Exegesis paper feedback

Theology of Missions

Best restatement: Jon-Erik Beelby

- "Friends, you have to go to the ends of the world and evangelize to all my creation that I am alive and well. Proclaim that I have conquered death and paid the price for their sins, and I long to bring them to me in paradise. Teach them to obey all my teachings and be to them as I was to you. You will be opposed fiercely in this line of work, but do not fear because I have been given all authority in heaven and earth. I will be with you, even until the end of earth and time. Now, you must go in my name and in my power."

- Most incisive quote: Stan Martin
  - "Evangelizing the world is like a relay race. In areas where there is no church, missionaries run the first lap." – Steve Saint

- Best closing: Sarah Snyder
  - "Oh, may our hearts be compassionate and tender to His call to missions, His call to action."

- Best phrase: Justin Obendorfer
  - "We are not fulfilling God's goal for us just by sitting and enjoying the show."

- Most sources: Jennifer Lester

- Newest source: Justin Obendorfer
- Oldest source: Jennifer Lester / Jim Greenlee

- Most digging into original Greek: Jim Greenleee

- Most complete look at context: Stan Martin

Best titles:
- "Call to action" – Sarah Snyder
- "The end is near" – Justin Obendorfer
- "When is the end?" – Adrianne Showalter

Connections to other New Testament material: Sybil Ludington

- Most disappointing: EVERYONE
  - (no one specifically mentioned Genesis 12:1-3)

- Most picturesque phrase: Adrianne Showalter
  - "murky water statements"

Best questions raised:

- "If the church had at times been more faithful to the missionary call, would the Lord have already returned?" – Brian Matlock

- "How could Christ, who has been given all power, have intended founding a pious little Jewish club?" – Jon-Erik Beelby

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