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CROSS OF CHRIST

"And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." (Matthew 28:18-20 ESV)

Supply and Multiply is a distinctly Christian ministry. All of our efforts and activities are ultimately summed up in the statements of Jesus found in Matthew 28. Much of our activity is centered upon Matthew 25 as we share the compassion of Jesus with those in desperate need in Haiti. This is the way we walk in the world. However, we know that our ultimate destination is not to be found in this world.

While we recognize that the compassion and the gospel of Jesus Christ are two sides of the same coin – literally and figuratively to chapters from the same book – we recognize that followers of Jesus Christ will never find a sure and certain homeland on this earth as it exists today in its fallen state. We can fill a hungry man's belly today but he will hunger again tomorrow. We can build a home and provide shelter for a family, a child, or an elderly person in need, but no home in this world can endure the storms and the ravages of time and decay that ultimately befall every treasure and everything in this insecure world.

We recognize that the only eternal security is that which is found in the saving grace of God whereby men women and children everywhere are invited into the covenant of grace to be forever known by God. We preach the cross of Jesus Christ and the salvation that is available because of his atoning blood. Whether by way of JAM Clubs (Jesus and Me / Jezi ak Mwen), street evangelism, open-air crusades, church revivals, preaching on Sunday morning in Haitian churches, one-on-one discipleship, orphan care, or in any of the other ways that God leads us to declare his truths, our ultimate goal is to be a light and a witness to the power of the saving grace of God in Jesus Christ.

We make every attempt to live compassionately like Jesus and to prepare people for the day beyond the life of the body by receiving Jesus Christ as Lord, publicly confessing him as Savior, and being baptized into the Body of Christ – His Church. "And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!" (Romans 10:15 ESV)

Our hands are busy helping, our hearts are busy loving, and our voices are active in proclaiming! Our helping pours out from a spring of compassion. Our loving Springs up from the Holy Spirit within us. Our proclamation is the gospel of Jesus Christ and his saving power to the exclusion of all mystical or material philosophies to be found in secular society or in other religions.

"Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." (John 14:6 ESV) We proclaim Christ alone for He has declared himself to be the only way of salvation and what a wondrous and amazing Savior He is!