

MAGNIFY

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A Simple Strategy (Pt. 1)

Matthew 28:19a

Introduction: Why was the first generation of Christians perhaps the most successful in accomplishing the mission Jesus left them?

Step #1: _____ the world on its turf. (GO)

- We will face extra _____.

- We are playing _____, not _____. (Matthew 16:18)

- Jesus did it _____. (John 1:1-14)

- We _____ by living a “Pi²” life.
 - ⇒ We P_____.

 - ⇒ We I_____.

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Conclusion: Jesus calls us to a life of measured risk in order to accomplish the mission He left us – may we be willing to engage!

Week 8 Plan to “Make It Stick”

Day One:

-Read Acts 8:1-25.

- ⇒ What extra challenges did Philip, Peter, and John face as they engaged the Samaritans on their turf?
- ⇒ Any signs that the experiment worked?

Day Two:

-Read Acts 8:26-40.

- ⇒ What extra challenges did Philip face as he engaged the Ethiopian eunuch on his turf?
- ⇒ Any signs that the experiment worked?

Day Three:

-Read Acts 10.

- ⇒ What extra challenges did Peter face as he engaged with Cornelius and those in his household?
- ⇒ Any signs that the experiment worked?

Day Four:

-Read Acts 11:19-30.

- ⇒ What extra challenges did Barnabas face as he engaged with the “Hellenists” (Greeks) in the city of Antioch?
- ⇒ Any signs that the experiment worked?

Day Five:

-Read Acts 17:16-34.

- ⇒ What extra challenges did Paul face as he engaged with the “Hellenists” (Greeks) in the city of Athens at the Areopagus?
- ⇒ Any signs that the experiment worked?