

THE ABIDE BEAR FRUIT COMMITMENT:

For the glory of God and the engagement of every Muslim people group through effective church planting, we make the following commitment by God's grace.

1. ABIDE IN JESUS

John 15:5, Psalm 1:1-3, 1 John 4:16 *He who abides in Me and I in him bears much fruit. For without Me you can do nothing.*

We commit to consistently give Jesus extravagant time and to make abiding in Him our first priority and foundation of ministry.

2. BE FILLED WITH THE SPIRIT

Ephesians 5:18, Acts 2:4, 4:8, 4:31, Acts 1:8, 1 Corinthians 1:17-23, 2:1-5, John 1:1 *Be ye being filled with the Spirit..., And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit..., ...then Peter filled with the Holy Spirit..., ...and they were filled with the Holy Spirit and they spoke the word of God with boldness.*

We commit to seek to be continually filled with the Holy Spirit that we boldly proclaim Christ, the Word of God.

3. PREACH THE WORD

2 Timothy 4:2, Mark 4:14, Isaiah 40:8, Acts 28:31, 2 Timothy 2:2, Matthew 28:19-20 *Preach the word! Be ready in season and out of season. Convince, rebuke, exhort, with all long-suffering and teaching..., the sower sows the word..., the grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God stands forever..., ...preach and teach..., faithful men who will in turn teach others.*

We commit to faithfully obey, boldly preach, and widely sow the whole Word of God, making disciples among every Muslim people group by lovingly demonstrating Biblical truth.

4. INTERCEDE

Ephesians 6:18, Acts 13:3, Daniel 9:3, 1 Thessalonians 5:17, *Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints..., As they ministered to the Lord and fasted..., ...make request by prayer and supplications, with fasting.*

We commit to regularly pray and fast with perseverance, individually and corporately, for church planting movements among every Muslim people group.

5. DIE DAILY

Galatians 2:20, John 12:24, Luke 9:23, 1 Corinthians 15:31, *I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live but Christ lives in me..., ...unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies it remains alone, but if it dies, it produces much fruit..., ...if anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily..., I die daily...*

We commit to follow Jesus, taking up our cross daily for the effective engagement of every Muslim people group.

CONCLUSION:

“In the love of God, by His grace, and for His glory, we commit to God and each other to abide in Jesus, be filled with the Spirit, preach the Word, intercede, and die daily, believing that every Muslim people group will experience a church planting movement.”

Signed _____ October 17, 2017, so help us God.