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What is the **MAIN COMMAND** that all other commands **POINT TO?**

Mateo 28:18-20

And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, **All authority** is given to Me in Heaven and in earth. 19 Therefore **go** and make **disciples** of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 teaching them to **observe** all things, whatever I commanded you. And, behold, I am with you all the days until the end of the world. Amen.

What are the **3 STEPS** to fulfill the **COMMAND?**

Go = bring the gospel to the lost, not the lost to the gospel

Baptize = repentance and remission of sins (Luke 24:46-47)

Teach to obey = training to train, obedience vs. knowledge

How many of you are **ACTIVELY**
making **DISCIPLES?**

THE PROCESS OF GROWTH

- For indeed because of the time, you ought to be teachers, you have need that one teach you again what are the first principles of the oracles of God. And you have become in need of milk, and not of solid food. For everyone partaking of milk is unskillful in the Word of Righteousness, for he is an infant. But solid food belongs to those who are of full age, even those who because of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil. - Hebrews 5:12-14
- I write to you, little children, because your sins are forgiven you for His name's sake. I write to you, fathers, because you have known Him who is from the beginning. I write to you, young men, because you have overcome the evil one. I write to you, little children, because you have known the Father. I write to you, fathers, because you have known Him who is from the beginning. I have written to you, young men, because you are strong, and the Word of God abides in you, and you have overcome the evil one. - 1 John 2:12-14
- And I, brothers, could not speak to you as to spiritual ones, but as to fleshly, as to babes in Christ. I have fed you with milk and not with solid food, for you were not yet able to bear it; nor are you able even now. - 1 Corinthians 3:1-2

✓ They have met God, and their sins have been forgiven (1 Joh 2:12-13)

✓ They need time to grow (Heb 5:12)

✓ They need to learn the basics about how the gospel works (Heb 5:12-6:1)

✓ They need to learn the basics of skills (Heb 5:13; Mr 16:15-20)

✓ They need to learn how to overcome their flesh, they are still battling sin (1 Cor 3:1-2)

Babies



Youngsters



✓ They have overcome Satan (1 Joh 2:13-14)

✓ They are strong (1 Joh 2:14)

✓ They know and obey the Word of God (1 Joh 2:14)

✓ They need to learn to eat solid food through practice and use (Heb 5:14)

✓ They need to deepen their relationship and understanding of God

Fathers

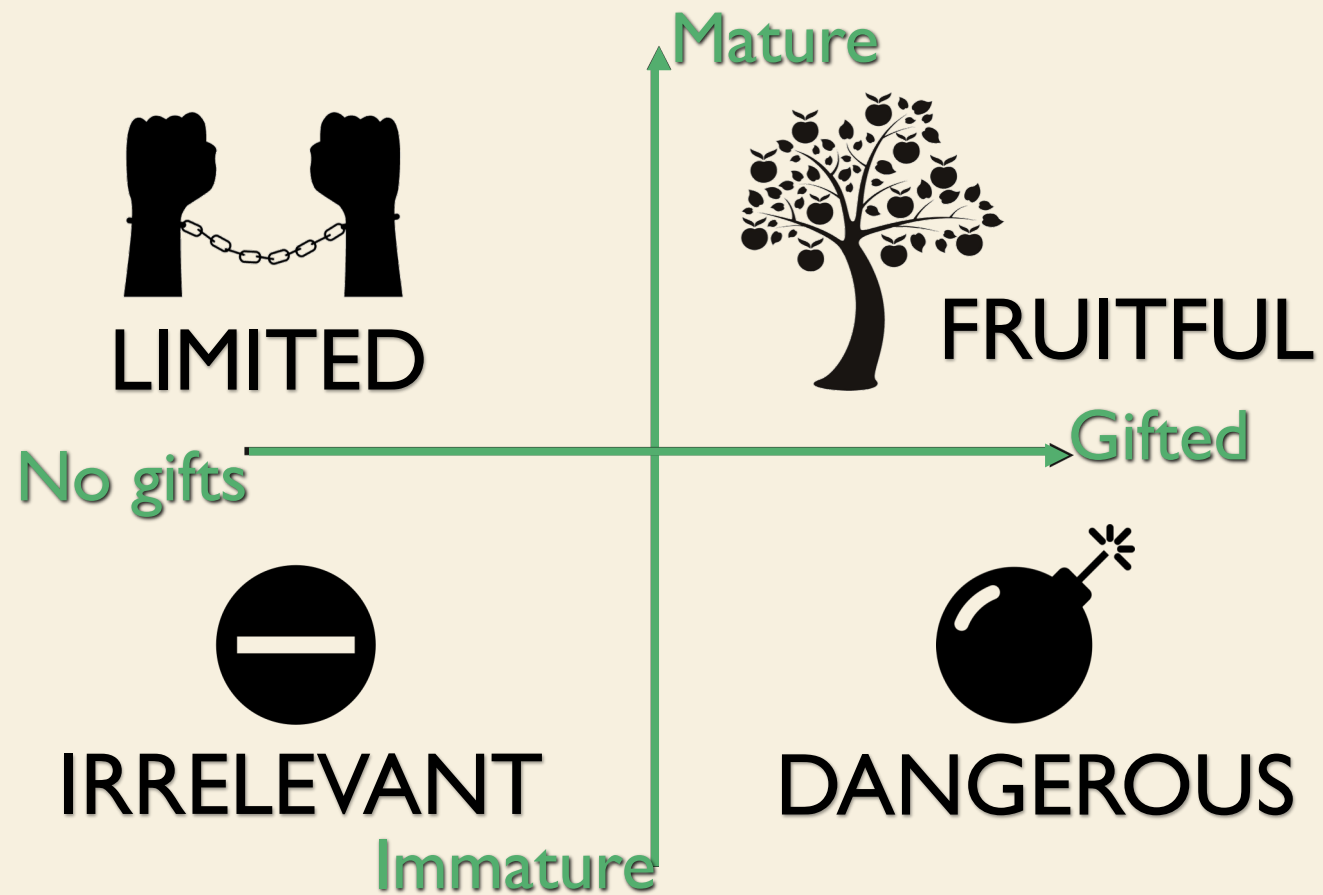


✓ They understand the big picture of the Gospel, they know God more deeply (1 Joh 2:12-14)

