## **ARE YOU READY TO BEGIN YOUR JOURNEY INTO** MISSIONS?

The journey into missions is not a straight line, and the journey never ends. It can be pictured as a cycle of three repeating actions: Discover. Prepare. Engage. Diving into this cycle helps you clarify your part in God's work among the nations, and each of the actions flow naturally into the others. As you participate in all three over a lifetime, God will reveal more to you about your part in the mission.









## God's big mission in the world & how it intersects with your life

- Read about missionaries and organizations
- Take personality assessments and spiritual gifts tests
- Share your sense of God's leading
- Observe different areas or ministry
- Discover God's big mission in his Word

- Investigate global missions partnerships in your church
- Sign up for "The Amplifier" and follow Global Partners on social media
- Watch world news and global documentaries
- Ask your pastor to share their calling
- Interview a missionary









## Your ability to hear God's voice & his specific missional leading for your life

- Practice listening to God through spiritual disciplines
- Find a mentor
- Learn life skills
- Befriend people who have little in common with you
- Read Scripture daily
- Read **books** from missionaries

- Find prayer partners and pray with/for others
- Try something new
- Initiate conversations with people you don't know
- Join some sort of "team"
- Write out your testimony and practice sharing it with others









## In meaningful, missional partnerships in the global church

- Practice sharing the Gospel in everyday situations
- Volunteer in a local missional ministry
- Send a long-term missionary a care package with things they need
- Mentor/disciple someone
- Partner with a long-term missionary
- Share stories

- Organize a missionary support fundraiser
- Download Operation World and pray for a different country each week
- Spend a week serving in a domestic urban setting
- Go overseas on a short-term trip
- Do a **NEXT** internship when you turn
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- Encourage others to GO!





