



Helping Mobile Baptist Association

Churches to BE Church through Missions

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SBC: 16.3 Million
 44,223 Churches
 MBA: 64.5 Thousand
 108 Churches

INCARNATE MISSIONS:

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"Missions involvement in your church needs an advocate, a person with a passion for the target people or people group.

Can you identify the missions' advocates in your church? Will you mobilize them?

PARTNERSHIP MISSIONS

Involvement in local, state, national and international projects!

The Bible tells us how we can know God's will. An evangelist once said that knowing God's will is not a big Easter-egg hunt. God loves you and has a plan for your life and wants you to know His will.

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If we have presented our selves holy before the LORD,

the LORD has a mission for us. Part of the mission that the LORD has for us is to be His hands, feet, ears, mouth, and the incarnation of His love in the world today. Jesus wants us to partner with Him to be a part of seeking the lost whether they live in our neighborhood or on the opposite side of the world.



Missions begin at home, but this reality should never be an excuse for not being a part of sending/taking the Gospel to the various parts of the world.

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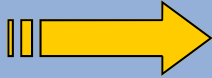
MISSIONS' RESOURCE SITES



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Introduce your church to Partnership Missions

On a shoestring budget!

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Missionaries-in-Residence with the MBA. They are available to help you promote international, national, state, or local Missions involvement.

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Check the web-sites for Summit locations, venues, and costs. Sending and/or taking key members to one of these events would be a great and inexpensive way to introduce your church to future volunteer involvement in International Missions.

Our goal is for every church to send at least one, or one more than ever before, in local or international missions.

Camp Whispering Pines — an opportunity to impact lives through construction, ongoing Katrina repair, program involvement and more.

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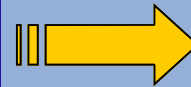
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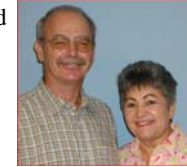
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