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# AGENDA



## AGLC Men's Meeting Agenda

1. Devo/Prayer
2. Vision
  - a. 2019
  - b. 2020 -2021 (Merge)
  - c. Beyond 2021
  - d. Lead Team
3. 360Man
  - a. 360Man vs. Councilman
  - b. Financial Commitment to 360Man
  - c. 360 Spotlight
4. Discipleship Resources
  - a. 4 Dimensions Explained
  - b. Capping Phase 1
  - c. Tracks
    - i. Growth Track
    - ii. Targeted Track
    - iii. Biblical Track (introducing "Journey Through" series)
      - a. 2019 Theme
      - b. 2020 Theme

## 5. Launch Kit

- a. Overview of Process
  - i. Launch
  - ii. Lead
  - iii. Learn
  - iv. Live
- b. Table Talk
  - i. District Use of Launch Kit
  - ii. Suggestions, Recommendations, or Corrections
  - iii. Synergy of Districts/National Office
- c. Lead Kit
  - i. 3 Disciplines to Develop Healthy Leaders
    - a. Awareness
    - b. Accountability
    - c. Development
- d. Learn
  - i. Personal Discipleship Applications
  - ii. Personal Prayer Life
  - iii. Personal Devotional Life
  - iv. Christ vs. Culture
- e. Live
  - i. Living Out a Full Life
  - ii. Finishing Strong
  - iii. Affecting Your Family's Future
  - iv. Making a Difference in Your Workplace
- f. Table Talk
  - i. Process
  - ii. Committing the District to the Process
  - iii. National Office Involvement

## 6. Conferences/Retreats

- a. Presentation of Discipleship Resources
- b. Scheduling your Conference
  - i. Timeline Help
  - ii. Strategic Planning
  - iii. Use of Speakers
- c. Honorariums and Financing

## 7. Israel Update



## 8. Communication

- a. District Director's to Men's Leaders in the District
- b. Communication with the National Office
  - i. Retreat Dates
  - ii. Resources for District Events
- c. Banner Printing and Customization

## 9. National Men's Network

- a. Explanation
- b. Criteria
- c. Launch Year
- d. Growth Expansion



# LEAD TEAM



## LFTL and Mens Lead Team Members

### LFTL

NAME	DISTRICT	POSITION
John Bechtel	New Jersey	Pastor
Steve Bowman	Kansas	Laymen
Baldy Boyd	Pen Florida	Laymen
Bob Brown	Tennessee	Pastor
Doyle Fulkes	Southern Idaho	Superintendent

### MEN'S

NAME	DISTRICT	POSITION
John Hensel	Pen Florida	Pastor
Dan Liebe	Montana	District Director
Tom Rees	PennDel	District Director
David Strahan	Alabama	District Director

## LFTL/MEN'S

NAME	DISTRICT	POSITION
Bobby Basham	Potomac	District Director
Chad Brodrick	Oklahoma	District Director
Dale Gray	Arizona	Pastor
Gordon Houston	So California	District Sect/Treas.

Starting January 1, 2019, our LFTL Steering Committee and Men's Lead Team will be combining our meetings and working together to create a more synergized focus and vision for the future of LFTL and Men's. This combined focus will bring clarity for the men in our churches while aligning us with the Acts 2 ministry model.



# MEN'S MINISTRIES KIT: LAUNCH, LEAD, LEARN, LIVE



## HELPING CHURCHES GET STARTED.

We are creating four Kits intended to assist a church as it begins or enhances a local Men's Ministry. The first Kit is titled "LAUNCH." The next three are, "**LEAD**," "**LEARN**," and finally, "**LIVE**." Here is an excerpt from "LAUNCH" that gives an explanation of the three following Kits:

Now that you have gone through the **Launch Kit** and have started your Men's Ministry, please know that we have three additional resources for you as you move forward with your men's group to increase the levels of spiritual health, community, service, and missions. The National Men's Ministry also has **Lead**, **Learn**, and **Live** Kits for you and your men to go through. The next kit, **Lead Kit**, focuses on developing future leaders from within your group. **Lead Kit** addresses the three disciplines that are needed to develop a healthy leader: Awareness, Accountability, and Development. The focus is on spiritual formation and biblical character which will enable you to lead yourself and others. In the third, **Learn Kit**, is a pathway to help men learn the discipleship patterns for keeping Them in the game. This important kit also gives you the resources needed to share to your group how to minister and serve in your home, church, and marketplace. The applications tools allow men to process how to minister in their home, understanding the dynamics of serving in the church and allows them to assess how to approach men in their world, introduce them to Christ, answer difficult questions, and find their place of ministry in the occupational world. Practical resources in **Learn Kit** will assist men in



developing a personal prayer time, devotions, and even share how to serve communion to the family. We will focus on practical skills to help steward the influence you have been given.

The fourth kit, ***Live Kit***, targets the long term win each man can have by staying the course.

Living out manhood is not an easy task and this resource gives every man the necessary tools to make that happen. We will explore how culture can try to offset our path, how temptations can sabotage the future, and how sin can destroy vision. This kit will help you formulate a plan to help you shape the culture of your home and workplace. You will begin a journey to help give you the tools to invest in the lives of those who are in your sphere of influence.

## **HELP US IMPROVE “LAUNCH.”**

Please review the enclosed copy of “LAUNCH” and provide us with feedback within the next two weeks.

***(Full “LAUNCH” content begins on next page)***



# DISCIPLESHIP RESOURCES



## DISCIPLESHIP RESOURCES

We've created 206 discipleship lessons (54 are also in Spanish) intended for personal study, or use in a small group. We have grouped them into the four dimensions of manhood: Identity, Relationship, Purpose, and Vision.

These studies are FREE and can be downloaded at: <https://men.ag.org/home#resources>.

On the next pages are two examples (in English and Spanish) from our **16 Fundamental Truths** lesson series. They are created to be compatible for study with the *FireBible*. Also, the next section tab of this binder contains a report about downloads for our Discipleship Resources.

## MORE ARE COMING!

- Future development
  1. Growth Track
  2. Targeted Track
  3. Biblical Track
- We need your help promoting the use of these FREE resources

## THEMES: COURAGE, STRENGTH, ENDURANCE

- 2019 MM theme -- STRENGTH Mark12:30
- 2020 MM theme -- ENDURANCE Hebrews 10:36



## One True God

*Adapted from FireBible Article: The Attributes of God by Danny Duvall*

The one true God has revealed Himself as the eternally self-existent "I AM," the Creator of Heaven and Earth and the Redeemer of Mankind. He has further revealed Himself as embodying the principles of relationship and association as Father, Son and Holy Spirit.<sup>1</sup>

*The Attributes of God* article gives a deeper understanding of this truth:

**Psalm 139:7–8 (ESV)** <sup>7</sup> Where shall I go from your Spirit? Or where shall I flee from your presence? <sup>8</sup> If I ascend to heaven, you are there! If I make my bed in Sheol, you are there!

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The Bible does not seek to prove that God **exists**. Rather it assumes his existence and describes numerous attributes that he possesses. Some of these attributes are unique to him as God; others we see in human beings as a result of their being created in God's **image**.

