

# “The MOTIVATION for the MISSION” - CAYA 12/31/23

## HISTORICAL CONTEXT

## DOCTRINAL CONTEXT

## DEVOTIONAL CONTEXT

- A PATTERN of MISSIONAL MINISTRY...that parallels Acts 1:8
  - **John 2:23** Now when he was in **Jerusalem**...
  - **John 3:22** After these things came Jesus and his disciples into the land of **Judaea**;
  - **John 4:4** And he must needs go through **Samaria**.
  - **John 4:45** Then when he was come into **Galilee**,
    - **Matt. 4:15** (*Galilee of the Gentiles*)
- **COMPARE: Acts 1:8** But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in **Jerusalem**, and in all **Judaea**, and in **Samaria**, and unto the **uttermost** part of the earth.

## 1. Jesus SETTLED the issue of his \_\_\_\_\_ - v.4

- **4 And he must...**
  - **Matthew 16:21, Mark 8:31, John 3:14**
- **CONSIDER:** For many Christians, “\_\_\_\_\_ go” has been replace with “\_\_\_\_\_ go” or “\_\_\_\_\_ go” concerning the MISSION
- **KEY:** For Jesus, “going” was \_\_\_\_\_ to fulfill \_\_\_\_\_
- **KEY:** For you and I, “going” is \_\_\_\_\_ to fulfill \_\_\_\_\_.
- **QUESTION:** Will the MISSION become a **MUST** in my life? Or will it continue to be a **MAYBE???**

## 2. Jesus SETTLED the issue of his \_\_\_\_\_ - v. 8, 31-33



## Maslow's hierarchy of needs

- **KEY:** We need to \_\_\_\_\_ the SCRIPT on MASLOW's hierarchy of needs!

- **Jesus said the MISSION \_\_\_\_\_ the MEAT...**
  - **Mat 6:25, Mat 6:31-33, Rom 14:17**
- **KEY:** ADAM was given a \_\_\_\_\_, and THEN given \_\_\_\_\_ for the MISSION
  - **1st mention (meat): Gen 1:29**
  - BTW, God gave Adam a MISSION in vs. 28...
- **KEY:** NOAH was given a \_\_\_\_\_, and THEN given \_\_\_\_\_ for the MISSION
  - **Gen 9:1-3**

**OBSERVE:** The MISSION becomes the PROVISION that the Samaritan Woman needs!

- **John 4:28** The woman then **left her waterpot**, and went her way into the city, and saith to the men, 29 **Come, see a man**, which told me all things that ever I did: is not this the Christ?

### 3. Jesus SETTLED the issue of his \_\_\_\_\_ - v. 34

- *34 Jesus saith unto them, **My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish his work.***
- **The three-fold WORK of Christ:**
  - **The WORK of RESTORING \_\_\_\_\_**
  - **The WORK of making \_\_\_\_\_ - John 17:1-8**
  - **The WORK of \_\_\_\_\_ - Luk 22:42, John 19:30**
- **BIBLICAL EXAMPLES of FINISHING:**
  - *God & the RE-CREATION - Gen. 2:1*
  - *Moses & the TABERNACLE - Exodus 40:33*
  - *Moses & the LAW - Deuteronomy 31:24-26*
  - *Solomon & the TEMPLE - 1 Kings 6:14*
  - *Paul & his MINISTRY - Act 20:24, 2 Ti 4:7*

**John 21:5** Then Jesus saith unto them, **Children, have ye any meat?** They answered him, **No.**

**KEY QUESTION:** Will you \_\_\_\_\_ the MISSION?