

Making disciples of Jesus by the grace of God

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1 Corinthians 15:10

But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me.

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Matthew 28:18-20

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.”

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2. What is a Christian?
3. What is the Church?
4. Where does Summitview fit?
- 5. Who is Summitview?**
6. What is Summitview doing?

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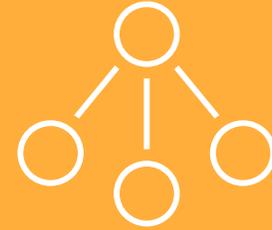
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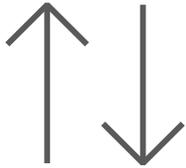
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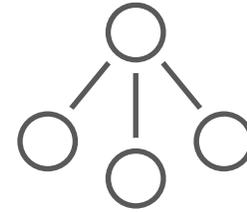
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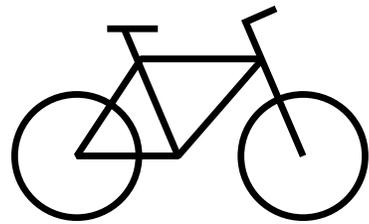
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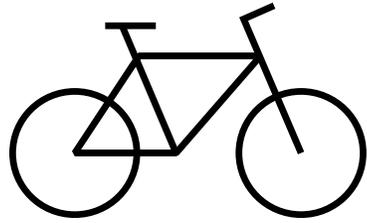
Jeremiah 29:7

But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

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Presence

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Reflecting Jesus in our normal patterns of life, mainly by loving our immediate neighbors and demonstrating the goodness and creativity of God through our vocations.

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Colossians 4:5-6

Walk in wisdom toward outsiders, making the best use of the time. Let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how you ought to answer each person.

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Genuinely caring for the hungry, the sick, the orphaned, the stranger, and all who are experiencing brokenness or marginalization in our city.

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Micah 6:8

He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love **kindness** (*“chesed”*), and to walk humbly with your God?