### The Unique Attributes of God

1. God is omnipresent: He is everywhere at the **same time**.

**Acts 17:27–28 (ESV)** <sup>27</sup> that they should seek God, and perhaps feel their way toward him and find him. Yet he is actually not far from each one of us, <sup>28</sup> for “In him we live and move and have our being”; as even some of your own poets have said, “For we are indeed his offspring.”

That means God can see everything we do.

2. God is omniscient: He knows everything.

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<sup>1</sup> “The One True God,” The Assemblies of God, <https://ag.org/Beliefs/Statement-of-Fundamental-Truths#2> (Accessed August 4, 2017).

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**Psalms 147:5 (ESV)** <sup>5</sup> Great is our Lord, and abundant in power; his understanding is beyond measure.

**1 Samuel 16:7 (ESV)** <sup>7</sup> But the LORD said to Samuel, “Do not look on his appearance or on the height of his stature, because I have rejected him. For the LORD sees not as man sees: man looks on the outward appearance, but the LORD looks on the heart.”

God remains free to make decisions and alter his purposes in time and history, according to his own will and wisdom. In other words, God is not a prisoner of his own foreknowledge.

**Numbers 14:17–19 (ESV)** <sup>17</sup> And now, please let the power of the Lord be great as you have promised, saying, <sup>18</sup> ‘The LORD is slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love, forgiving iniquity and transgression, but he will by no means clear the guilty, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children, to the third and the fourth generation.’ <sup>19</sup> Please pardon the iniquity of this people, according to the greatness of your steadfast love, just as you have forgiven this people, from Egypt until now.”

3. God is omnipotent: He is all-powerful and has ultimate authority over all things and all creatures.

**Matthew 19:26 (ESV)** <sup>26</sup> But Jesus looked at them and said, “With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible.”

This doesn’t mean, however, that God uses all his power and authority at all times: for example, God has the power to destroy all sin, but he has chosen not to do so until the end of history. In many cases, God limits his power, channeling it through his people. In these cases, his power is dependent on our degree of availability and submission to him.

4. God is Transcendent: He is different and independent from his creation.

**Isaiah 55:8 (ESV)** For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD.

He dwells in perfect and pure existence, far above what has been made: he himself is uncreated and exists apart from creation. Transcendence does not entail, however, that God is incapable of living among his people as their God.

5. God is eternal: He is from everlasting to everlasting.



**Psalm 90:1–2 (ESV)** <sup>1</sup> Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations.

<sup>2</sup> Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.

There has never, nor will ever be a time when God did not or will not exist: He is not bound by human time and is, therefore best described as “I AM.”

**2 Peter 3:8 (ESV)** <sup>8</sup> But do not overlook this one fact, beloved, that with the Lord one day is as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.

6. God is **unchangeable**: There is no change in God’s attributes, in his perfections or in his purpose for humankind.

**Numbers 23:19 (ESV)** <sup>19</sup> God is not man, that he should lie, or a son of man, that he should change his mind. Has he said, and will he not do it? Or has he spoken, and will he not fulfill it?

This doesn’t mean, however, that God never alters his temporary purposes in response to the actions of humans. He may alter his intentions of judgment because of the sincere repentance of sinners. The Bible often speaks of God changing his mind as a result of the diligent prayers of the righteous.

7. God is perfect and Holy: He is completely without **sin** and absolutely righteous.

**Leviticus 11:44 (ESV)** For I am the LORD your God. Consecrate yourselves therefore, and be holy, for I am holy. You shall not defile yourselves with any swarming thing that crawls on the ground.

Adam and Eve were created without sin, but with the capability of sinning. God on the other hand, cannot sin.

**2 Timothy 2:12–13 (ESV)** <sup>12</sup> if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he also will deny us; <sup>13</sup> if we are faithless, he remains faithful— for he cannot deny himself.

8. God is **triune**: He is God. Who manifests himself in three divine persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**Deuteronomy 6:4 (ESV)** “Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one.

**Matthew 28:19 (ESV)** 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,

Each person is fully divine, equal with the other two: yet they are not three Gods, but one.

**Matthew 3:17 (ESV)** and behold, a voice from heaven said, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.”

### **FURTHER STUDY:**

Read **Psalm 139:1-12 (ESV)**

- How well does God know you?
- How should God’s knowledge of us guide and encourage us?
- Look at the *FireBible* study notes on verses 1-12. What are your thoughts in regard to these study notes?

Read the *FireBible* article: *The Attributes of God*. Answer the following:<sup>2</sup>

### **Unique Attributes of God**

Write a sentence to explain each characteristic (1-8). Read three Scriptures on each attribute and discuss.

Omnipresent:

Omniscient:

Omnipotent:

Transcendent:

Eternal:

Unchangeable:

Perfect/Holy:

Triune:

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<sup>2</sup> Quentin McGhee, *Unlocking the Treasures of Your Fire Bible: Resources for Spiritual Understanding*, Springfield, MO, Life Publishers and Faith & Action Series, 2012, Page 119.

## **Moral Attributes of God**

Write a sentence that explains what each of these means. Illustrate each. Read three Scriptures on each characteristic of God. Note that God wants us to be like Him in these 8 ways below, and in the area of holiness above.

Good:

Love:

Merciful:

Compassionate:

Patient:

Truth:

Faithful:

Just:





## The Mission of the Church

*Adapted from FireBible Article: The Church by Danny Duvall*

The Church is the Body of Christ, the habitation of God through the Spirit, with divine appointments for the fulfillment of her great commission. Each believer, born of the Spirit, is an integral part of the General Assembly and Church of the Firstborn, which are written in heaven.

Since God's purpose concerning man is to seek and to save that which is lost, to be worshipped by man, to build a body of believers in the image of His Son, and to demonstrate His love and compassion for all the world, the priority reason for being of the Assemblies of God as part of the Church is: To be an agency of God for evangelizing the world; To be a corporate body in which man may worship God; To be a channel of God's purpose to build a body of saints being perfected in the image of His Son; To be a people who demonstrate God's love and compassion for all the world.

The Assemblies of God exists expressly to give continuing emphasis to this reason for being in the New Testament apostolic pattern by teaching and encouraging believers to be baptized in the Holy Spirit. This experience: Enables them to evangelize in the power of the Spirit with accompanying supernatural signs; Adds a necessary dimension to worshipful relationship with God; Enables them to respond to the full working of the Holy Spirit in expression of fruit and gifts and ministries as in New Testament times for the edifying of the body of Christ and care for the poor and needy of the world.<sup>1</sup>

*The Church* article gives a deeper understanding of this truth:

**Matthew 16:18 (ESV)** And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.

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<sup>1</sup> "The Church and Its Mission," The Assemblies of God, <https://ag.org/Beliefs/Statement-of-Fundamental-Truths#10> (Accessed August 25, 2017).

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The Church of Jesus Christ is one of the few enduring endeavors of your life. The following teaching on the Mission of the church will help the Christian understand what makes the church so impactful, and identify what should be the Christian contribution to its mission.

