

Made for a Mission

Series: Why on earth am I here? Studying *The Purpose-Driven Life*

A. 3 different ways to consider the term, "mission"

1. Mission = purpose

- Your mission describes _____ you exist; it is what you are supposed to be doing

2. For many people, mission refers to "_____ ministry" which is the way we engage in social service and social change

a. social service = taking care of the individual needs of people in our world who are broken and hurting

b. social Change = trying to solve the root problem that causes people to be broken and hurting in the first place

3. When Warren says "you were made for a mission," he is referring to the Great _____ of Jesus to go into all the world and share our faith in

"evangelism"

a. eu – angellion, evangelism = telling the Good _____ of God

b. If something *really* made a difference in your life, you would tell other people, especially the people you care most about

c. evangelism is not some forced regurgitation of scripture verses to compel others to accept Jesus who wouldn't otherwise do such a thing; instead, evangelism is simply a natural by-product of sharing something that is fundamentally _____ to you, your faith

B. I would *not* say evangelism is the 5th purpose of our lives as Warren does, rather I would say evangelism is a *part of* the 5th purpose of our lives; and this 5th purpose, in my opinion, is what many scholars call "kerygma"

a. "kerygma" which is a original Greek word that refers to the _____ or message or proclamation of our lives

b. Jesus said: "A city on a hill cannot be hidden."

- "you are the light of the world"

c. This final purpose of our lives = to leave the strongest, most defined, sharp, and radiant light for Christ possible

d. It's the idea that, your faith in God through Christ has made such a profound difference for you, that you literally become a _____ to the world, warming up everyone you touch, and helping others to experience the love and grace of God in everyday life

OTHE NOTES:

1. why 2. prophetic 3. Commission a. Message c. important a. witness d. light