Know Your Mission

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Leadership is <u>influence</u> and <u>everybody</u> has influence.

Luke 2:52 Jesus grew in wisdom and in stature and in favor with God and man.

Q: Jesus spent 30 years preparing to lead. How are YOU preparing?

Lead Yourself First.

- Grow <u>what</u> you know.
- Grow who you know.
- Grow who you are.

Luke 3 - Baptism of Jesus

²¹ One day when the crowds were being baptized, Jesus himself was baptized. As he was praying, the heavens opened, ²² and the Holy Spirit, in bodily form, descended on him like a dove. And a voice from heaven said, "*You are my dearly loved Son, and you bring me great joy*." ²³ Jesus was about thirty years old when he began his public ministry.

Jesus didn't need the approval of OTHERS because he had the approval of his FATHER.

Q: What would you attempt to do if you **KNEW** that God was with you?

Luke 4 - Temptation of Jesus

¹ Then Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan River. He was led by the Spirit into the wilderness, ² where he was tempted by the devil for 40 days.

- *"Turn this stone into bread..."* v.3
 The devil tempted Jesus to take a <u>shortcut</u>.
- *"Bow down and worship me..."* v.7 The devil tempted Jesus to <u>sin</u>.
- *"Jump off the Temple..."* v.9 The devil tempted Jesus to <u>show-off</u>.
- Jesus responded to every temptation with Scripture.

30 years of PREPARATION helped Jesus stay on <u>MISSION</u>.

Luke 4 - Mission of Jesus

¹⁷ The scroll of Isaiah the prophet was handed to Jesus. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where this in written:

¹⁸ "The Spirit of the LORD is upon me, for he has appointed me to bring Good News to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim that captives will be released, that the blind will see, that the oppressed will be set free, ¹⁹ and that the time of the LORD's favor has come."

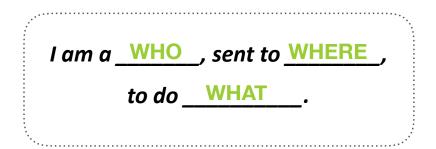
²⁰ He rolled up the scroll, handed it back to the attendant, and sat down. All eyes in the synagogue looked at him intently. ²¹ Then he began to speak to them, "*The Scripture you've just heard has been fulfilled this very day.*"

Jesus Knew his Mission.

- Share the Good News.
- Heal the sick.
- Set the captives <u>free</u>.

Q: Do you know your mission?

Personal Mission Statement.



1. I am a <u>WHO</u>.

- Q: What makes you sad, angry, or excited?
- **Q:** What do you do well that doesn't feel like work?
- **Q:** What's the ONE word to describe who you are?

2. Sent to a <u>WHERE</u>.

- **Q:** Where do you live, work, and play?
- **Q:** Where has God given you influence?
- **Q:** Where is God called you to GO?

3. To do <u>WHAT</u>.

- Q: What problem needs to be solved?
- **Q:** What can you do to fix the problem?
- **Q:** Who do you know that can join your team?

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Knowing your Mission . . .

- Helps you say <u>NO</u>.
- Helps you say YES.
- Helps you build your **<u>TEAM</u>**.

Your MISSION will determine your DIRECTION.

Questions.

- Q: Do you wake up every day with a clear mission?
- **Q:** Are you so overwhelmed with responsibilities that you're tempted to focus on the next critical task?
- **Q:** What is one thing God wants you to say **NO** too so you can live on mission for him?
- **Q:** What is one thing God wants you to say **YES** too so you can live on mission for him?
- **Q:** What's your mission statement for your **home**, your **work**, your **church**, and your **community**?
 - * Listen to "Find Your Mission" @ mission.MANUP.co

I am a (who) _____

Sent to (where) _____

To do (what) _____

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Prayer: Father, thank you for loving me regardless of my performance for you. Help me discover my Personal Mission so I can live with clarity and calling in my everyday life. I'm ready to live on purpose!