**The Great Commission**

1. **The Marching Orders Come from Jesus**

**And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and earth has been given to Me” (v. 18).**

1. **The mandate of the Great Commission flows from His authority.**
2. **The Meaning of His Authority in our Lives.**

**“If you confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.”**

1. **The Mission is to Make Disciples**

**Jesus, undeterred, went right ahead and gave his charge: “God authorized and commanded me to commission you: Go out and train everyone you meet, far and near, in this way of life, marking them by baptism in the threefold name: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Then instruct them in the practice of all I have commanded** **you. I’ll be with you as you do this, day after day after day, right up to the end of the age” (The Message)**

1. **There’s the Going Out (GO!)**
2. **There’s the Bringing In (Baptizing)**
3. **There’s the Changing Over (Teaching them to Obey)**

**How does this process of change begin?**

1. **Seeking**

**“For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.” (Luke 19:10)**

1. **Believing**
2. **Growing**
3. **Multiplying**
4. **The Metrics Lead Us from 1 to 7.2 Billion People**
5. **The Individual Metric**

**And then he told them, “Go into all the world and preach the Good News to everyone” Mark 16:15 (NLT).**

1. **The Ethnical Metric**

**“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations” (Matt 28:19).**

**And said to them, “Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem” (Luke 24:46-47).**

1. **The Geographical Metric**

**“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth” Acts 1:8.**

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