

#### The Great Commission

# Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations... Matthew 28:19a

## **Does Missions Matter?**

## **Do Our Missions Matter?**

#### The Example of Jesus

Jesus says, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, Even so I am sending you." John 20:21

### John 1:14

"And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth."

How the Word becomes flesh
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### And the Word became flesh

#### John 14:16-17

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you.

## How the Word

### **becomes flesh**

#### I Thessalonians 5:18

## In everything give thanks, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.



## and dwelt among us,

#### The Example of Jesus

- Jesus took notice of people
  - Jesus took time to listen to their hearts
  - He spent time with people other religious leaders avoided

## What it means to <u>dwell</u>



## and we have seen his glory,

#### John 5:19a

So Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, the Son can do nothing of his own accord, but only what he sees the Father doing.

### John 8:28

So Jesus said to them, "When you have lifted up the Son of Man, then you will know that I am he, and that I do nothing on my own authority, but speak just as the Father taught me.

### How we reveal

## God's glory









#### "Let My Word be lived out in your flesh.

Dwell among those to whom I have sent you.

When they notice the difference, point them to Me."