The Greek word Ekklesia (Church) refers to a meeting of God's people **called** out and summoned together. This word comes from a word that means impartation of the King's rule spread into the people. As we gather together the King's delight is **dispersed** throughout our lives and community.

- A. The church is a community of people who come together as **citizens** of God's kingdom for the purpose of worshiping their Lord.

**Ephesians 2:19 (ESV)** So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God,

- B. The word church can refer to the local assembly or the **universal** church.

### **The Church is:**

1. A company of the Redeemed believers made possible by Christ's death.

**1 Peter 1:18–19 (ESV)** <sup>18</sup> knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, <sup>19</sup> but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot.

- a. It is a **pilgrim** people no longer belonging to this earth.

**Hebrews 11:13 (ESV)** These all died in faith, not having received the things promised, but having seen them and greeted them from afar, and having acknowledged that they were strangers and exiles on the earth.

- b. Each church member's first function is to have a living, personal **relationship** with God.

**1 Peter 2:5 (ESV)** you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

2. The Church is a people called out. 'Ekklaeo' is out or called. Separation from the world and into God's kingdom is inherent to the church's **nature**.

**2 Corinthians 6:17–18 (ESV)** <sup>17</sup> Therefore go out from their midst, and be separate from them, says the Lord, and touch no unclean thing; then I will welcome you, <sup>18</sup> and I will be a father to you, and you shall be sons and daughters to me, says the Lord Almighty.”

- a. As a member of the Church you are a moving **Temple** of God and of the Holy Spirit. You are an agent always ready for service.

**1 Corinthians 3:16 (ESV)** Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you?

3. The Church is the **body** of Christ. This image indicates that no true church exists apart from the vital union of the members with Christ.

**1 Corinthians 6:15 (ESV)** Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Shall I then take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never!

4. The Church is the bride of Christ. This marriage image emphasizes the devotion and faithfulness of the Church to Christ, as well as Christ's love and intimacy with His Church.

**2 Corinthians 11:2 (ESV)** For I feel a divine jealousy for you, since I betrothed you to one husband, to present you as a pure virgin to Christ.

5. The Church is a spiritual **fellowship** (koinonia).

**2 Corinthians 13:14 (ESV)** The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

This fellowship includes the indwelling of the Spirit, the unity of the Spirit, and the baptism in the Spirit. This fellowship is to demonstrate **observable** love and care for one another.

**John 13:34–35 (ESV)** <sup>34</sup> A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. <sup>35</sup> By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

6. The Church is a spiritual **ministry** (diakonia). We serve through gifts given by the Holy Spirit.

**Romans 12:6 (ESV)** Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, in proportion to our faith;

7. The Church is an army involved in spiritual **conflict**.

The church is in a spiritual struggle against Satan and sin. The Spirit, with which the church is filled, is like a warrior wielding the living Word of God, delivering people from Satan's dominion and conquering every power of this dark world.

**Ephesians 6:12 (ESV)** For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.

**Ephesians 6:17 (ESV)** and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God,

8. The Church is the pillar and ground of **truth**.

**1 Timothy 3:15 (ESV)** if I delay, you may know how one ought to behave in the household of God, which is the church of the living God, a pillar and buttress of the truth.

**Jude 3 (ESV)** Beloved, although I was very eager to write to you about our common salvation, I found it necessary to write appealing to you to contend for the faith that was once for all delivered to the saints.

9. The Church is a people with a future **hope**. This hope is centered in Christ's **return**.

**John 14:3 (ESV)** And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also.

10. The Church is both **invisible** and visible.

It is invisible in that it is united with all believers all over the world. It is visible because it is built of local congregations containing faithful overcomers, and professed Christians who are **spiritually dead** and **lukewarm**.

**Revelation 2:2 (ESV)** “I know your works, your toil and your patient endurance, and how you cannot bear with those who are evil, but have tested those who call themselves apostles and are not, and found them to be false.

**Revelation 2:5 (ESV)** Remember therefore from where you have fallen; repent, and do the works you did at first. If not, I will come to you and remove your lampstand from its place, unless you repent.

11. The Church at its core is full of **wrinkles** or imperfection.

**Ephesians 5:27 (ESV)** so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish.

#### **FURTHER STUDY:**

Read **Matthew 16:18-19 (ESV)** and answer the following from the *FireBible* study notes:<sup>2</sup>

- Upon what confession (rock) does Jesus build His Church?
  
- The name Peter means “a small \_\_\_\_\_,” but the Church is built on a huge \_\_\_\_\_.

  - Jesus is the \_\_\_\_\_ on which the Church is built. Peter and the other believers are \_\_\_\_\_ of the Church.
  - **Comment:** The authority that Jesus gave Peter to bind or loose people, Jesus gave to all the other apostles (Matthew 18:18). Likewise, Jesus gives authority to all believers to bind or loose people (Matthew 28:18-20)

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<sup>2</sup> Quentin McGhee, *Unlocking the Treasures of Your Fire Bible: Resources for Spiritual Understanding*, Springfield, MO, Life Publishers and Faith & Action Series, 2012, Page 196.

- Does Scripture teach that God gave Peter more authority than He gave the other apostles?
  
- Does Matthew 16:18 mean that evil will not overcome any believers or churches? Explain.
  
- What does Matthew 16:18 mean?
  
- What do the “keys” represent in Matthew 16:19?
  
- What are 5 things that church leaders and believers do with the authority God gives us (Matthew 16:19)?

Read the *FireBible* article: *The Church*. Answer the following:<sup>3</sup>

1. The Greek word for *church* (pronounced eck-kleh-SEE-uh) refers to a people \_\_\_\_\_.
  
2. The word *church* can mean a \_\_\_\_\_, or all believers together, called the \_\_\_\_\_.
  
3. The Church is God’s people, redeemed by \_\_\_\_\_. The Church has a \_\_\_\_\_ with God.

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<sup>3</sup> Quentin McGhee, *Unlocking the Treasures of Your Fire Bible: Resources for Spiritual Understanding*, Springfield, MO, Life Publishers and Faith & Action Series, 2012, Page 197.

4. From what is the Church called out?
  
5. The Church is called to be the \_\_\_\_\_ of God and the Holy Spirit.
  
6. As the body is united to its head, any true church \_\_\_\_\_.
  
7. As a husband and wife are faithful to one another, \_\_\_\_\_.
  
8. How does the Church show that it is a spiritual fellowship?
  
9. How is the Church able to minister?
  
10. What does the spiritual warfare of the Church involve?
  
11. As a foundation supports a building, the Church supports \_\_\_\_\_.
  
12. What is the basis for the Church's future hope?



**Comment:** When we refer to the invisible Church, we mean that we cannot always see whether people are true believers. Only God sees what is in the hearts of people. So, the true Church is invisible to us.

