



The Mandate of Soul Winning

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

Matthew 28:19-20

The Great Commission

The mandate of soul winning given to every believer can be found in Matthew 28:19-20 which is referred to as the great commission. This refers to the charge given by the resurrected Christ to His disciples and by extension all believers to be intentional about leading the lost to faith in Jesus Christ which results in their salvation and eternal life. The process involves sharing the gospel through evangelism and discipling the new converts for their grounding in the faith.

And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age” ... **Matthew 28:18-20**

The Great Commission

- The authority of Jesus Christ
- The mandate starts with soul winning and continuous with discipleship
- The baptism of all who believe
- The teaching unto obedience
- The promise of Christ's presence

And he said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned... **Mark 16:15-16**

The place of the Triune God...

God the Father...

- This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.
1Tim2:3-4
- No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws him. And I will raise him up on the last day. **John6:44**

God the Son...

- Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.
John14:6
- Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.
1John5:12

God the Holy Spirit...

- In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit.
Ephesians1:13
- But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”
Acts 1:8

The Gospel...

Also referred to as the good news, the Gospel is the translation of the Greek word Euangelion. The Gospel is the message of salvation through Jesus Christ, encompassing His life, death, resurrection, and the promise of eternal life for believers. In proclamation, it emphasizes the sinful nature of man and the need to repent and believe in Jesus Christ so as to obtain forgiveness and walk in the finished work of Christ unto salvation by faith.

- For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek... **Romans 1:16**
- For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. **Ephesians 2:8-9**

The Gospel...

1. And I, when I came to you, brothers, did not come proclaiming to you the testimony of God with lofty speech or wisdom. 2. For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified. 3. And I was with you in weakness and in fear and much trembling, 4. and my speech and my message were not in plausible words of wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power, 5. so that your faith might not rest in the wisdom of men but in the power of God... **1Cor2:1-5**

- **Romans 3:23** – Recognition of our Sinful nature through Adam
- **Romans 6:23** – The penalty of Sin in this life and in eternity
- **Romans 5:8** – The provision of salvation through Christ and by Him alone
- **Romans 10:9** – The process of salvation by believing and confession in faith
- **Romans 12:1-2** – Growth in our walk with the Lord

Start now...

- How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? **Rom10:14**
 - 8.08 billion people alive in the world today, 3.42 billion of them live in unreached people groups with little or no access to the Gospel of Jesus Christ – **Joshua Project**
 - And those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky above; and those who turn many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever... **Daniel 12:3**
- Family members
 - Friends
 - Neighbors
 - Colleagues at work
 - Classmates
 - Acquaintances
 - Teachers
 - Bosses
 - Enemies
 - etc.

Start now...

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