



SOUL WINNING

The Master Plan of Evangelism
Part II



What is Soul Winning?

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Leading a person to become a follower of Christ

Who stands on their own firm

Foundation of relationship and service.

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By this definition, soul winning is NOT

QUICK

EASY

BASED ON A FORMULA

What is Soul Winning?

soul winning **IS**

DYNAMIC
TIME CONSUMING
EMOTIONAL

Soul winning might not be initiated or completed by one person.



SELECTION

HE CHOSE FROM THEM TWELVE *Luke 6:13*



ASSOCIATION

LO, I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS *Matthew 28:20*



CONSECRATION

TAKE MY YOLK UPON YOU *Matthew 11:29*



IMPARTATION

RECEIVE YE THE HOLY SPIRIT *John 20:22*



DEMONSTRATION

I HAVE GIVEN YOU AN EXAMPLE *John 13:15*

Jesus showed them how to live.

He knew what was important.

The Practice of Prayer

20 times the gospels call attention to
Jesus' practice of prayer (*Billy Huey*)



The Knowledge and Use of Scripture

Your only authority comes from the Word of God. It's not what *you* say that matters. It's what the Word of God says that matters.

Supremely Soul Winning

What the disciples saw was that practically everything Jesus said and did had some relevance to their work of evangelism.

Teaching Naturally / Class Always in Session

Evangelism was lived before them in spirit and in technique.

The Principle in Focus

Jesus' life was an object lesson. No one has ever been asked to do anything for the gospel which he has not demonstrated in His own life. It is fine to tell folks what we mean, but it is infinitely better to show them how to do it.

The Principle Applied Today

Knowledge versus application.

Jesus did not call you to give your leftovers.

He called you to give your best.

It's a disciplined life He called you to live.



DELEGATION

I WILL MAKE YOU FISHERS OF MEN *Matthew 4:19*

Jesus sent them...

Everything Jesus did with his disciples was preparing them for the time when they would take over the work of spreading the gospel.

He didn't send them out on day one

Jesus will not send you before you are ready.

1. He reaffirmed their purpose.

¹ Then he called his twelve disciples together, and gave them power and authority over all devils, and to cure diseases. ² And he sent them to preach the kingdom of God, and to heal the sick.

Luke 9:1-2

2. He sent them out in twos.

⁷ And he called unto him the twelve, and began to send them forth by two and two; and gave them power over unclean spirits;

Mark 6:7

3. He told them who to go to first.

⁵ These twelve Jesus sent forth, and commanded them, saying, Go not into the way of the Gentiles, and into any city of the Samaritans enter ye not: ⁶ But go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.

Matthew 10:5-6

4. He told them God would supply their needs.

*⁸ Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils:
freely ye have received, freely give.*

Matthew 10:8

6. He told them not to bring stuff.

⁹ Provide neither gold, nor silver, nor brass in your purses, ¹⁰ Nor scrip for your journey, neither two coats, neither shoes, nor yet staves: for the workman is worthy of his meat.

Matthew 10:9-10

7. He told them to expect hardship.

*¹⁷ But beware of men: for they will deliver you up to the councils,
and they will scourge you in their synagogues;*

Matthew 10:17



SUPERVISION

DO YE NOT YET PERCIEVE *Mark 8:17*

Jesus followed up on His disciples

- His teaching rotated between instruction and assignment.
- Jesus rejoiced at their success

Continuous Review and Application

- Jesus reviewed an experience the disciple had. He would bring out a practical application of it to their lives.
 - The afflicted boy
 - The day I almost quit locksmithing

Jesus was patient even with their failure

- Hypocrites and learning to walk

Lessons on Patience | Mark 9:38-50

- Attitude towards others.
- Catholic Church | Blowing out candles

You have to inspect what you expect!

The principle observed:

- Jesus' plan of teaching, by example, assignment, and constant check-up was calculated to bring out the best in them
- Jesus told them when He was leaving that The Holy Spirit would not only be **with** them but be **in** them teaching and instructing them.

The Principle Applied today:

- No less patient, yet determined supervision is needed today among those who are seeking to train others for evangelism.
- The Holy Spirit is still here to teach us and instruct us today.

Keep the vision clear:

- World conquest is the goal.
 - Not building up a local church.
 - Not start a college.
 - Not a little effort, but our best

We have not been called to hold the fort, but to storm the heights!



REPRODUCTION

GO AND BRING FORTH FRUIT *John 15:16*

We reproduce what Jesus showed us...

