

Devotion Day 5

After exploring the topics covered in your week of camp, we now arrive at the final main point from the week: God Sends Whoever. This devotional will dive deeper into how God wants us to be sent to Whoever. Read through the devotional and answer the questions.

Activity:

Using a globe or map, close your eyes and randomly point to a location. Once your finger is on a location, open your eyes and look to see where you have picked. With the help of the internet and the supervision of a parent or guardian? Look up that country and answer these questions. How many people live there? What is their national animal and flower? How many people are Christian in that country? How many people practice other religions? What is their national food?

Read: Acts 1:8

The book of Acts was written by Luke, the same author of the Gospel of Luke. He is writing down a historical account of Jesus' life for his friend to learn about Jesus. In verse 8, Luke recalls how Jesus talks to his disciples, telling them to be witnesses or tell the world about Jesus. In this verse, there are four specific areas they are commanded to go to. First is Jerusalem, a city very local to them and where their friends and families lived near. Next was Judea, where Jerusalem was located; this is the country surrounding them full of their people. Next is Samaria, this country was above Judea, and they were commonly known as enemies. They hated each other, yet

the disciples were called to go to them. Finally, the largest picture is the whole world reaching every single person.

Jesus called them to reach their neighbors, country, enemies, and the world. This shows us that no matter what,

God wants to send us to Whoever.

Questions:

- Have you ever gone on a mission, or has someone you have known gone on a mission?
- What was your or their experience?
- Right now, where can you go on a mission? Whether that is in your neighborhood or on a trip.

God wants Whoever to hear the gospel, whether that is our next-door neighbor or someone halfway across the

world. Without people going out and spreading the good news, people would not be able to know about the

love of God. Everyone should be reached because God sends us to Whoever.