The Disciple Makers

Matthew 28:18-20

The Great Commission • <u>TOP</u> Priority • True disciples will... - MODEL – 1 Cor. 11:1 - MENTOR – 2 Tim. 2:25 - MULTIPLY – 2 Tim 2:2

We must all <u>REALIZE</u>...

- realize = to become fully aware
- When it comes to the priority of God, most believers are <u>oblivious</u> to the obvious!

We need a <u>REVELATION</u>

- Paul Acts 9
 - Galatians 1:11-20
- - Ephesians 1:17
- John the Revelator Rev. 1:10

 We must realize we must be...
2. <u>SYNTHESIZED</u> – combining of different elements into a coherent whole

- Jesus said "*I will build My <u>church</u> …*"
- Church *"eklesia" the called out ones*
- Revelation 5:9

New Testament Illustrations • The BODY – 1 Cor. 12, Eph. 1;22,23 - Eph. 2:16 & 4:16 • The BUILDING – Eph. 2:19-22 • The CITIZENRY – Eph. 2:19 • The FAMILY – Eph. 2:19 & Eph. 5

This is called **TEAMWORK** Our IDENTITIES are best realized within the whole. - 1 Cor. 12 Our ABILITIES are best realized within the whole. - 1 Cor. 12

 Our CAPACITIES are multiplied through the collective combining into the whole. - John 21:7,8

Biblical Binding Agents • The Shedding of Blood – Eph. 1:7 • The Empty Tomb – Eph. 2:5,6 • The Eternal Purpose – Eph. 3:8-12 • The Baptism in the Holy Spirit – 4:3 • The Gifting's of Others – Eph. 4:1-16 • The Common Enemy – Eph. 6:10-12

The BIG Idea...

The Great Commission will never be fully realized until the Body of Christ becomes fully SYNTHESIZED.