



### 1. "I'm Not Called to Missions"

And He said to them, "**Go into all the world** and proclaim the gospel." (Mark 16:15)

**Who is called to missions?**

**Why?**

We Are All Debtors to the Gospel

*I am **under obligation** both to Greeks and to barbarians, both to the wise and to the foolish. So I am eager to preach the gospel ... For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes.*  
(Rom. 1:14-16)

**How did Paul describe his call to missions?**

**Are we under less obligation than Paul? Explain.**

### 2. "I Don't Have Money to Give To Missions"

To whom much is **given**, much will be **required** (Luke 12:48)

*Compare Your Income with the World*

*Poverty* – \$1,100 or less a year. 10% of world

*Lower Income* – \$4,400 per year. 51% of world

*Middle Income* – \$11,000 per year. 17% of world

*Upper Income* – \$22,000 per year. 15% of world

*High Income* – \$40,000 per year. 7% of world.

**If you don't have money for missions, what changes will you make in your spending habits this month to be able to support missions?**

### 3. "I Don't Have Time to Go"

Making the **best use of your time** because the times are evil. (Eph. 5:16)

We all make time for what is most important.

**We all have 24 hours each day. Where are you spending your time?**

**If you don't have time for missions, what will you drop so you have the time to pray, go, and give?**

## Apply

**How will you respond to the call to participate in missions?**

- Will you pray?
- Will you go?
- Will you give?

**What has the Holy Spirit shown you this week, and what will you do about it?**

**Who will you tell about what you have learned this week?**

### **Pray**

Father, Your word is clear, all of us are under obligation to be involved in missions. Yet, we make so many excuses. Please bring our hearts to the place where we cry, "Here am I, Lord, send me."