
TWO IMPORTANT CHURCH PLANTING QUESTIONS

Romans 15:20, 30

- If church planting is both Biblical and necessary, why do we fail to do it?
- Is it not our responsibility to promote church planting and assist the men who are doing it?

"I certainly do rejoice in the many new churches being started, but it is also true that the _____ is higher than it should be. Why?"
--Dr. Grant Rice

I. WHY DO SO MANY CHURCH PLANTERS STRUGGLE?

- A. The church planter failed preach the gospel, _____ converts, and _____ leaders.
- B. The church planter was _____ really called.
- C. The church planter was poorly _____.
- D. The church planter was not properly _____.
- E. The church planter failed to _____ an adequate _____ team.
- F. The church planter did not _____ support and assistance from his _____ church.
- G. The church planter's _____ was not ready for the challenge.
- H. The church planter was too heavily in _____.
- I. The church planter did not develop and execute a solid _____ and _____.
- J. The church planter selected the _____ meeting _____.
- K. The church planter was _____.
- L. The church planter struggled to build _____.
- M. The church planter lacked _____ and refused to _____ help.
- N. The church planter became overwhelmed with _____.
- O. The church planter was _____.

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II. HOW CAN WE HELP THEM SUCCEED?

- A. See the _____ as a mission field.
- B. Support and encourage a church planter regardless of _____ differences.
- C. Focus on church _____ as well as church _____.
- D. Forget previous “_____” and get involved again.
- E. Learn what is _____ of a sending church and _____ that role.
 - 1. Fervent _____
 - 2. Constant _____
 - 3. Personal _____
 - 4. Financial _____(significant!)
 - 5. Human _____
 - 6. Available _____ (technology/office)
 - 7. Pastoral _____ (for purposes of support)