

# Mindset for Missions

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QUIZ FOR CANDY!!!

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❖ Kai recently published a book on

a) Mathew 17

b) The book of Acts

c) The book of Revelation



KAI AKAGI

# Proclaiming the Judge of the Living and the Dead

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Mohr Siebeck

Kai Akagi considers the Christological significance of Jesus's role in judgement in the speeches in Acts 10:34-43 and 17:22-31.

❖ What are Sean & Jessica Ransom's kids names?

Keon  
Christian  
Gracie  
Tyler  
Isabella  
Evangeline "Nina"  
Josiah



❖ Where are the Ellingson's living right now?





Albertville, France





- ❖ What do Ricardo Morales & Pastor James have in common?



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“And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.””

Matthew 28:18–20 ESV



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“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”

(Acts 1:8 ESV)

"When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance."

(Acts 2:1–4 ESV)

"Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. And they were amazed and astonished, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language?

Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—

we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others mocking said, "They are filled with new wine." "

(Acts 2:5–13 ESV)



"Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?" And Peter said to them, "Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself." And with many other words he bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, "Save yourselves from this crooked generation." So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls."

(Acts 2:37–41 ESV)

“And they devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and the fellowship,  
to the breaking of bread and the prayers.”

**(Acts 2:42 ESV)**

"Now those who were scattered because of the persecution that arose over Stephen traveled as far as Phoenicia and Cyprus and Antioch, speaking the word to no one except Jews. But there were some of them, men of Cyprus and Cyrene, who on coming to Antioch spoke to the Hellenists also, preaching the Lord Jesus. And the hand of the Lord was with them, and a great number who believed turned to the Lord. The report of this came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas to Antioch. When he came and saw the grace of God, he was glad, and he exhorted them all to remain faithful to the Lord with steadfast purpose, for he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were added to the Lord. So Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul, and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. For a whole year they met with the church and taught a great many people. And in Antioch the disciples were first called Christians."

(Acts 11:19–26 ESV)



"Now there were in the church at Antioch prophets and teachers, Barnabas, Simeon who was called Niger, Lucius of Cyrene, Manaen a lifelong friend of Herod the tetrarch, and Saul. While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, "Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them." Then after fasting and praying they laid their hands on them and sent them off. So, being sent out by the Holy Spirit, they went down to Seleucia, and from there they sailed to Cyprus. When they arrived at Salamis, they proclaimed the word of God in the synagogues of the Jews. And they had John to assist them."

(Acts 13:1–5 ESV)

“And when they had spoken the word in Perga, they went down to Attalia, and from there they sailed to Antioch, where they had been commended to the grace of God for the work that they had fulfilled. And when they arrived and gathered the church together, they declared all that God had done with them, and how he had opened a door of faith to the Gentiles. And they remained no little time with the disciples.”

(Acts 14:25–28 ESV)





# Sean & Jessica Ransom

Manilla, Philippines since 2004

Ransom's \$755 / mo

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- ❖ Teaching at The Expositor's Academy (T.E.A)
- ❖ Elder at Greenhill's Christian Fellowship
- ❖ Conference speaker



# Kai Akagi

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- ❖ Writing
- ❖ Conference speaker



# David & Ashley Ellingson

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- ❖ Language Training in  
Albertville, France
- ❖ Training local pastors
- ❖ Strengthening local church  
through discipleship and  
counselling





# Ricardo & Vonna Morales

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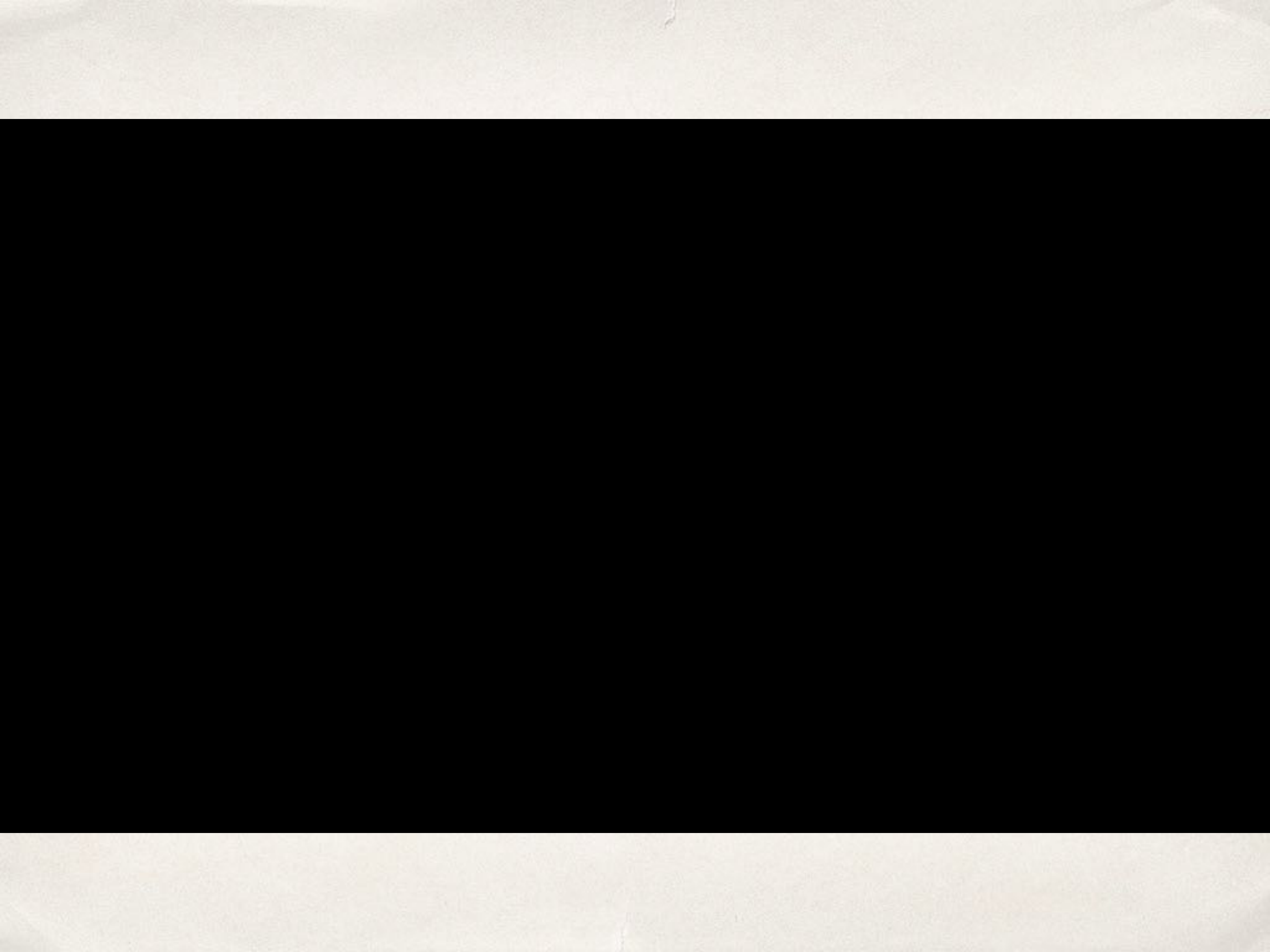
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