13. Does the visible church – all the people we see who come to the local church – include only true believers? Explain.





## El único Dios verdadero

*Adaptado del artículo: Los atributos de Dios por Danny Duvall, Biblia de Estudio de la Vida Plena.*

El único Dios verdadero se ha revelado como el eterno existente en sí mismo «YO SOY», el Creador del cielo y de la tierra y Redentor de la humanidad. Se ha revelado también encarnando los principios de relación y asociación como el Padre, el Hijo, y el Espíritu Santo.<sup>1</sup>

El artículo *Los atributos de Dios* nos da una comprensión más profunda de esta verdad:

**Salmo 139:7–8 (RV-60)** <sup>7</sup> ¿A dónde me iré de tu Espíritu? ¿Y a dónde huiré de tu presencia? <sup>8</sup> Si subiere a los cielos, allí estás tú; y si en el Seol hiciere mi estrado, he aquí, allí tú estás.

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La Biblia no procura probar que Dios **existe**. Más bien, da por sentado su existencia y continúa describiendo numerosos atributos que lo caracterizan. Algunos de esos atributos son exclusivos de Él como Dios; otros se ven en los seres humanos como resultado de haber sido creados a la **imagen** de Dios.

### Atributos exclusivos de Dios

1. Dios es omnipresente: Él está presente en todas partes y al **mismo tiempo**.

**Hechos 17:27–28 (RV-60)** <sup>27</sup> para que busquen a Dios, si en alguna manera, palpando, puedan hallarle, aunque ciertamente no está lejos de cada uno de nosotros. <sup>28</sup> Porque en él vivimos, y nos movemos, y somos; como algunos de vuestros propios poetas también han dicho: Porque linaje suyo somos.

Esto significa que Él ve todo lo que hacemos.

2. Dios es omnisciente: Él lo sabe todo.

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<sup>1</sup> «El único Dios verdadero» Las Asambleas de Dios, [http://adeua.org/Beliefs/Our\\_Fundamental\\_Truths.cfm](http://adeua.org/Beliefs/Our_Fundamental_Truths.cfm) (leído 14 de marzo, 2018).

**Salmo 147:5 (RV-60)** <sup>5</sup> Grande es el Señor nuestro y de mucho poder; y su entendimiento es infinito.

**1 Samuel 16:7 (RV-60)** <sup>7</sup> Y Jehová respondió a Samuel: No mires a su parecer, ni a lo grande de su estatura, porque yo lo desecho; porque Jehová no mira lo que mira el hombre; pues el hombre mira lo que está delante de sus ojos, pero Jehová mira el corazón.

Dios es libre de tomar decisiones que **alteren** sus propósitos en el tiempo y en la historia, de acuerdo a su voluntad y sabiduría. En otras palabras, Dios no es un **prisionero** de su propia presciencia.

**Números 14:17–19 (RV-60)** <sup>17</sup> Ahora, pues, yo te ruego que sea magnificado el poder del Señor, como lo hablaste, diciendo: <sup>18</sup> Jehová, tardo para la ira y grande en misericordia, que perdona la iniquidad y la rebelión, aunque de ningún modo tendrá por inocente al culpable; que visita la maldad de los padres sobre los hijos hasta los terceros y hasta los cuartos. <sup>19</sup> Perdona ahora la iniquidad de este pueblo según la grandeza de tu misericordia, y como has perdonado a este pueblo desde Egipto hasta aquí.

3. Dios es omnipotente: Él es **todopoderoso** y tiene la suprema autoridad sobre todas las cosas y sobre todas las criaturas.

**Mateo 19:26 (RV-60)** <sup>26</sup> Y mirándolos Jesús, les dijo: Para los hombres esto es imposible; mas para Dios todo es posible.

Sin embargo, eso no quiere decir que Dios emplee todo su poder y autoridad en todo **momento**. Por ejemplo, Dios tiene el poder para destruir todo el pecado, pero Él ha optado no hacer eso hasta el fin de la historia. En muchos casos, Dios limita su poder, canalizándolo por medio de su pueblo. En esos casos, su poder es dependiente del grado de disponibilidad y obediencia a Él por parte del creyente.

4. Dios es trascendente: Él es diferente e **independiente** de su creación.

**Isaías 55:8 (RV-60)** Porque mis pensamientos no son vuestros pensamientos, ni vuestros caminos mis caminos, dijo Jehová.

El habita en existencia perfecta y pura, muy por encima de lo que ha hecho. Sin embargo, la trascendencia no hace que Dios sea incapaz de habitar entre su **pueblo** como su Dios.

5. Dios es eterno: Él es desde el **siglo** y hasta el **siglo**.

**Salmo 90:1–2 (RV-60)** <sup>1</sup> Señor, tú nos has sido refugio de generación en generación.

<sup>2</sup> Antes que naciesen los montes y formases la tierra y el mundo, desde el siglo y hasta el siglo, tú eres Dios.

No hubo ni habrá jamás un tiempo, ni en el pasado ni en el futuro, en que Dios no existir ni existirá. Él no está limitado por el tiempo humano, y por lo tanto se lo describe mejor como «Yo Soy».

**2 Pedro 3:8 (RV-60)** <sup>8</sup> Mas, oh amados, no ignoréis esto: que para con el Señor un día es como mil años, y mil años como un día.

6. Dios es **inmutable**: No hay cambio alguno en los atributos de Dios, en sus perfecciones ni en sus propósitos para el género humano.

**Números 23:19 (RV-60)** <sup>19</sup> Dios no es hombre, para que mienta, ni hijo de hombre para que se arrepienta. Él dijo, ¿y no hará? Habló, ¿y no ejecutará?

Eso no quiere decir que Dios nunca modifica sus propósitos temporales en reacción a los acciones de los seres humanos. Él puede modificar sus propósitos de juicio por causa del arrepentimiento de los pecadores. Con frecuencia las Escrituras se refieren a Dios como que cambia de idea a causa de las diligentes oraciones de los justos.

7. Dios es perfecto y santo: Él es íntegramente sin **pecado** y absolutamente justo.

**Levítico 11:44 (RV-60)** Porque yo soy Jehová vuestro Dios; vosotros por tanto os santificaréis, y seréis santos, porque yo soy santo; así que no contaminéis vuestras personas con ningún animal que se arrastre sobre la tierra.

Adán y Eva fueron creados sin pecado, pero con la capacidad de pecar. Dios, por otra parte, no puede pecar.

**2 Timoteo 2:12–13 (RV-60)** <sup>12</sup> Si sufrimos, también reinaremos con él; si le negáremos, él también nos negará. <sup>13</sup> Si fuéremos infieles, él permanece fiel; él no puede negarse a sí mismo.

8. Dios es **trino** y uno: Él es un solo Dios que se ha manifestado en tres personas divinas: Padre, Hijo y Espíritu Santo.

**Deuteronomio 6:4 (RV-60)** Oye, Israel: Jehová nuestro Dios, Jehová uno es.

**Mateo 28:19 (RV-60)** Por tanto, id, y haced discípulos a todas las naciones, bautizándolos en el nombre del Padre, y del Hijo, y del Espíritu Santo;

Cada persona es plenamente divina, igual a las otras dos; pero no son tres dioses, sino un solo Dios.