✓ They can discern good from evil (Heb 5:14)

✓ They have skills (Heb 5:13; Mr 16:15-20)

✓ THEY NEED TO BE SENT & HAVE THEIR OWN FAMILIES

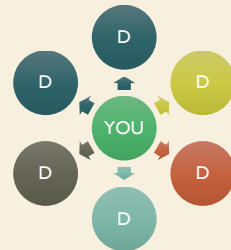


HOW DO WE GET THIS RUNNING

MAKE DISCIPLES

- HOW?
 - Go
 - Baptize
 - Train
- WHY?
 - He has all authority
 - He is with us
- WHERE ARE EVANGELISM AND HEALING THE SICK IN THIS TASK?

MULTIPLICATION

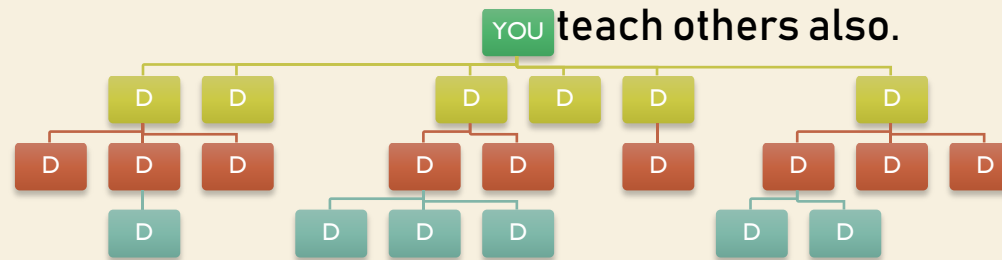


KEY PEOPLE

2 Timoteo 2:2

And the things that you have heard from me among many witnesses, commit the same to faithful men who will be able to

teach others also.



THE CHURCH PRINCIPLES

And they were continuing steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine, and in fellowship and in the breaking of the bread, and in prayers. And fear came on every soul. And many wonders and miracles took place through the apostles. And all who believed were together and had all things common. And they sold their possessions and goods and distributed them to all, according as anyone had need. And continuing with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they shared food with gladness and simplicity of heart, praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved. - Acts 2:42-47

Then how is it, brothers? When you come together, each one of you has a psalm, has a teaching, has a tongue, has a revelation, has an interpretation. Let all things be for building up. - 1 Corinthians 14:26

let us draw near with a true heart in fulness of faith, [...], let us hold fast the confession of our hope [...] and let us consider one another to provoke unto love and good works; not forsaking our own assembling together, as the custom of some is, but exhorting one another; and so much the more, as ye see the day drawing nigh. - Hebrews 10:22-25

THE CHURCH PRINCIPLES

Acts 2:42-47 (Jerusalem)

- Teaching
- Fellowship
- The Lord's supper
- Prayer
- Miracles and wonders
- Effect on the outsiders
- Financial needs were covered
- Fruit of the spirit
- Growth in numbers

1 Corinthians 14:26 (Greece)

- Frequency
- Active participation of everyone
- Praise
- Teaching
- Gifts of the spirit
- For edification of the saints

Hebrews 10:22-25 (Rome)

- Stimulate to love and good works
- Exhort one another, specially in times of trial
- ✓ Instruction
- ✓ Fellowship with one another
- ✓ Fellowship with God
- ✓ Edification and spiritual growth
- ✓ Focus on the outside
- ✓ Multiplication

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LOOK BACK

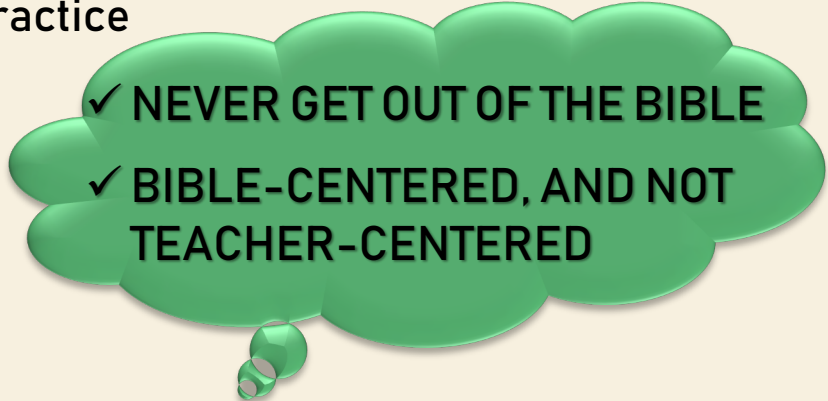
- How are you?
 - Relationship with God
 - Application of new understanding
- Challenges and Thankful testimonies
- Pray for one another
- Exercise the gifts
- Worship & Lord's supper

LOOK UP

- Portion(s) of scripture
- Pre-read or read at the moment
 - Re-tell in own words?
- According to the needs of the group
- Reflexive questions

LOOK FORWARD

- What will you do with what you learned
- Important to put things learned into practice



✓ NEVER GET OUT OF THE BIBLE
✓ BIBLE-CENTERED, AND NOT
TEACHER-CENTERED