



GROWING



But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and for ever. Amen.

II Peter 3:18

Need of the Nations



Harvest
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Sunday 6:00pm
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III. “**Baptizing** them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost:”

-We need to help _____ followers take the _____ step in their _____ relationship with _____.

IV. “**Teaching** them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you.”

- When a person _____ the _____ of _____ life and be comes a _____ of God, this is only the _____.

- We have a _____ to teach new _____ the _____.

The Seriousness of Our Task

Fill in the blanks for Ezek 3:18

When I say unto the _____, Thou shalt surely _____; and _____ givest him not _____, nor speakest to _____ the wicked from his wicked way, to _____ his life; the same wicked man shall _____ in his _____; but his _____ will I require at _____ hand.

Read Acts 20:20-27

- It should be the _____ of every _____ to be able to _____, as did _____, “I am _____ from the _____ of all _____.”

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Introduction

Many times it is the last things we say that are the most important. Do you remember the first time that your parents left you at home by yourself? What is the last thing they said before leaving? Maybe they told you who to contact in case of an emergency, or how to deal with certain situations that might come up. Maybe they told you they loved you, or perhaps they reassured you that they would be back soon. Whatever it was that they said, your parents wanted you to remember that information the most, that's why they chose to say it last.

For this weeks lesson I would like to you travel back in time with me to the year AD 33. As we race across the Judean countryside we fly over rivers and streams, hills and valleys, journeying toward our destination, a small rise in elevation situated on the east side of Jerusalem. . .the Mount of Olives. There stands a man speaking to a small crowd that has assembled there. As he begins to gesture with his hands we realize that this is no ordinary man, for his hands bear the scars of nails in them. It is Jesus! He has been to the cross and paid the penalty for our sin. He has



