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## **OUTLINE 5/27/12:** LUKE 8:26-39

## THE PRIORITY OF THE GOSPEL "A Missionary Endeavor"

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1. The missionary field is the place of the dead: vs 26

Lev 11:32; 21:1,11; 22:4/Acts 9:9-16/Haggai 2:13 – Their motive? 2 Cor 5:14-17

- 2. The work of missionaries is the advancement of the gospel in its power to assault the darkness of hell: vs 27a Mt 16:18-19
- 3. The bio of the lost sinner: vs 27/Mark 5:2
  - (a) Unclean/Unsanctified, unwashed filthy spiritually:

Mind/mouth/manners. Mt 15:11,18-19/Rom 1/Eph 5/Col 4/Rev 22 – The worst of all uncleanness is false religion.

Prov 30:11-14/Mt 23:25-28

(b) Nakedness/unclean - synonym:

Lev 18-20/Gen 9: 22-25/Rev 1:13-15.

"A sign of the end time generation" before judgment/few saved

- **(c) Homeless:** Uncivilized/ without family no natural affection: 2 Tim3:3—"The biblical family model scorned and rejected"
- (d) Fierce: Mt 8:28/Prov 30:11-14 /2 Tim 3:3 Angry, hostile, contentious, vicious, immoral, ungodly -What am I describing? A Christ rejecting age! Luke 23:5
- 4. An unavoidable decree: Luke 8:28-29/Mark 5:6-8

Christ confronts the demons with the Word of his power John 1:5 /Isa 60:1-3

5. What is the only remedy for spiritual bondage, darkness and slavery? The power of Christ. It was prophesied in Isa 61:1-3/It was announced in Luke 4:20/It was witnessed in his on ministry Mt 11: 5/Rom 1:16-17