The Old, Old Story Our Calling Paul Colwell April 27, 2014

Calling

The Kingdom of God, and bringing people into that Kingdom is the only thing that matters. Nothing else matters.

(Chastain 1:1)

There are only two types of people on earth.

Those who know Jesus and those who need Jesus.

(Craig 1:1)

The Lord has set it up so that those who <u>need</u> Jesus would hear about Him, would be introduced to Him, would learn about Him from those who <u>already know</u> Him.

If we know Jesus, that's our calling.

Intermezzo

WARNING: If you go to Russia, you could become magnetic.

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What exactly is the gospel?

There are four common elements:

- 1. Jesus
- 2. That Jesus was crucified and died
- 3. That Jesus was raised from the dead
- 4. That we can have forgiveness of sins in His name

Co-workers

Our <u>job</u> is to be faithful to <u>share</u>. <u>God</u> will determine how to <u>bear the</u> fruit.

"For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return there without watering the earth and making it bear and sprout, and furnishing seed to the sower and bread to the eater; So will My word be which goes forth from my mouth; it will not return to me empty, without accomplishing what I desire, and without succeeding in the matter for which I sent it."

(Isaiah 55:10-11)

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"Well done, good and faithful servant. You were faithful with a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your Master. "

(Matthew 25:21)