⁴⁰ Students are not greater than their teacher.

But the student who is fully trained will become like the teacher.

Luke 6:40 NLT

¹⁸ As thou hast sent me into the world, even so have I also sent them into the world. ¹⁹ And for their sakes I sanctify myself, that they also might be sanctified through the truth. ²⁰ Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word;

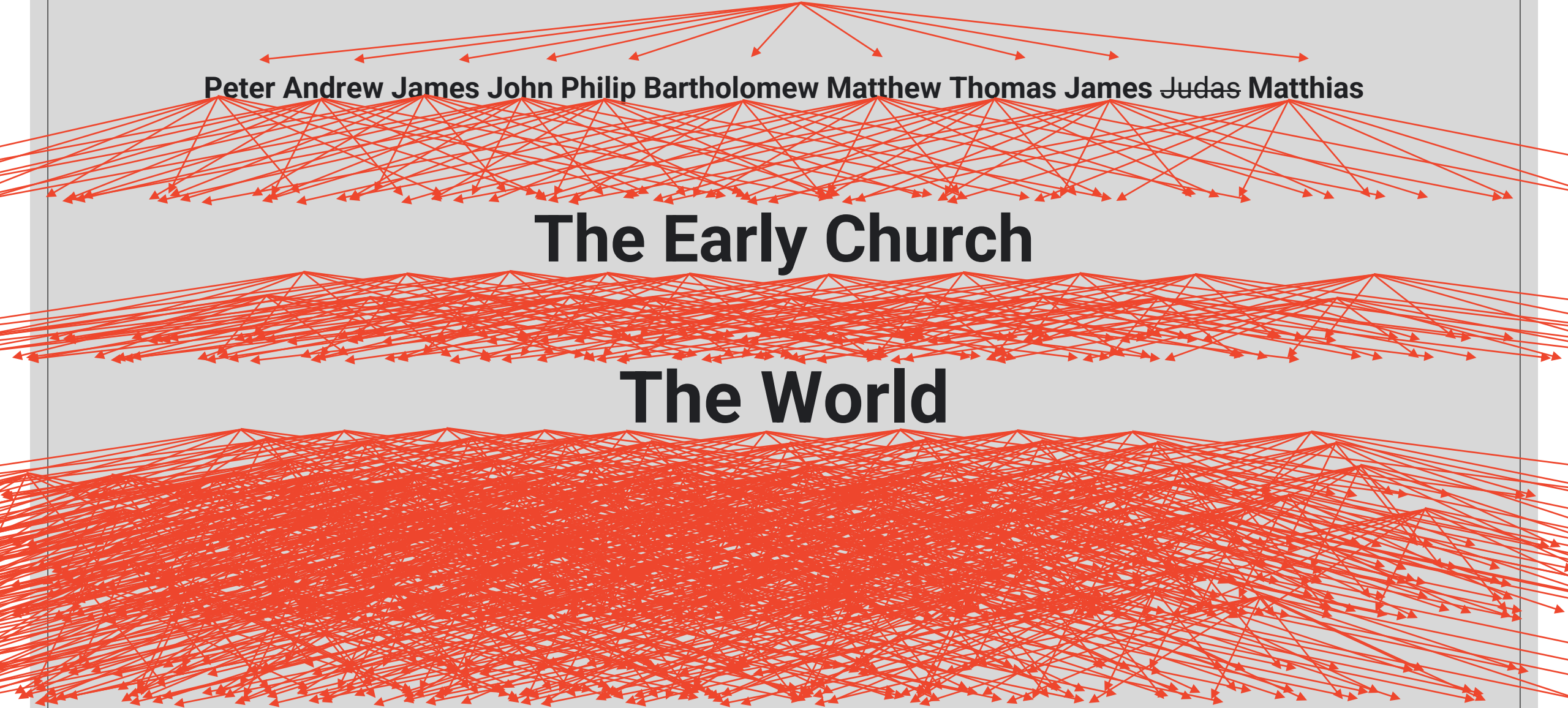
John 17:18-20

Jesus

Peter Andrew James John Philip Bartholomew Matthew Thomas James Judas Matthias

The Early Church

The World



The Great Commission

¹⁹ Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.

Matthew 28:19 NLT

**The disciples were to “make” people like themselves...
who themselves were like Jesus...
who made them.**

Success isn't in how many people follow you.

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Evaluate yourself...

**Are those who have followed us to
Christ now leading others to him and
teaching them to make disciple like
ourselves?**