**Mateo 3:17 (RV-60)** Y hubo una voz de los cielos, que decía: Este es mi Hijo amado, en quien tengo complacencia.

### **ESTUDIO ADICIONAL:**

Lea **Salmo 139:1-12 (RV-60)**

- ¿Conoce bien Dios a cada persona?
- ¿Cómo debe dirigirnos y animarnos el saber que Dios nos conoce?
- En la *Biblia de Estudio de la Vida Plena* lea los comentarios del versículo 1-12.  
¿Qué piensa usted respecto a estas notas de estudio?

Lea el artículo: «Los atributos de Dios», en la *Biblia de Estudio de la Vida Plena*.  
Responda lo siguiente:<sup>2</sup>

### **Atributos exclusivos de Dios**

Escriba una oración y explique cada característica (1-8). Lea y comente tres versículos bíblicos relacionados con cada atributo.

Omnipresente:

Omnisciente:

Omnipotente:

Transcendente:

Eterno:

Inmutable:

Perfecto/Santo:

Triuno:

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<sup>2</sup> Quentin McGhee: *Descubra los tesoros de su Biblia de Estudio de la Vida Plena: Recursos para obtener entendimiento espiritual*, Springfield, MO, Serie fe y acción, 2013, páginas 122 y 123.

## Atributos morales de Dios

Escriba una oración que explique lo que significa cada uno e ilustre cada uno. Lea tres versículos sobre cada característica de Dios. Note que Dios quiere que seamos como Él en los ocho aspectos que siguen, y en santidad como las anteriores.

Bueno:

Amor:

Misericordioso:

Compasivo:

Paciente:

Verdad:

Fiel:

Justo:



## La Iglesia y su misión

*Adaptado del artículo: «La Iglesia» por Danny Duvall, Biblia de Estudio de la Vida Plena*

La Iglesia es el cuerpo de Cristo, la morada de Dios por el Espíritu Santo, con el encargo divino de llevar a cabo su gran comisión. Todo creyente, nacido del Espíritu Santo, es parte integral de la asamblea general e iglesia de los primogénitos, que están inscritos en los cielos.

Siendo que el propósito de Dios en relación con el hombre es buscar y salvar lo que se había perdido, ser adorado por el ser humano, edificar un cuerpo de creyentes a la imagen de su Hijo, y mostrar su amor y compasión a todo el mundo la principal razón de ser de las Asambleas de Dios como parte de la Iglesia es: ser una agencia de Dios para la evangelización del mundo; ser una entidad corporativa en que el hombre pueda adorar a Dios; ser un canal para el propósito de Dios de edificar un cuerpo de santos en proceso de ser perfeccionados a la imagen de su Hijo; ser un pueblo que muestra el amor y la compasión de Dios a todo el mundo.

Las Asambleas de Dios existe expresamente para dar continuo énfasis a esta razón de ser según el modelo apostólico del Nuevo Testamento, enseñando a los creyentes y alentándolos a que sean bautizados en el Espíritu Santo. Esta experiencia: los capacita para evangelizar en el poder del Espíritu con señales y milagros; agrega una dimensión necesaria a la adoración y a la relación con Dios; los capacita para responder a la plena manifestación del Espíritu Santo en la expresión de frutos, dones y ministerios como en los tiempos del Nuevo Testamento, para la edificación del cuerpo de Cristo, y la atención de los pobres y menesterosos del mundo.<sup>1</sup>

El artículo *La Iglesia* nos da una perspectiva más profunda de esta verdad:

**Mateo 16:18 (RV-60)** Y yo también te digo, que tú eres Pedro, y sobre esta roca edificaré mi iglesia; y las puertas del Hades no prevalecerán contra ella.

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<sup>1</sup> «La Iglesia y su misión» Las Asambleas de Dios, [http://adeua.org/Beliefs/Our\\_Fundamental\\_Truths.cfm](http://adeua.org/Beliefs/Our_Fundamental_Truths.cfm) (leído 29 de marzo, 2018).

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La Iglesia de Jesucristo es uno de los pocos cometidos perdurables en nuestra vida. La siguiente enseñanza acerca de la misión de la iglesia ayudará al cristiano a entender por qué la iglesia ejerce tal fuerza y a identificar cuál debe ser el aporte del cristiano a la misión que ésta tiene.

El vocablo griego *ekklesia* (iglesia) se refiere a la reunión de un pueblo **llamado** y convocado. Este término viene de una palabra que denota la impartición del decreto del Rey hacia el pueblo. Cuando nos reunimos, la complacencia del Rey se **difunde** en nuestra vida y en la comunidad.

- A. La iglesia es una comunidad de personas que se reúnen como **ciudadanos** del reino de Dios con el propósito de adorar a su Rey.

**Efesios 2:19 (RV-60)** Así que ya no sois extranjeros ni advenedizos, sino conciudadanos de los santos, y miembros de la familia de Dios,

- B. La palabra iglesia puede referirse a la asamblea local o a la iglesia **universal**.

**La Iglesia es:**

1. El conjunto de creyentes redimidos que existe por la muerte de Cristo.

**1 Pedro 1:18–19 (RV-60)** <sup>18</sup> sabiendo que fuisteis rescatados de vuestra vana manera de vivir, la cual recibisteis de vuestros padres, no con cosas corruptibles, como oro o plata, <sup>19</sup> sino con la sangre preciosa de Cristo, como de un cordero sin mancha y sin contaminación,

- a. Es un pueblo **peregrino** que ya no pertenece a esta tierra.

**Hebreos 11:13 (RV-60)** Conforme a la fe murieron todos éstos sin haber recibido lo prometido, sino mirándolo de lejos, y creyéndolo, y saludándolo, y confesando que eran extranjeros y peregrinos sobre la tierra.

- b. La primera función de cada miembro de la iglesia es perseverar en una **relación** personal con Dios.

**1 Pedro 2:5 (RV-60)** vosotros también, como piedras vivas, sed edificados como casa espiritual y sacerdocio santo, para ofrecer sacrificios espirituales aceptables a Dios por medio de Jesucristo.



2. La Iglesia es un pueblo llamado a salir. *Ekklaeo* expresa la idea de afuera o salir. La separación del mundo es inherente a la **naturaleza** de la iglesia.

**2 Corintios 6:17–18 (RV-60)** <sup>17</sup> Por lo cual, salid de en medio de ellos, y apartaos, dice el Señor, y no toquéis lo inmundo; y yo os recibiré, <sup>18</sup> y seré para vosotros por Padre, y vosotros me seréis hijos e hijas, dice el Señor Todopoderoso.

- a. Como miembros de la iglesia somos el **templo** móvil de Dios y del Espíritu Santo. Somos representantes de Dios siempre preparados para el servicio.

**1 Corintios 3:16 (RV-60)** ¿No sabéis que sois templo de Dios, y que el Espíritu de Dios mora en vosotros?

3. La Iglesia es el **cuerpo** de Cristo. Esta imagen indica que la verdadera iglesia no puede existir separada de la vital unión de sus miembros con Cristo.

**1 Corintios 6:15 (RV-60)** ¿No sabéis que vuestros cuerpos son miembros de Cristo? ¿Quitaré, pues, los miembros de Cristo y los haré miembros de una ramera? De ningún modo.

4. La Iglesia es la esposa de Cristo. Esa imagen del matrimonio pone de relieve la devoción y la fidelidad de la Iglesia a Cristo, y el amor y la familiaridad de Cristo con su Iglesia.

