

What in the World Is God up to for Heaven's Sake? 2

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TABLE TALK: How far back can you trace your “faith” family tree? In other words, what do you know about the faith identity of your parents, grand-parents, etc., or as far back as you are aware?

Who is introduced in Genesis 12:1-3? _____

Contrast God's promises in Genesis 12 to the assertions of the people in Genesis 11:4. Whose glory? What purpose?

Read Genesis 17:5

Why does God rename Abram? _____

Read Galatians 3:14

Who/What is the fulfillment of that new name? _____

So what is God after?

- Colossians 1:19-20 _____

- 2 Corinthians 5:18-19 _____

What was Jesus' mission, according to Himself?

- Luke 19:10 _____
- Mark 10:45 _____
- John 3:17 _____
- Luke 4:43 _____

Read Matthew 16:18-19 What did Jesus establish to continue His mission?

And what did He say is the Church's mission?

- Matthew 28:19-20 _____
- Mark 16:15-16 _____
- Luke 24:46-47 _____

What do we also learn from:

- John 14:12 _____
- 15:27 _____
- 17:18 _____

Why is this necessary?

See Romans 5:12; Ephesians 2:1 _____

“The true mission society that has been instituted by God is nothing else than the Christian church itself, that is the totality of all those who from their heart believe in Jesus Christ.” *(C.F.W. Walther)*