**DO GOOD TO ALL**

"Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith." **Galatians 6:10, NKJV**

First and foremost, I want you to realise that it is God who gives opportunities to do good. In that case, the above Scriptural reference can be re-read as, “*Therefore, as God gives us the opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith.”* That is the fundamental assignment GOD gave his children: DO GOOD TO ALL. If you have any reason at all to hold back, it should not be from any member of the household of faith.

I read a story recently. During World War 1, a group of marines stormed enemy-held islands. They were accompanied by a medical practitioner, Lynne Weston. Getting there, it was an awful sight. Horrific casualties were all over the place. Lynne did his best to patch up the wounded combatants for evacuation.

One day, Lynne's unit encountered an enemy soldier with a bad abdominal wound. Considering the magnitude of his injury, he couldn't be given water. More so, so much blood had been lost. Ideally, when you see your enemy wounded, especially in the war front, the first instinct is to inflict more injury to be sure he does not escape death. But Lynne thought differently. To keep the wounded soldier alive, Lynne, a Petty Officer, administered intravenous plasma (i.e., IV Plasma). In the process, one of the marines instructed with firmness: *"Save that plasma for our fellas!"* Mr Weston would not be deterred. He ignored him. He just went ahead. He prioritised saving the life of a wounded soldier above all else. Period.

Now, can you just imagine how many opportunities God has given you and I to do good! How many of them have we utilised? Lynne decided to save the life of his enemy. How many members of the household of faith can testify that you do good to them, let alone those outside of the fold? Brethren, think about it! We are called to DO GOOD TO ALL!