**2 Corintios 11:2 (RV-60)** Porque os celo con celo de Dios; pues os he desposado con un solo esposo, para presentaros como una virgen pura a Cristo.

5. La Iglesia es una **confraternidad** espiritual (*koinonía*).

**2 Corintios 13:14 (RV-60)** La gracia del Señor Jesucristo, el amor de Dios, y la comunión del Espíritu Santo sean con todos vosotros. Amén.

La confraternidad abarca la morada del Espíritu, la unidad en el Espíritu, y el bautismo en el Espíritu. La confraternidad debe mostrar amor **visible** y cuidado mutuo.

**Juan 13:34–35 (RV-60)** <sup>34</sup> Un mandamiento nuevo os doy: Que os améis unos a otros; como yo os he amado, que también os améis unos a otros. <sup>35</sup> En esto conocerán todos que sois mis discípulos, si tuviereis amor los unos con los otros.

6. La Iglesia es un **ministerio** espiritual (*diakonía*). Servimos a través de los dones conferidos por el Espíritu Santo.

**Romanos 12:6 (RV-60)** De manera que, teniendo diferentes dones, según la gracia que nos es dada, si el de profecía, úsese conforme a la medida de la fe;

7. La Iglesia es un ejército comprometido en un **conflicto** espiritual.

La Iglesia está en una lucha espiritual contra Satanás y el pecado. El Espíritu, del cual está llena la Iglesia, es como un guerrero que esgrime la Palabra viva de Dios, para liberar a las personas del dominio de Satanás y conquistar a todo poder de este mundo tenebroso.

**Efesios 6:12 (RV-60)** Porque no tenemos lucha contra sangre y carne, sino contra principados, contra potestades, contra los gobernadores de las tinieblas de este siglo, contra huestes espirituales de maldad en las regiones celestes.

**Efesios 6:17 (RV-60)** Y tomad el yelmo de la salvación, y la espada del Espíritu, que es la palabra de Dios;

8. La Iglesia es columna y baluarte de la **verdad**.

**1 Timoteo 3:15–16 (RV-60)** para que si tardó, sepas cómo debes conducirte en la casa de Dios, que es la iglesia del Dios viviente, columna y baluarte de la verdad.

**Judas 3 (RV-60)** Amados, por la gran solicitud que tenía de escribiros acerca de nuestra común salvación, me ha sido necesario escribiros exhortándoos que contendáis ardientemente por la fe que ha sido una vez dada a los santos.

9. La Iglesia es un pueblo con **esperanza** futura. Esa esperanza está centrada en el **retorno** de Cristo por su pueblo.

**Juan 14:3 (RV-60)** Y si me fuere y os preparare lugar, vendré otra vez, y os tomaré a mí mismo, para que donde yo estoy, vosotros también estéis.

10. La Iglesia es **invisible** y visible.

Es invisible porque está unida a todos los creyentes en todas partes del mundo. Es visible porque está formada por las congregaciones locales integradas por vencedores

fieles, y también por lo que dicen ser cristianos pero que están **muertos espiritualmente** y son **tibios**.

**Apocalipsis 2:2 (RV-60)** Yo conozco tus obras, y tu arduo trabajo y paciencia; y que no puedes soportar a los malos, y has probado a los que se dicen ser apóstoles, y no lo son, y los has hallado mentirosos;

**Apocalipsis 2:5 (RV-60)** Recuerda, por tanto, de dónde has caído, y arrepíentete, y haz las primeras obras; pues si no, vendré pronto a ti, y quitaré tu candelero de su lugar, si no te hubieras arrepentido.

11. La Iglesia está llena de **arrugas** o imperfección.

**Efesios 5:27 (RV-60)** a fin de presentársela a sí mismo, una iglesia gloriosa, que no tuviese mancha ni arruga ni cosa semejante, sino que fuese santa y sin mancha.

## ESTUDIO ADICIONAL:

Lea **Mateo 16:18–19 (RV-60)** y responda las siguientes preguntas tomada de las notas de la *Biblia de Estudio de la Vida Plena*:<sup>2</sup>

- ¿Sobre qué confesión (roca) edifica Jesús su Iglesia?
  
- El nombre *Pedro* significa una \_\_\_\_\_ pequeña, pero la Iglesia está edificada sobre una \_\_\_\_\_ enorme.
  - Jesús es la \_\_\_\_\_ sobre la que está edificada la Iglesia. Pedro y otros creyentes son \_\_\_\_\_ de la Iglesia.
  
  - **Comentario:** La autoridad que Jesús le dio a Pedro de atar o desatar en la tierra, también se la dio a todos los otros apóstoles (Mateo 18:18). Así también, Jesús da autoridad a todos los creyentes de atar o desatar a la gente (Mateo 28:18–20).

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<sup>2</sup> Quentin McGhee: *Descubra los tesoros de su Biblia de Estudio de la Vida Plena: Recursos para obtener entendimiento espiritual*, Springfield, MO, Serie fe y acción, 2013, página 209.

- ¿Las Escrituras enseñan que Dios le dio más autoridad a Pedro que a los otros apóstoles?
- ¿Mateo 16:18 enseña que la maldad no podrá vencer a los creyentes ni a las iglesias? Explique.
- ¿Qué significa Mateo 16:18?
- ¿Qué representan «las llaves» en Mateo 16:19?
- ¿Cuáles son 5 cosas que los líderes de las iglesias y los creyentes hacen con la autoridad que Dios nos da (Mateo 16:19)?

Lea el artículo «La Iglesia» en la *Biblia de Estudio de la Vida Plena*. Responda lo siguiente:<sup>3</sup>

1. El vocablo griego para iglesia (*ekklésia*) se refiere a la \_\_\_\_\_ de un pueblo.
2. La palabra *iglesia* puede referirse a la \_\_\_\_\_ o al conjunto de todos los creyentes, llamada la \_\_\_\_\_.
3. La Iglesia es el pueblo de Dios, redimido por \_\_\_\_\_. La Iglesia tiene una \_\_\_\_\_ con Dios.

