

of their lives, seeing how I could help them in their problems, that the matters I had been studying went over and over in my mind, and it was hard to switch from study to direct contact and attempt to put the study into practice. At other times I would spend the whole morning in going about, calling on people ~~xx~~ who perhaps could not be reached in the afternoon, trying to serve the Lord in an active way. When the afternoon would come and I would try to put concentrate on my study my mind would be going over the I would find my mind going over the problems that had come before been presented to me as I/talked with people in the ~~xxx~~ morning, and it was hard to concentrate on the study, because I was constantly thinking how I should could help this person, or how I should deal with that problem, ~~xx~~ or what I should have said differently in this particular contact.

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This difficulty of switching gears/~~xx~~ a very real problem to me in those days. In active practice I learned much about overcoming it. Both aspects are necessary, and the ~~effective~~ effective servant of the Lord must learn to switch gears from the practical activity among people to the activity of study, back and forth. Ordinarily we We cannot ~~xxxxxxx~~ ordinarily devote a whole day continuously to one or other in our active service. We must learn to snatch the moments and hours for careful study, and to snatch the time, and to be able to lay the immediate ~~xxx~~ study to one side, and to give full and complete attention to the problem with which we are dealing. Thus most were In Acts we have both press (nc) present(?) activities; we have the active work; we have the study. These men were not yet ready for full active work. The HS° was to empower them on the day of Pentecost. Their Lord was with them, and what a blessing it must have been to hear Him reiterate the teachings He had given in the gospels, and make them more aware of the implication of these teachings, now that the resurrection was not a difficult matter to grasp. but an event a fact that had occurred. He gives the promise, "you will be baptized with the HG° not many days hence." The Lord wants us HS° when we are saved enters into us