

Do You Have A Personal Global Impact Plan?

“ *In their hearts humans plan their course,
but the Lord establishes their steps.* ”
Proverbs 14:22

Most of us have all types of plans. We have a vacation plan. We have a savings plan. We have a family plan. We have a business plan. We have an investment plan. We have a diet plan (that typically doesn't last very long). We have an exercise plan. We have a retirement plan.

Question: Do you have a personal global impact plan?

Six reasons you should have a personal global impact plan

Purpose: You will live with Purpose

The reason Jesus saved you and has left you on this earth, is so you can tell others how to be saved, so they can go to heaven. This is your purpose while on earth. Earth is not your home. You are just passing through. Jesus gave you his final instructions before he ascended into heaven. They are called the 5 Great Commissions. These are not just for pastors or missionaries. If you are a Christian, these are your final marching orders from Jesus himself. In case you have never read them, here they are:

Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.
Matthew 28:19-20

Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all nations.
Mark 16:15

And repentance for the forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.

Luke 24:47-48

As the Father has sent me, I am sending you.

John 20:21

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.

Acts 1:8

The Great Commissions can be summarized in this way: “You—go to everyone—everywhere and tell them about Jesus so they can be saved and go to heaven.”

You and I are called to go to every person on this planet; every nation and people group and tell them about Jesus. How can you and I do that? How can we tell people in China, India, Africa about Jesus? I humbly share with you this is the reason the Lord led me to start 360Serve.

360Serve does not exist so you can help 360Serve impact the world in amazing ways. 360Serve exists to help YOU impact the world in amazing ways. We have helped dozens of people develop a personal global impact plan so they can live with purpose.

Impact: You will live with Impact

What difference has your life made so far? How many people will go to heaven because of you? Here is the question I ask myself. “How many people will go to heaven because I walked the earth?”

We have helped dozens of people live a life of unbelievable spiritual impact. We have helped a single parent develop a global impact plan to where she sees well over 500 people every year come to know Jesus as Savior and Lord. We have helped a young man develop a global impact plan to where he is building an entire

church in Bangladesh that is now seeing hundreds come to Christ, and over the years, thousands more will come to Christ. We are helping a senior citizen be the first person in Christian history to bring the first printing of the New Testament to an unreached people group. How many hundreds will come to Jesus because they will be able to read the Bible in their own language for the first time? Do you want your life on earth to matter? Develop a global impact plan.

Joy: You will live with Joy

How's life treating you? Life can be difficult. Jesus said, "In this world you will have trouble." Trouble comes to us from all sorts of directions. But, if you have a global impact plan, your life can be falling apart, but there is another part of your life that can be making a huge difference in the world.

Do you know what we get to do at 360Serve? We get to surprise you with incredible updates about the impact you are having all over the world. We send you these emails, sometimes when you least expect it, but often when you most need it.

Let me give you just one example. There is a couple who supports a pastor in North Korea through 360Serve. Yep, North Korea. This couple just received an email letting them know that the pastor they support has just led 6 people to Christ in North Korea. Imagine the joy this couple is feeling upon getting that news.

Hey, the Bible says, "There is rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents." What happens when 6 people repent and the big reason for this is because of you? Joy!

Remember, the only people you support through 360Serve are people who have no other means of support—you are it. Without you they are unable to serve the Lord, reaching people with the gospel; with you they impact hundreds and even thousands. Joy! Joy! Joy is yours!

Heaven: You will live anticipating Heaven

How many more years do you have left on earth? God alone knows. One thing is certain. You will be in heaven one day. Do you know what the Bible says about people who help others get to heaven? This is what Jesus said, "I tell you, use worldly wealth to gain friends for yourselves, so that when it is gone, you will be welcomed into eternal dwellings." Luke 16:9

Guess what? One day all your money will be left behind when you go to heaven. But, when you use a portion of it now to help others get to heaven, they will one day thank you. That's right. Can you imagine the scene? You arrive to heaven and people come walking up to you from multiple nations all over the world, thanking you for helping them come to know Jesus and get to heaven!

I'm convinced a 1,000 times over this is going to happen. Jesus said it would happen. Here is the question: How many people will be hugging you and giving you a high five in heaven because you helped them get there? Yes, this is another reason you need to develop a personal global impact plan. You have a retirement plan, right? Why wouldn't you have a global impact plan? In light of eternity, which one do you think will be more significant?

Global: You will live as a global Christian

Are you a global Christian? God wants you to become a global Christian. A global Christian is a Christian who is having a global impact. Read the Great Commissions again. Notice that each version mentions GOING TO THE NATIONS. John's version implies it, but all the other versions clearly state it. God wants you to become a GLOBAL CHRISTIAN, not just a local Christian. To become a global Christian, you must develop a personal global impact plan to bring the gospel to the ends of the earth.

Blessing: You will live experiencing God's blessing

This is what I've noticed. Christians who develop a personal plan to bring the gospel to others locally and globally, experience God's

blessing. Put it to the test. Think of all the Christians you know. Those Christians who are caught up in extending the gospel here, there and everywhere, live experiencing God's blessing. Jesus said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Acts 20:35.

Read the Great Commissions again. If you live to extend the gospel to the ends of the earth, you will experience God's presence and power in a way you never have before. That's the blessing of God.

Treasure: You will store up treasure in heaven

Heaven is going to be amazing. We can't control when we will get there, but we can control how we live now in light of eternity. A global impact plan will force you to reevaluate your life and stewardship.

I have to ask you, what percentage of your finances right now are going to help people get to heaven? You need to think about this. Listen to the advice Jesus gives us as we are passing through earth, which is not our home: "Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven" Matthew 6:19-20.

Did you catch that? We are commanded to store up treasures in heaven. Every time we give to God's work on earth, God makes a deposit into our personal account in heaven and one day we will cash this in.

Read what Paul said: "Not that I desire your gifts; what I desire is that more be credited to your account" Philippians 4:17. No passage is more profound on the theme of generosity than Paul's words to Timothy. "Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age" 1 Timothy 6:17-17.

A global impact plan will help you reevaluate your life and the management of your finances—it will help you store up treasure in heaven.

Why should you develop a personal global impact plan?

Develop a personal global impact plan and you will live with purpose, impact, joy, and anticipation of heaven. You will live as a global Christian, experience the blessing of God, and you will be storing up treasure in heaven.

The purpose of 360Serve is to help YOU impact the world in amazing ways.

I have helped dozens of people, just like you, develop a personal global impact plan.

If you would like to set up a personal global impact appointment with me, email 360Serve@gmail.com, and let's get started!