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Matthew 28:19 (KJV)

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.”

- When you are making a difference in other people’s lives it brings energy and motivation.
- Our biggest need is to feel significant.
- The vision of Church On The Rock is to raise up people to go and make a difference.
- When you have a great commitment to the great commission, it creates a greater impact!

I Corinthians 7:17 (NIV)

¹⁷ Nevertheless, each person should live as a believer in whatever situation the Lord has assigned to them, just as God has called them. This is the rule I lay down in all the churches.

- Live as a believer and live in your calling.

Psalms 33:14–15 (MSG)

¹³⁻¹⁵ From high in the skies God looks around, he sees all Adam’s brood. From where he sits he overlooks all us earth-dwellers. He has shaped each person in turn; now he watches everything we do.

- Everyone has been shaped, formed and assigned to make a difference.
- Invest your life. Do not waste it.
- Declare, “I have an assignment and a calling from God.”

Romans 8:28 (NIV)

²⁸ And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who ^[a] have been called according to his purpose.

Making A Difference Happens When You:

1. Love God.
2. Walk in your calling.
3. Walk according to God's purpose.

“Serving God and serving others is a blessing and brings blessings!”

Ephesians 1:9 (CEV)

⁹ By what Christ has done, God has shown us his own mysterious ways.

- Are you intentional on making a difference with your life?
- God empowers us to make a difference.
- God wants us to be faithful, available and teachable.

Ephesians 2:10 (TLB)

¹⁰ It is God himself who has made us what we are and given us new lives from Christ Jesus; and long ages ago he planned that we should spend these lives in helping others.

- God planned for us to spend our lives helping other people.

Romans 12:6 (NLT)

⁶ In his grace, God has given us different gifts for doing certain things well. So if God has given you the ability to prophesy, speak out with as much faith as God has given you.

How To Make A Difference:

1. Serve God.
 2. Serve others.
- Take your gifts and excel, grow in excellence.
 - Discover and develop your gifts through serving, then you will make a difference.

Make A Difference With Your Life By...

1. Honoring God.
2. Serving others.
3. Being a witness to the world.
4. Making an eternal difference in the lives of others.

Discussion Questions:

1. How can you make a difference with your life?
2. Daily Declaration: “I have an assignment and calling from God.”