
A Vision of the End

Revelation 7:9 After this I looked and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count,

...from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and in front of the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands.

¹⁰ And they cried out in a loud voice: "Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb."

Getting Engaged in Missions:

Write notes to missionary?

Support missionary?

Go on a mission trip?

Pray for missionaries?

Be alert in your daily life to people who are from another land? Befriend them. Care for them. Ask God to give you opportunities to share the hope you have.

Team up with someone else in church to be engaged in missions.

The Global Church

Multiply—Week 6

June 30, 2013

Exodus 20:3 "You shall have no other gods before me. ⁴ "You shall not make for yourself an idol in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below. ⁵ You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, punishing the children for the sin of the fathers to the third and fourth generation of those who hate me, ⁶ but showing love to a thousand [generations] of those who love me and keep my commandments.

Matt. 28:19-20 "As you are going make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching to obey everything I have commanded. And lo, I am with you to the close of the age."

The Central Struggle of History

Genesis 3:15 "And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel."

The Church's Temptation

Isaiah 49:6 He says: "It is too small a thing for you to be my servant to restore the tribes of Jacob and bring back those of Israel I have kept. I will also make you a light for
■ *the Gentiles, that you may bring my salvation to the ends of the earth."*

Romans 15:20 ... thus making it my ambition to preach the gospel, not where Christ has already been named, lest I
■ *build on another man's foundation,²¹ but as it is written,*
"They shall see who have never been told of him, and they shall understand who have never heard of him."

■ *Isaiah 52:7 How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good tidings, who publishes peace, who brings good tidings of good, who publishes salvation, who says to Zion, "Your God reigns."*

■ *Romans 10:13 For, "everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord will be saved."¹⁴ But how are men to call upon 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 a preacher?¹⁵ And how can men preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach good news!"*

Before the End Will Come

Matthew 24:14 And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all nations, and
■ *then the end will come.*

Are We Willing?

■ *Mark 8:34 And he called to him the crowd with his disciples and said to them, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me."*

³⁵ *For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and the gospel's will save it.*

³⁶ *For what does it profit a man to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?*

■ ³⁸ *For whoever is ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of him will the Son of Man also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels."*
