

On Mission: "All over the World...among the other Gentiles."

Romans 1:8-14

*First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for all of you, because your faith is being reported all over the world. (Romans 1:8)*

**MISSION PRINCIPLE #1: THEIR FAITH MUST BE REPORTED**

*God, whom I serve in my spirit in preaching the gospel of his Son, is my witness how constantly I remember you (Romans 1:9)*

**MISSION PRINCIPLE #2: WE MUST REMEMBER THEM**

*in my prayers at all times; and I pray that now at last by God's will the way may be opened for me to come to you. (Romans 1:10)*

**MISSION PRINCIPLE #3: WE MUST PRAY FOR THEM**

*I long to see you so that I may impart to you some spiritual gift to make you strong— <sup>12</sup>that is, that you and I may be mutually encouraged by each other's faith. (Romans 1:11-12)*

**MISSION PRINCIPLE #4: WE MUST PARTNER AND MUST BLESS**

*I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that I planned many times to come to you (but have been prevented from doing so until now) in order that I might have a harvest among you, just as I have had among the other Gentiles. (Romans 1:13)*

**MISSION PRINCIPLE #5: WE MUST REALIZE THAT THERE WILL BE ROADBLOCKS**

*I am obligated both to Greeks and non-Greeks, both to the wise and the foolish. <sup>15</sup>That is why I am so eager to preach the gospel also to you who are in Rome. (Romans 1:14-15)*

**MISSION PRINCIPLE #6: WE MUST MAKE IT OUR AMBITION TO PREACH THE GOSPEL**