

zled and afraid, but others said that the disciples had been drinking too much wine.

Once Peter had been afraid to say that he belonged to Jesus, but before that great, great throng that filled the streets he was not afraid. He preached a sermon so wonderful that three thousand people that day believed in Jesus and were baptized. He told them of Jesus and how all who loved him could be saved from their sins.

This great meeting was kept up for other days, and many more people came to hear and believe. And when the strangers had to go back to their own countries they carried the story of Jesus with them.

The very last message that Jesus had spoken to his disciples there on the mountain had been this:

"Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."

—Mark 16:15.

If Peter's great sermon had had a text it might have been this:

"Whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

—Acts 2:21.

These two precious texts are the first texts for us to learn in this new year. You cannot go into all the world, but perhaps you can show some little strangers the way to Jesus.

