## KNOW YOUR CHURCH, LOVE YOUR CHURCH

The Design and Destiny of the Body of Christ
(Matthew 16:18-19)

The Gate Church of the High Desert exists to Redeem People and Renew Creation by Making Disciples, Creating Community and Revealing the Kingdom of God. This is done through Compassionate Evangelism, Christian Education, Corporate Edification and Cultural Engagement.

## \* Redeem People and Renew Creation

"Therefore, knowing the fear of the Lord, we persuade others." (II Corinthians 5:11; 17-21)

## **❖** Making Disciples, Creating Community and Revealing the Kingdom

"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." (Matthew 28:19-20)

- Making Disciples
  - Personally
  - Marriages
  - Family

- Family and Friends
- Creating Community
  - How Do We Identify the Spiritual virus of INDIVIDUAL-ITIS?
    - Destiny
    - Scripture
    - Church
    - Gospel
    - Gifts
    - Evangelism
  - How Do We Perpetuate the Spiritual Virus of INDIVIDUAL-ISM?
    - In Worship
    - In Word
    - In Ministry
- Reveal the Kingdom of God
  - Taking Ground (Jude 3; II Samuel 11:1; John 14:30)
  - Righteous Identity (Ephesians 6:14; Roman 5:17)