



Seeing God's Plan

A couple of years after our wedding my wife and I made wonderful plans to take a trip to Israel. My wife's parents gave the trip to us as a graduation gift. The trip was better than we had planned. We walked on the same dirt that our heroes, prophets, priest, and kings had walked on many centuries before. Yet there was a major detour on the trip because of the unrest in northern Israel. Our trip changed our view of many things we read and studied about in the Bible as we could visualize the very place that history had been made.

Having a vision and making plans of something special is a good thing but it is better when it comes true. Before the foundations of this world God had a plan. After creation, God shared the plan with Adam as He gave the first command to multiply and fill the earth, to have dominion. This command was made before Adam sinned, so God planned for sinless children to be trained by godly parents.

Jesus Christ, spoke about the same plan to the 11 disciples and said "All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." Matthew 28:18-20 KJV

A great mistake has been made in not seeing the divinity of our mission. Jesus Christ came to the earth after a detour because of sin to restore the same plan as given to Adam.

God did not change the plan but was willing to wait until the time was right to overcome the detour because He loved us so much by sending His Son, Jesus Christ.

Look at God's plan and see with spiritual eyes the divinity of our mission.

Keep looking up
Dan Pearce



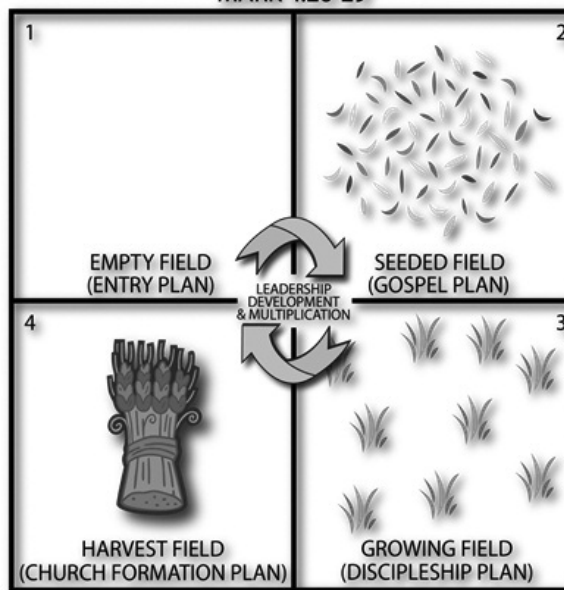
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Serving Others in Jesus Name

Eastern Border Baptist Associations Newsletter

Four Fields Evangelism Training FBC Portales • March 16-17

THE FOUR FIELDS OF KINGDOM GROWTH
MARK 4:26-29



All churches are invited to take part in the Four Fields of Faith Training.

If you are interested in attending or would like more information, contact FBC Portales, (575) 356-6761. Please call to make meal reservations.

Prayer Needs

- Discouraged pastors to be renewed
- Our churches to be refreshed in the Holy Spirit

Looking Ahead

- Feb 21-24:** Christian Job Corps Training – Del Norte Baptist, Albuquerque
- Feb. 26-27:** BCNM Evangelism Conference – Sandia, Albuquerque
- March 4-11:** Week of Prayer for North American Missions
- March 16-17:** Four Fields Evangelism Training – FBC Portales
- Mar 23-24:** Ethnic Women's Leadership Summit, NM Baptist Children's Home – Portales
- April 10:** EBA Semi-Annual Meeting
- April 24:** VBS training, Location to be announced
- Spring:** Security training

New Mexico
State Evangelism Conference
February 26-27, 2018
www.bcnm.com/sec Sandia Baptist Church, Albuquerque

ON MISSION
HERE & NOW

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR North American Missions

March 4-11, 2018 | Goal: \$70 Million



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Prayer Meeting:
Mondays 10:00 Sandia, Clovis

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Budget \$ At A Glance

Tucumcari Baptist Association:
Receipts\$1,079.64
Disbursements\$1,800.00
Ending Balance ...\$16,351.18

Eastern Baptist Association:
Balance Forward
December 1st\$1,078.22
Receipts\$8,801.14
Disbursements\$9,897.21
Transfer from Contingency...\$500.00
Balance Dec. 31st ...\$482.15