always used the young.
 - A. Consider Joseph — Genesis 30-50).
 - B. Consider David — 1 Samuel 16:7-12.
- II. It doesn't take great acts to be great in the eyes of God.
 - A. Barzillai the Gileadite — 2 Samuel 17:27 & 19:31-39.
 - B. The woman who anointed Jesus' feet — Mark 14:3-9.
 - C. Aquila & Priscilla — Acts 18; 1 Cor. 16:19; Rom. 16:3-5.
- III. You have a choice as to how you live your life both now and later.
 - A. God gives man choice —
Gen. 2:16-17; Deut. 30:19; Josh. 24:15.
 - B. It is time to accept responsibility — Eph. 5:15-16.
 1. Personal evangelism — Mk. 16:15.
 2. We are to help others — Galatians 6:2, 10.
 3. Be an example — Matt. 5:14-16.
 - C. Choose to live courageously — Genesis 39:9; Daniel 1:8.
 1. Dare to stand out from the world — Romans 12:2.
 - D. Choose to serve within the body of Christ.
 - E. Redeem the time, take advantage of opportunities.
- IV. The role of parents and the church in instilling the proper attitudes.
 - A. Parents can have a great influence.
 - B. The church can provide opportunity and training.

Conc:

1. Young people may never be the church of tomorrow unless they become active in the church of today.
2. God invites you to begin right now.