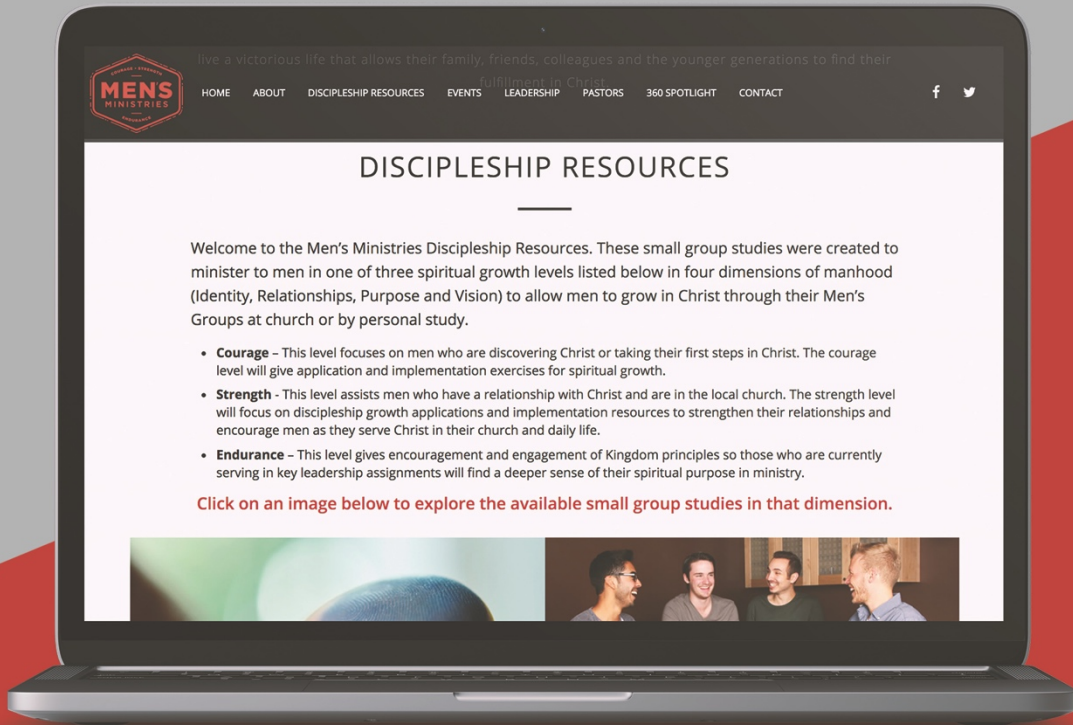
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4. La Iglesia es un pueblo llamado a salir del \_\_\_\_\_.
5. La Iglesia es llamada a ser el \_\_\_\_\_ de Dios y del Espíritu Santo.
6. Así como el cuerpo está unido a la cabeza, cualquier iglesia genuina está unida a \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Así como el esposo y la esposa son mutuamente fieles, \_\_\_\_\_.
8. ¿Cómo muestra la Iglesia que es una confraternidad espiritual?
9. ¿Cómo puede ministrar la Iglesia?
10. ¿Qué involucra el conflicto espiritual de la Iglesia?
11. Así como el cimiento sostiene el edificio, la Iglesia sostiene \_\_\_\_\_.
12. ¿En qué está centrada la esperanza futura de la Iglesia?

**Comentario:** Cuando nos referimos a la Iglesia invisible, queremos decir que no siempre podemos ver si todos son verdaderos creyentes. Solamente Dios ve lo que hay en el corazón de las personas. Así que la Iglesia verdadera nos es invisible a nosotros.

13. ¿La Iglesia visible –todos los que llegan a la iglesia local– incluye solo a los verdaderos creyentes? Explique.



# Download Reports



# Men's Discipleship Resources Download Report Stats

## **Top 5 Districts by Users**

1. Southern Missouri
2. Peninsular Florida
3. North Texas
4. Potomac
5. Arizona

## **Bottom 5 Districts by Users**

1. Wyoming
2. North Dakota
3. Louisiana
4. Northern New England
5. Alaska

## **Top 5 Districts by Visits**

1. Southern Missouri
2. Peninsular Florida
3. West Texas & Plains
4. Arizona
5. Nebraska

## **Bottom 5 Districts by Visits**

1. Wyoming
2. Louisiana
3. Northern New England
4. Alaska
5. Kentucky

## **Top 5 Districts by Downloads**

1. Arizona
2. Southern Missouri
3. Peninsular Florida
4. Oklahoma
5. Spanish Eastern

## **Bottom 5 Districts by Downloads**

1. Wyoming
2. Louisiana
3. Alaska
4. North Dakota
5. Northern New England



### Months by Downloads

1. January – 2133
2. April – 1926
3. September – 1293
4. August – 1020
5. February – 996
6. October – 958
7. November – 937
8. December – 913
9. July – 858
10. May – 775
11. June – 663
12. March – 104 (Tracking was down)

### Top 5 Lessons by Downloads

1. Courage to Love – 338
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4. Boiling Point Worry – 158
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1. Courage to Love – 178
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4. Courage to Lead – 72
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# 360MAN NETWORK



## **What is the vision for the 360Man Network?**

## **Why is becoming a 360Man important?**

Every man is created and designed by God to impact the world by demonstrating courage, strength, endurance, purpose, vision, honor and godliness. We're creating a 360Man network as a means for Christian men to connect with each other, grow in the Lord, minister to each other, and help reach the world for Jesus.

## **What is a 360Man?**

A 360Man embodies the teachings and conduct described in Acts 2:42-47 by

- living for Jesus
- studying the Bible
- serving his church and community
- discipling other men
- sharing his faith boldly
- participating in world evangelism

## **How do I become a 360Man?**

Simple. Sign up and commit. By doing so you will be supporting Men's Ministries Across the United States, and also taking the gospel into all the world. We ask every 360Man to have "skin in the game" and commit to giving \$30 each month.

**Your monthly commitment ensures that we are able to do three important things.**

- **Provide *FireBibles* for people needing one in their heart language.**

Why *FireBibles*? The *FireBible* is the #1 Study Bible in the world, it's the official Bible of Men's Ministries, and it's a great tool for spreading the gospel literally everywhere!

- **Support the Men's Ministries activities and outreaches near you.**

Through your support, other men in your district/network will benefit spiritually; and when they join your 360Man network they will, in turn, help bless others.

- **Coordinate, expand, and improve the Men's Ministries capabilities of our national office.**

We work to provide men like you with discipleship resources and opportunities for spiritual growth that include retreats, conferences, missions trips, Holy Land trips, and special evangelism missions projects in the U.S. and worldwide.

**What resources are available to me as a 360Man?**

- First of all, your greatest resource as a 360Man is the network of thousands of men who also want to become more like Jesus, be leaders in their church or community, and see people come to know Christ as Savior. We're going to make sure you have opportunity to engage in this active network of men!
- Second, we send every 360Man a print or email copy of *360 Spotlight*, a newsletter packed with updates on what is happening through Men's Ministries and Light for the Lost overseas and in the U.S. This publication focuses on MM topics, missions projects, missionary stories, *FireBible* updates and discipleship resource updates that affect men like you.



# EVENTS



## Who do I contact concerning Men's events, promotion and resources?

- Please add the Men's National Office to your events mailing list. You can add the National Men's email: [men@ag.org](mailto:men@ag.org).

## What options does the district have for events?

- There are many different opportunities that would include but not be limited to the following:
  - District Council
  - Local Church Services
  - National Men's Day (Father's Day, Sunday, June 16)
  - District Sponsored Events
  - Leadership Training Events
  - District Awards Program

## How do I order Men's resources?

- Men's promotional products are available through My Healthy Church (800-641-4310 or [www.gospelpublishing.com](http://www.gospelpublishing.com)).
- Additional resources are provided through the National Men's Office.

## **How do I obtain Men's artwork and logos?**

- Men's artwork and logos are available for download at [www.men.ag.org](http://www.men.ag.org) or can be obtained through the National Men's Office.

