# Why Missions? Psalm 96:1-9

1. Desire to be Obedient (Because its Commanded)

#### Matt 28:19-20

19 Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: 20 Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

## 2. Love for the Lost (Don't want anybody to go to hell)

#### Rev 20:14-15

14 And death and hell were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death.

15 And whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire.

### 3. Need to be Blessed (God blesses cheerful giving and sacrifice)

#### **Luke 6:38**

38 Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.

#### 2 Cor 9:6-7

6 But this I say, He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully.

7 Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver.

### There is a Greater Motivation and Higher Purpose of Reaching all Nations

# I) Our Method

#### Ps 96

O sing unto the Lord a new song: sing unto the Lord, all the earth.

- 2 Sing unto the Lord, <u>bless his name</u>; shew forth his salvation from day to day.
- 3 Declare his glory among the heathen, his wonders among all people.

## II) Our Motive

- 4 For the Lord is great, and greatly to be praised: he is to be feared above all gods.
- 5 For all the gods of the nations are idols: but the Lord made the heavens.
- 6 Honour and majesty are before him: strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.

# III) Our Mission

- 7 Give unto the Lord, **O** ye kindreds of the people, give unto the Lord glory and strength.
- 8 Give unto the Lord the glory due unto his name: bring an offering, and come into his courts.
- 9 O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness: fear before him, all the earth.

# **Method**

### Ps 57:9

9 I will praise thee, O Lord, among the people: <u>I will sing unto thee among the nations</u>.

# **Motive**

#### Ps 86:8-10

- 8 Among the gods there is none like unto thee, O Lord; neither are there any works like unto thy works.
- 9 <u>All nations whom thou hast made shall come and worship before thee,</u> O Lord; <u>and shall glorify thy name.</u>
- 10 For thou art great, and doest wondrous things: thou art God alone.

## **Mission**

### **Rev 4:11**

11 <u>Thou art worthy</u>, O Lord, <u>to receive glory and honour and power</u>: <u>for thou hast created all things</u>, and for thy pleasure they are and were created.

### **Rev 5:9**

9 And they sung a new song, saying, <u>Thou art worthy</u> to take the book, and to open the seals thereof: for thou wast slain, <u>and hast redeemed us to God by thy blood out of every kindred</u>, <u>and tongue</u>, <u>and people</u>, <u>and nation</u>;