The Great Commission and The Endtime Church

- 1. During Jesus' earthy ministry...
 - A. His call. Matt. 4:18-22; Matt. 9:9; John 1:43
 - B. Some He called but they wouldn't follow. Mark 10:17-22
 - C. Sending the twelve out to preach. Luke 9:1-2, 6
 - D. Sending <u>seventy</u> out to preach. Luke 10:1, 17...unto the Jews only.
- 2. After Jesus' earthly ministry He gave The Great Commission.

Mark 16:15-17 and Matt. 28:19

- A. This was given for the whole world.
 - 1. "Go ye". That was to the early church and to us today.
 - 2. We can do it, because Jesus said, "all power is given unto me...go ye therefore." And "I am with you alway even unto the end of the world." (vs. 20)
- 3. What is needed today to fulfill The Great Commission.
 - A. Men and women who want to reach others.
 - 1. A zeal for God; a prayer life (fellowship with Christ).
 - 2. Apostolic Faith: (a) not afraid to go out there (b) believe the gospel works (c) willing to sacrifice
 - 3. The Apostolic Message. **Acts 2:38, 42** We must believe it. We must preach and teach it.
 - 4. The Church Body: (a) prayful (b) worshipful (c) holy living **Heb. 12:14** (d) giving (e) not neglecting church attendance **Heb. 10:25**