

Course Syllabus MIS-101 The Missionary Call

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Course Identification

Course Number: MIS-101

Course Name: The Missionary Call

Course Hours: 3.0

Prerequisites:

Course Description/Overview

When the Lord calls us to serve Him, it is just like the start of a foot race. We are excited, full of strength and ready to run. However, a short while down the track, we discover that it takes more than our initial excitement if we want to last for the next 20, 30 or 50 years. And it takes even more to finally cross the finish line and win the prize. The purpose of this course is to help us consider and understand our calling and then find the courage and strength, through God's grace, to endure until He has finished His purpose through us. Surely there will be no greater joy for us than one day to exclaim, like Paul: "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith" (2 Timothy 4:7).

Course Learning Objectives

The major objective of this course is:

- That the student will gain a greater understanding of the call
- That the student will learn how to gain the courage and strength by God's grace to endure until Jesus comes or calls him or her home
- That the student will learn how to help others understand God's calling

Course Resources

Required Course Text

- The Holy Bible
- Textbook as provided by the seminary

Course Fees

None.

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Course Schedule

Assignment 1

Lesson 1: Read the textbook.

Assignment 2

Lesson 2: Write a 5 page summary and submit to the Seminary.