

The Great Precondition

July 28, 2024

Go and make disciples *of all nations* ... **Matthew 28:19**

God blessed them and said to them, "Be fruitful and increase in number; *fill the earth* and subdue it." **Genesis 1:28**

He took him outside and said, "Look up at the heavens and *count the stars*—if indeed you *can count them*." Then he said to him, "*So shall your offspring be*." **Genesis 15:5**

You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.

Acts 1:8

Those God foreknew he also predestined *to be conformed to the likeness of his Son*. **Romans 8:29**

We will no longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and craftiness of men in their deceitful scheming.

Ephesians 4:14

The one who received the seed that fell on rocky places is the man who hears the word and at once receives it with joy. But since he has no root, he *lasts only a short time*. When trouble or persecution comes because of the word, he *quickly falls away*. **Matthew 13:20-21**

"What you are doing is *not good*. You and these people who come to you will only *wear yourselves out*. The work is *too heavy for you*; you cannot handle it alone." **Exodus 18:17-18**

The things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses *entrust to faithful men* who will also be *qualified* to *teach others*. **2 Timothy 2:2**

Once the bamboo starts growing above the ground, it can continue to thrive and reach its full height rapidly, *thanks to the robust root system that provides the necessary nutrients and stability.*

Go into ALL THE WORLD and preach the good news TO ALL CREATION. Mark 16:15

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Now to him who is able to do *IMMEASURABLY MORE* than *ALL WE CAN ASK OR IMAGINE*, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus *THROUGHOUT ALL GENERATIONS*, for ever and ever! Amen. **Ephesians 3:20-21**