



Saturate Santa Maria

Habakkuk 2:14 For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of Yahweh, like the waters covering the sea.

Saturate USA Vision:

To saturate the city of Santa Maria with the good news of Jesus Christ, touching every home in the zip codes of 93454, 93455, 93456, and 93458 before the end of 2019.

Santa Maria/Orcutt

107,000 people reside in Santa Maria as of 2017, largest city in Santa Barbara County.

- **73.7 % Hispanic or Latino**
- **26 % not Hispanic or Latino**
- **2018 Estimated Median Household Income**
 - Santa Maria \$56,500
 - Santa Barbara\$75,640
 - Lompoc .. \$50,207
 - California \$70,636
- **Composition of Population:**

○ Age Analysis:	City:	State:
	Male 50.4%	49.7%
	Female 49.6%	50.3%

Median Age	29.4	36.9
○ Avg. Household Size	3.74	2.90
Owner-occupied	51.3%	55.8%
Renter occupied	48.7%	44.2%

- **Weather:**

- 14" of annual rainfall.
- Average high is 68.6 degrees;
- record low 20 degrees in 1978;
- record high 110 degrees in 2008.

- **Interesting note:** The Legend of Zorro was based on the life of Solomon Pico, a murderous bandit who camped in the Santa Maria hills.

Here's the idea:

- Touch EVERY house in our zip codes with the gospel of Jesus Christ.
 - Every residence in our 4 Zip Codes

Play Saturate Vision Vimeo [HERE.](#)

Here's How We Will Do This:

- Mobilize teams from churches in Santa Maria/Orcutt to walk every street, every avenue, every road and pray over every home.
- Deposit on every house front doorknob a plastic bag with a copy of at least 4 things:
 - 1@ DVD – in 8 of the most common languages in the USA, not subtitled, dramatically spoken through each actor.
 1. Three Movies on the DVD
 - Jesus Movie
 - Magdalena Movie – intended for women
 - Jesus Movie for children
 - 1@ Campus Crusade (CRU) "Four Spiritual Laws" tract
 - 1@ flier explaining what makes Jesus different than other faiths.
 - 1@ flier from our church, **in English and Spanish**, inviting those in the house to our church and the Resurrection Play.
 1. After Passover it will only mention our church services and outreaches.
- **20,000 to 30,000 DVDs** will be delivered to CCSM on pallets about the 3rd week of March! **Enough for all of our Zip Codes!**
 - **Four crews needed:**
 1. **Adopt** – Simply adopt a zip code(s) in our city to Saturate.
 - A TEAM of 2 people can deliver 400 Saturation Packs in just 4

HOURS...and a TEAM of 25 people can deliver 5000 packs in just 4 HOURS.

2. **Receive** – Saturate USA will provide and deliver all materials **FREE of charge**. Saturation Packs include: Door Hangers, Multi-Language Jesus Film DVDs, Gospel Tracts and Adopted Area Maps.
3. **Assemble** - Assemble our team and our Saturation Packs which include the Door Hangers, DVDs, Gospel Tracts and information or a brochure about our Church.
4. **Saturate** – Go out as individuals or as groups and deliver Saturation Packs to our entire adopted area.

What can be better than: Spreading the Love of God, Growing Your Church and Meeting New Neighbors!

WHY SATURATE?

It's simple.

It's world class.

Who preaches the Gospel better than the Jesus film? In over 1600 languages?

It's irresistible.

Who refuses a free gift of real substance?

It's interdenominational.

The focus is Jesus - pure and simple!

Everyone can participate.

All ages can participate.

No special training.

Everyone knows they should share their faith but they don't know how. Even with training people often feel ill-equipped.

Volunteers love it.

Volunteers often said "It was a privilege", "It was an honor" and "Do you have more?".

Churches love it.

Besides new converts, the church can expect their invitations to church to reap a harvest in attendance.

People love it.

Everyone, with very few exceptions, were very receptive. Moreover, many expressed their conviction that they are happy to see the church reaching out. Even unbelievers, skeptics and people of another faith welcome the gift about Jesus.

It's anointed.

The Gospel itself is anointed, yet God is anointing the church's obedience (Mt.28:18-20; Mk.16:15). And yet God chose this vision for this season. A trifecta!

