

# Motives for Missions

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**Defective Motive:  
Preaching Christ  
for Selfish Purposes**



# Philippians 1:15a

It is true that some preach Christ  
out of envy and rivalry...



# Philippians 1:17

The former preach Christ out of selfish ambition, not sincerely, supposing that they can stir up trouble for me while I am in chains.



**Secondary Motive:  
Preaching Christ  
for Humanitarian and  
Personal Reasons**



**The Fundamental Motive**  
**The Pure, God-Driven Motive:**  
**Reflecting the Will of God**

# Psalm 105:1

Give praise to the LORD,  
proclaim his name;  
make known among the nations  
what he has done.



# Psalm 105:2

Sing to him, sing praise to him;  
tell of all his wonderful acts.

# Psalm 105:2

Glory in his holy name;  
let the hearts of those who seek  
the LORD rejoice.



**What is a call?**

**A profound impression from  
God that establishes  
parameters for your life and can  
only be altered by a  
subsequent, superseding  
impression from God.**