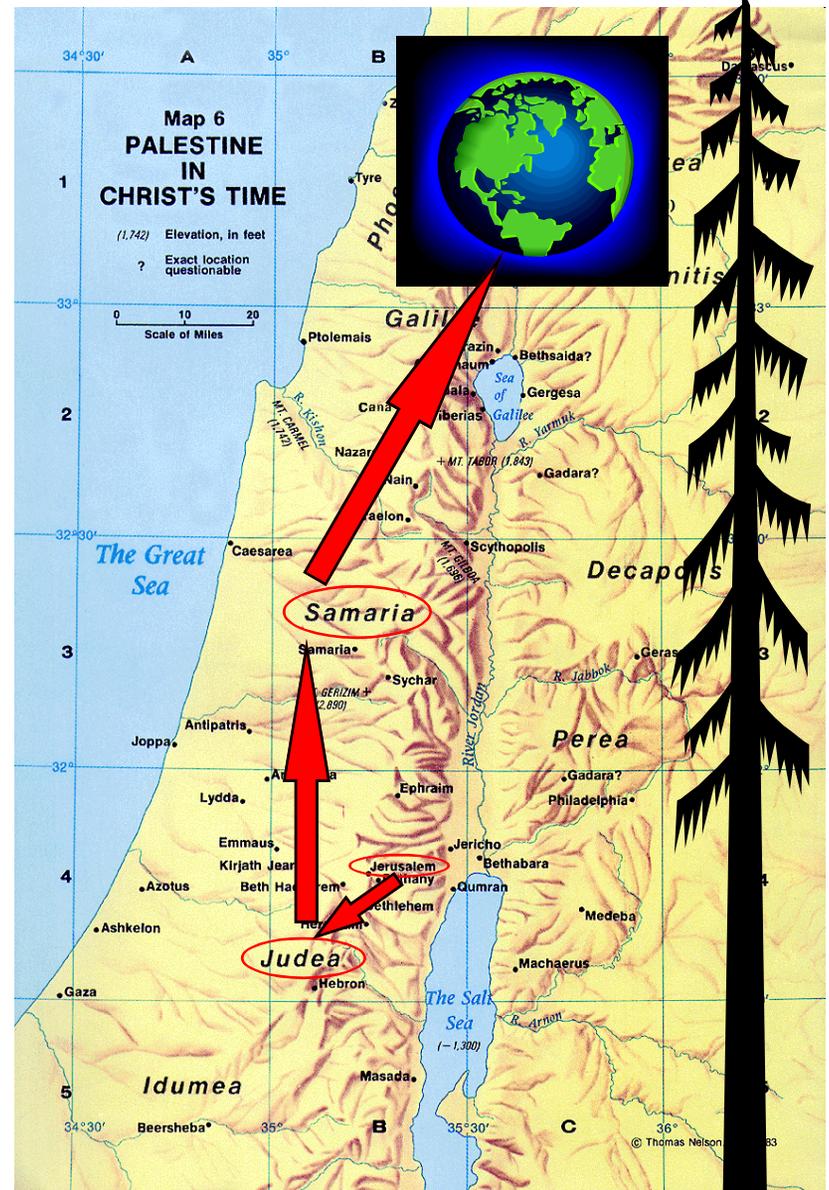


triumphed over the grave and now is about to ascend into heaven. Jesus is getting ready to say the last thing that He will say to His disciples while on earth. What topic is so important to Jesus that He will make it His last instruction to His followers. With compassion in his eyes He looks at His disciples and says:

“All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen.”

The scope of this task is to go to all nations showing them how they can become followers of Christ. However, we cannot stop here, we must also help them take the first step in their relationship with God. . . baptism. Then we must go even further and teach them all of God's word.

The seriousness of this task is the reality that if we don't warn people that there is a judgment for sin, God says their blood will be on our hands. This is a tremendous task that God has entrusted to us, but He has also provided a tremendous resource, for Jesus has promised, “Lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world.”



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Lesson Six



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- Matthew 28:19,20

But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

- Acts 1:8

The Scope of Our Task

I. "Go ye therefore"

- Jerusalem—_____
- Judea—_____
- Samaria—_____
- Uttermost part of the earth—_____

II. "Teach all nations"

- The Greek word translated here as "teach" has the idea of "_____ or _____"
- Jesus is telling us to _____ and help _____ of every _____ become His _____.

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Daily Bible Readings



Memory Verse

Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:

- Matthew 28:19

Day 36

Read Romans 10:8-17

According to verse 13, who can call on the name of the Lord and be saved? _____

Fill in the blanks for Romans 10:14

_____ then shall they _____ on him in whom they have _____ believed? and _____ shall they _____ in him of whom they have _____ heard? and _____ shall they hear _____ a preacher?

How do you think the people that you know who are lost will come to know Christ? _____

Day 37

Read Matthew 5:13-16

What two things does Jesus compare believers to in this passage?

- Ye are the _____ of the earth.
- Ye are the _____ of the world.



Fill in the blanks for Matthew 5:16
 Let your _____ so _____ before men,
 that _____ may _____ your good
 _____, and _____ your Father
 which is in heaven.

Day 38

Read Acts 1:3-11

Fill in the blanks for Acts 1:8

But ye shall receive _____, after that the
 Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be
 _____ unto _____ both in
 _____, and in all
 _____, and in _____, and
 unto the _____ part of the
 _____.

Day 39

Read II Peter 3:9-14

According to II Peter 3:9, how many people
 does God want to perish? _____

How do you think these people will hear of the
 gift of eternal life that God offers to them?

Day 40

Read Matthew 28:16-20

According to verse 19, how are the teachings of
 Christ (the gospel) suppose to be spread? (circle
 one)

- A. Believers go with the message to all nations.
- B. All nations come to the church to hear.

Day 41

Read II Corinthians 5:14-20

Fill in the blanks for II Corinthians 5:20
 (the word "beseech" means "to beg, or plead
 with")

Now then we are _____ for
 _____, as though _____ did be-
 seech you by _____: we pray you in Christ's
 _____, be ye reconciled to _____.

According to II Corinthians 5:20 what represen-
 tative office do believers hold for Christ?

Day 42

Read John 3:14-21

According to John 3:15 who can have eternal
 life?

Fill in the blanks for John 3:16

For _____ so _____ the _____,
 that he _____ his only begotten _____,
 that _____ believeth in _____
 should not _____, but have
 _____ life.

Write down the names of some people you know
 who have not yet received God's gift of eternal
 life _____