**Here's what happened in Orlando, Florida, last year:
[Insert Orlando Vimeo here.](#)**

Sermon:

Matthew 28:18–20

18 And Jesus approached and spoke to them, saying, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.

19 **Therefore**, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

20 teaching them to observe everything I have commanded you, and behold, I am with you all the days until the end of the age."

28:18 And Jesus approached and spoke to them, saying,
"All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.

- Daniel said Jesus would have dominion, and glory, and a kingdom.

Daniel 7:14 Then to Him (Jesus) was given dominion and glory and a kingdom,

That all peoples, nations, and languages should serve Him.

His dominion is an everlasting dominion,

Which shall not pass away,

And His kingdom the one

Which shall not be destroyed.

Jesus needed to get the disciples up and going with specific tasks:

Therefore:

1. **Go to them**
2. **Make Disciples of them**
3. **Baptize them in the Name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.**
4. **Teach them.**

Therefore:

- **Kistemaker** on “**therefore**” -
Briefly it means: *Go,*
 - a. *because your Lord has so ordered;*
 - b. *because he has promised to impart all the needed strength; and*
 - c. *because he is worthy of the homage, faith, and obedience of all men.*(Exposition of the Gospel According to Matthew).

GO:

- **BUT – don't just go**
 - **Go and preach**
 - **Go and teach**
 - **Go and make disciples**
 - **There's NO BLESSING IN JUST THE GOING!**

We don't go on our own:

- **We go in the authority of our King Jesus**

Ephesians 6:19–20
19 and for me, that utterance may be given to me,
that I may open my mouth boldly
to make known the mystery of the gospel,
20 for which I am an ambassador in chains;
that in it I may speak boldly, as I ought to speak.

 - **Ambassadors represent their sovereigns in foreign territories.**
 - **Authority of their King**
 - **Diplomatic immunity – where ever they stand.**
- **We go preaching and teaching**

- The oft used saying "Go to the world and preach the Gospel. If necessary use words" (probably falsely attributed to Francis of Assisi) **is not Biblical.**

- How will they hear without someone preaching?

And so empowered by the Spirit, Who gives boldness to speak, we unashamedly speak the Gospel.

Romans 10:13–17 (NIV84)

13 . . . "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

14 How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in?

And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard?

And how can they hear without someone preaching to them?

15 And how can they preach unless they are sent?

As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"

17 Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word of Christ.

- Always speak the Word of God:

Isaiah 55:10–11

10 "For as the rain comes down, and the snow from heaven,
And do not return there,

But water the earth,
And make it bring forth and bud,
That it may give seed to the sower
And bread to the eater,

11 So shall My word be that goes forth from My mouth;
It shall not return to Me void,
But it shall accomplish what I please,
And it shall prosper in the thing for which I sent it.

- **We go obeying His command**
- **We go to make disciples of all nations**
 - Disciples: follower, adherent, believer, admirer, devotee.
- **We go to encourage them to confession of Jesus through water Baptism.**

- **We go to teach them the Holy Scriptures** – not the doctrines of our church, not the policies of our denomination – just the Holy, life changing Word of God.
 - Calvary Chapels are “evangelical, believer baptizing, teaching, discipling churches.”

J D Greear, author of the provocatively titled book Stop Asking Jesus Into Your Heart- How to Know for Sure You Are Saved, writes

"Christ did not come to make Christians; He came to make disciples. Discipleship is not one of the church's various ministries. It is not something that the paid staff do. Discipleship is who we – as the church – are at our very core... a more Biblical approach to evangelism."

Chris Adsit, Executive Director, Disciplemakers International, writes:
"Scientists and theologians agree: everything that is alive grows and reproduces. How is it, then, that so many Christians are not growing and not reproducing spiritually?... the two are mutually dependent - those who grow reproduce, and those who reproduce grow... (the modern church needs to equip members) to produce growing reproducers, and thereby grow Christ's church."

Benediction

Grant, we beseech thee, Almighty God, that the words, which we have heard this day with our outward ears, may through Thy grace be so grafted inwardly to our hearts, that they may bring forth in us the fruit of good living, to the honor and praise of Thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.