

The background is a solid teal color with several white, stylized clouds scattered across it. A thin, dark grey vertical line runs down the center of the image. On the left side of the line, the words "LIVING THE" are written in a bold, red, distressed font. Below this, the word "OLD" is written in a teal, serif font inside a yellow, distressed banner that points to the left. At the bottom, the word "STORY" is written in the same red, distressed font as the first two words.

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A solid red banner with a pointed right end, containing the word "NEW" in a teal, serif font.

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Bringing Salvation

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# Our mission & purpose

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- To make the world a better place for people
- Societal changes and personal opportunities to encounter God.
- Dealing with poverty and oppression.
- Opportunities for community life



# Facing Rejection

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- Joseph - rejected by his brothers.
  - Saved Egypt & his Family & More
- Moses - rejected by the Israelites
  - Saved Israel & More
- Jesus - rejected by people
  - Saves those who trust him and offers it to all
- What rejections do we or will we face?

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# Challenging the powers

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- “Let my people go” Exodus 8.1
- “The spirit of the Lord is on me to ..... set the oppressed free.” Luke 4.18
- “having cancelled the charge of our legal indebtedness, which stood against us and condemned us; he has taken it away, nailing it to the cross. And having disarmed the powers and authorities, he made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them by the cross.” Col 2.14-15

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# Reaching Everyone

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“God wants all people to be saved and come to a knowledge of the truth” Tim 2:4

- We don't discriminate.
  - Different Colours
  - Different Ages
  - Different Social Classes
  - Different Genders
  - Different Politics
  - Different Nationalities
  - Different Cultures
  - Different Religious Backgrounds

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# What do we do?

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- Be a friend
  - Giving time (the best love language IMHO)
  - Being there when it's inconvenient
  - Hospitality
  - Listening without judgement
  - Telling stories – a witness to God's goodness.
  - Evangelism is a dirty word!
  - You don't need the gift of the gab – you need the gift of the heart.

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# So how do we do it?

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- But he said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me. That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong. (2 Cor 12.9-10)
- how much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him! (Luke 11.33b)
- You do not have because you do not ask God (James 4.2b)
- **BE FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT**

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