

Title- Godly Passion, and learning Fever, measles, and murder in Hewa

1. God invites us to take part in His big and beautiful plan, but His heart beats for more than just Prescott, or Arizona, or even America. Take turns looking up these verses and discuss the words that describe the extent of His passion (Based on wording from the NIV).

Genesis 12:3 “. . . _____ on earth will be blessed through you.”

Psalms 86:9 “All the _____ you have made will come and worship before you. . .”

Acts 1:8 “. . . you will be my witnesses in _____ and in all _____ and _____ and to the _____ of the earth.”

Revelation 5:9 “. . . with your blood you purchased for God persons from every _____ and _____ and _____ and _____.”

2. God invites us to take part in his beautiful plan, but obedience will not result in an easy life. There will be hardship and disappointments and obstacles to overcome. Discuss a few of the obstacles you heard about from the Hewa story, and then talk about the different ways God has helped you overcome hardships when you have stepped out to make a difference in your community for God.

3. Look up Hebrews 12:2-3. How can the concepts of this verse help us embrace hardship for the higher cause of God’s honor?

4. Discuss ways in which to encourage the youth and adults of Cornerstone to catch the vision of taking the message of the cross to the places it has not yet been.