



# "Sneaker Friendly Service?"

**Scripture:** I Corinthians 9: 22

"I have become all things to all men so that by all possible means, I might save some."

**Dramatic Category: Skit** 

(This is a "vintage commentary." It is performed by two older men, who sit off to the side, like the two old guys on the classic "Muppet Show.")

**Topic:** Seeker-friendly services

**Performance time:** 1 minute

**Number of Players:** 2 older men

**Objective:** 

To introduce the concept of "seeker-friendly"

## **Synopsis:**

This humorous skit features two older men who sit off to the side, preferably elevated in some way, like the two old guys who commented at the end of The Muppet Show in the 80's. They confuse each other with "seeker" terms and set up an introduction to the concept of reaching out in changing times. Place this scene anywhere in the service as an introduction to the concept of "seeker-friendly.

#### Cast:

2 men

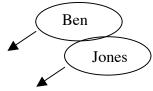
Ben: curious about change and "up" on the terminology

Jones: Ben's friend, who is hard of hearing

**Lights:** Spot light the two men, if possible

## **STAGING NOTE:**

Elevate them at stage left like the Muppet commentators.



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# The Script:

LIGHT: SPOTLIGHT UP

**Ben:** Is this going to be one of those "seeker-friendly" church services?

**Jones:** What's the matter with your sneakers?

**Ben:** Not "sneakers," "seekers"!

**Jones:** What'd you lose?

**Ben:** I didn't lose anything.

**Jones:** Well, no sense in looking for it then.

**Ben:** I'm talking about the church service.

**Jones:** No point in talking about that either; it hasn't started yet.

**Ben:** It has so. This "media hook" was the "call to worship."

**Jones:** I didn't hear any call! TV was up too loud.

**Ben:** You missed it.

**Jones:** Is church over?

**Ben:** No, it's just starting, Shhhh!

LIGHT: THE LIGHT FADES OUT ON BEN AND JONES AND THE SERVICE

CONTINUES.