## **Who can speak at a Men's event?**

- We would encourage you to select a speaker who can clearly communicate the vision and purpose of Men's Ministries. Some characteristics of an effective speaker include but are not limited:
  - Motivates visionary commitment to spiritual growth
  - Committed to Men's
  - Passionate for missions
  - Clear and concise message
  - Amenable to host leadership for schedule, time constraints, purpose
  - and objectives
- To help a speaker be effective, the district director should communicate the objectives and desired outcome of the event.

## **What is the suggested honorarium for a speaker?**

- \$150 - \$200: Local/State Missionary or Speaker
- \$200 - \$300: State District Official or Missionary
- \$250 - \$400: Regional Missionary or Speaker/Fundraiser
- \$300 - \$500: National Prominent Missionary or Communicator
- Over \$500: Large Men's Retreat/Conference Speaker

NOTE: Predicated on ability to pay. Remember you are also taking care of their travel, meals, housing, etc.



# Israel Trip

**DEADLINE TO SIGN UP: FEBRUARY 28, 2019!**

## **2019 Men's Ministries Disciples Journey November 9-17, 2019**

### **Overview:**

Everyone who travels to the Holy Land returns deeply changed from the experience. This is something I have witnessed firsthand from the people who have traveled with me to the Holy Land. One common result for pastors is that they find their preaching strengthened as their knowledge of the Bible deepens. A result for the man in the pew is that they develop a closer walk with Jesus and gain new insight into the land, people, and cultures in which Jesus ministered.

We will explore key sites and take a look into the major events that shaped and impacted Jesus and his disciples. We'll visit sites like: Jerusalem, Bethlehem, the Sea of Galilee, Nazareth, Nimrod's fortress, the Jordan River, Capernaum, and the Dead Sea. We will also explore the famous desert battle site of Masada.

This is open to ALL men who desires to walk where Jesus walked, experience the places Jesus would have taught, and grow as a disciple of Christ. We've intentionally planned this experience to be unlike other Holy Land tour.

- Sign Up and \$400 deposit by **February 28, 2019**
- Sign up at [www.holylandsstudies.org/2019mensjourney](http://www.holylandsstudies.org/2019mensjourney)
- Travel Forms & Balance Due: **August 7, 2019**

# PROGRAM ITINERARY

## Day 1, Saturday, November 9

**Day 1:** Depart from the U.S.

## Day 2, Sunday, November 10

**Itinerary:**

1. Arrive in Israel
2. Drive to Sea of Galilee

## Day 3, Monday, November 11

**Day 3:** What does it mean to be a father as seen through the life of Joseph – Jesus' earthly father.

**Itinerary:**

1. Nazareth
2. Kfar Kedem
3. Arbel Synagogue
4. Magdala

## Day 4, Tuesday, November 12

**Day 4:** Learn how to stand against the pressures of the world. What was it like for the Jews to resist the pressures of their day?

**Itinerary:**

1. Dan:
  - a. Idol Worship
2. Caesarea Phillipi
  - a. Pan: Sexual Immorality
3. Nimrod's Fortress
  - a. Transfiguration
4. Har BenTal
  - a. Look over into Damascus

## Day 5, Wednesday, November 13

**Day 5:** Look at the ministry of Jesus as a man. How did Jesus live in the culture of his day under the leading of his Heavenly Father?

**Itinerary:**

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| 1. Jordan River Baptism | 4. St Peter's Lunch     |
| 2. Almagor              | 5. Capernaum            |
| 3. Chorazin             | 6. Night Time Boat Ride |



## **Day 6, Thursday, November 14**

**Day 6:** Learn how our behaviors come to the surface in the face of adversity.

### **Itinerary:**

1. Masada: Zealots chose a bad behavior in the face of adversity
2. Qumran
3. En Gedi: David chose the proper behavior in the face of adversity
4. Dead Sea: Choose to be useful
5. Wadi Qilt (Jericho Road): Jesus challenged his disciples to choose the appropriate action: Love God and Love your neighbor

## **Day 7, Friday, November 15**

**Day 7:** We are faced with choices every day how can we make the correct choice?

### **Itinerary:**

1. Mount of Olives (arrive by 8am): Disciples had a choice and they didn't choose appropriately all the time – God is merciful. (we have choices today: pornography, frustration, anger, etc)
2. Garden of Gethsemane: Jesus had a choice. He chose to follow the His Father.
3. Southern Wall Excavations, (Southern Steps of the Temple Mount), Western Wall
4. Bethlehem (Shepherds Field only)

## **Day 8, Saturday, November 16**

**Day 8:** How can we be missional in our life.

### **Itinerary:**

1. Jaffa Gate
2. Cardo
3. Gennat Gate
4. Church of the Holy Sepulcher: Jesus followed and fulfilled His mission
5. Caesarea: Paul followed and fulfilled his mission. We are called from this spot to go and fulfill our mission (discipling our family)
6. Farewell Dinner





## **Day 9: Sunday, November 17**







**Arrive back in the U.S.**



# PRODUCTS








Picture	Description	Price	Discounted Price
	LFTL (Old Logo) Mesh Hat	\$7.00	\$5.00
	LFTL (Old Logo) Black Plaid Polo	\$30.00	\$20.00
	LFTL (Old Logo) Blue Plaid Polo	\$30.00	\$20.00
	LFTL (Old Logo) Red or Blue w/White Stripe Polo	\$30.00	\$20.00




	<p>LFTL (Old Logo) Black Sweater Vest</p>	<p>\$60.00</p>	<p>\$20.00</p>
	<p>LFTL (Old Logo) Black Sweater</p>	<p>\$60.00</p>	<p>\$40.00</p>
	<p>LFTL (Old Logo) Black or Navy Thick Sweater</p>	<p>\$42.00</p>	<p>\$40.00</p>
	<p>Dual Logo Blue Camp Shirt</p>	<p>\$45.00</p>	
	<p>Men's Blue Camp Shirt</p>	<p>\$40.00</p>	
	<p>Men's Strength Theme T-Shirt</p>	<p>\$15.00</p>	

	<p>Men's Black Polo</p>	<p>\$45.00</p>
	<p>Men's 3/4 Zipper Black and Gray Stripe Long Sleeve Shirt</p>	<p>\$60.00</p>
	<p>Men's Navy Long Sleeve Henley</p>	<p>\$25.00</p>
	<p>Men's Black Long Sleeve Henley</p>	<p>\$25.00</p>

	Men's Black Sweater	\$60.00
	Men's Gray Sweater	\$60.00
	Men's Navy Sweater	\$60.00
	LFTL Green w/White Polo	\$40.00

	<p>LFTL Navy w/White Polo</p>	<p>\$40.00</p>
	<p>LFTL Teal Nike Polo</p>	<p>\$45.00</p>
	<p>LFTL Charcoal Fitted Button Up</p>	<p>\$60.00</p>
	<p>LFTL Black Sweater Vest</p>	<p>\$60.00</p>
	<p>LFTL Gray Sweater Vest</p>	<p>\$60.00</p>



	LFTL Black Sweater	\$60.00
	LFTL Gray Sweater	\$60.00
	LFTL Yellow Beanie	\$8.00