

All In 3

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Evangelism is the primary mission of the church and every Christian.

At the end of the day, every person alive on planet earth will go to either heaven or hell.

Approximately 4,000 people will die during the length of my message.

WHERE WILL THEY SPEND ETERNITY?

Paul's Passion

Romans 9:1-3 - At the same time, you need to know that I carry with me at all times a huge sorrow. It's an enormous pain deep within me, and I'm never free of it. I'm not exaggerating—Christ and the Holy Spirit are my witnesses. It's the Israelites...If there were any way I could be cursed or cut off by the Christ, so they could be blessed by him, I'd do it in a minute. They're my family.

The objective of football isn't to arrange the locker room or to discuss strategies, but to score points and WIN.

Fantasy football is fun, but to the men playing the "real game" it isn't relevant.

The church plays "fantasy church," where we keep score about things that really don't matter.

The church should be a hospital for those sick and wounded by life, not a fortress for the members.

Winning people to Christ and then growing those people up spiritually is the mission of the Church.

The Book of Acts – 30 Years

Peter Preaching

Acts 2:41 - Then those who gladly received his word were baptized; and that day about *three thousand souls were added to them*.

Peter and John Preaching

Acts 4:4 - However, many of those who heard the word believed; and the number of the men came to be about *five thousand*.

Apostles Ministry

Acts 5:14 - And *believers were increasingly added to the Lord*, multitudes of both men and women,

Church Dispute

Acts 6:7 - Then the word of God spread, and *the number of the disciples multiplied* greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests were obedient to the faith.

Samaria Receives the Gospel

Acts 8:6 - And the *multitudes with one accord heeded the things spoken by Philip*, hearing and seeing the miracles which he did.

Status Reports

Acts 9:31 - Then the churches throughout all Judea, Galilee, and Samaria had peace and were encouraged. And walking in the fear of the Lord and in the comfort of the Holy Spirit, ***they were multiplied.***

It isn't enough to have those in the church experiencing peace, encouragement, walking in the fear of the Lord and the comfort of the Holy Spirit; it isn't complete unless we are **MULTIPLYING!**

Acts 11:21,24 - **21** And the hand of the Lord was with them, and ***a great number believed and turned to the Lord.*** **24** For he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And ***a great many people were added to the Lord.***

Paul and Barnabas in the Temple

Acts 14:1 - Now it happened in Iconium that they went together to the synagogue of the Jews, and so spoke that a ***great multitude both of the Jews and of the Greeks believed.***

Paul in Thessalonica

Acts 17:4 - And some of them were persuaded; ***and a great multitude of the devout Greeks, and not a few of the leading women, joined Paul and Silas.***

The Gospel Must Be Relevant – Mars Hill

Acts 17:28 - For in Him we live and move and have our being, ***as also some of your own poets have said,*** 'For we are also His offspring.'

Paul in Ephesus

Acts 19:1-7 – Ephesians started with 12 and had 25,000 in under 4 years.

3,000, 5,000, multiplied, multitudes – this is what the church should look like!