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Two Ways to Start a Great Awakening:

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4 Ways to Prepare the Fields

- **In my _____** – I will make my home a place of peace, forgiveness, and encouragement.
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4 Places to be Jesus' Witnesses

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

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Mission Statement: *Hope for everyone and a home for anyone.*

Five Purposes:

- Glorify God
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- Act like Jesus
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3 Ways I Can Evangelize Now

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3 Ways to Participate

- _____ something I want for someone in need – a habit, a comfort, an expense, time.
- _____ the Membership Classes & start _____.
- _____ the sacrifice, don't resent it.

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