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any quiz program on the XV today, how small a proportion of our people know anything whatever about the Gospel. American is a heathen country. The field is the world, and God calls upon us to serve Him. Now it may be you have a particular talent that could do work in Oskosh and could never particularly be done there if you con't do it, and God wants you/to in that particular place. That may be. But such cases are rare. In most cases the least important thing is where you work. The important thing is what you do. God wants you to study you talents, your abilities and see what kind of work you can do; what you are best fitted for and He will lead as you go along. But this means then you are in uncertainty. There are many things that are uncertain about it but Paul said. Be understanding what the will of God is. Surely he means that there are certain vital facts about the will of God which every Christian should know. I want to look at some of those today. What are the ti important things that we should understand and as to what the will of God is?

The first of these we find brought out in John 4:34-36. There you read, "Jesus saith unto them, My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish he's work. Say not ye, There are yet four months, and then cometh harvest? behold, I say unto you, Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields: for they are white already to harvest. And he that reapeth reveiveth wares, and gathereth fruit unto life eternal: that both he that soweth and he that reapeth may rejoice together." The first thing we can be sure about the Lord's will is that it is His will that every Christian be one of His harvesters. This is brought out in Mat. 18:11-14. He said: For the Son of man is come to save that which was lost." And vs. 14 he says, "Even so it is not the will of your Father which is in heaven, that one of these little ones should perish." What can we say then? We can say that every Christian that understands what the will of the Lord is knows that it is God's will that he be one who is doing everything he possibly can to reach

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