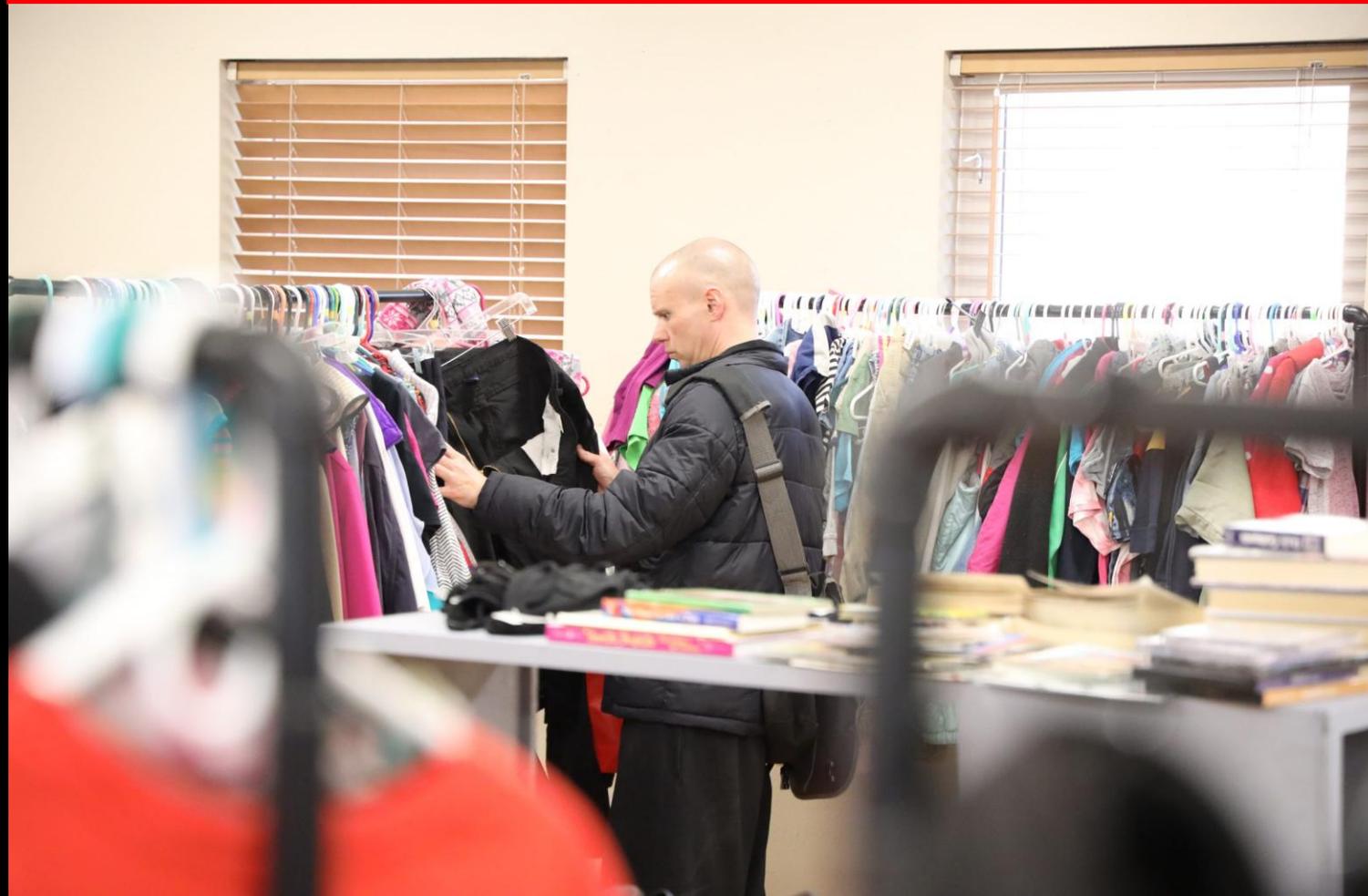
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158 care navigations

Total of 598 families served here last year

Caring Calls

Mission: Connecting homebound seniors with meaningful community through the local church -offering weekly presence, practical support and hope through relationship.

		
<p>Homebound Senior</p>	<p>CONNECT Community</p>	<p>Mutually Enjoyed Community</p>

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Partnership

Networking with other churches, organizations and city officials for the reputation of Christ and the good of the city.

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Serve 6.8

- Resource Center
- Thanksgiving Food Drive
- Adopt-a Family
 - Last year, for Adopt-a Family, we served about 10% of the 4500 families on the Front Range who opted in. We hope to do even more in 2026.

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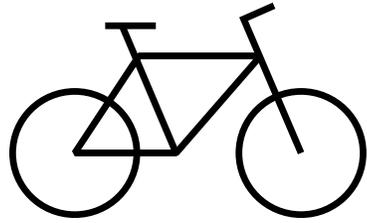
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- Alpha Center
- Family Housing Network
- Fort Collins Rescue Mission
- Fort Collins Church Network (FCCN)

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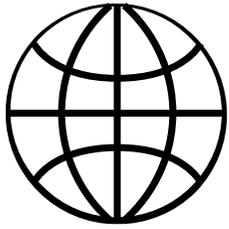
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Isaiah 49:5-6

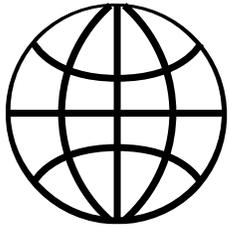
And now the Lord says, he who formed me from the womb to be his servant

“It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to bring back the preserved of Israel; I will make you as a light for the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth.”

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Mission

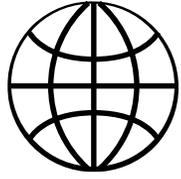
Church-
Planting

Resourcing

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Spreading the knowledge of the gospel to every tribe, language, people, and nation.

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Acts 1:8

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.

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Church-planting

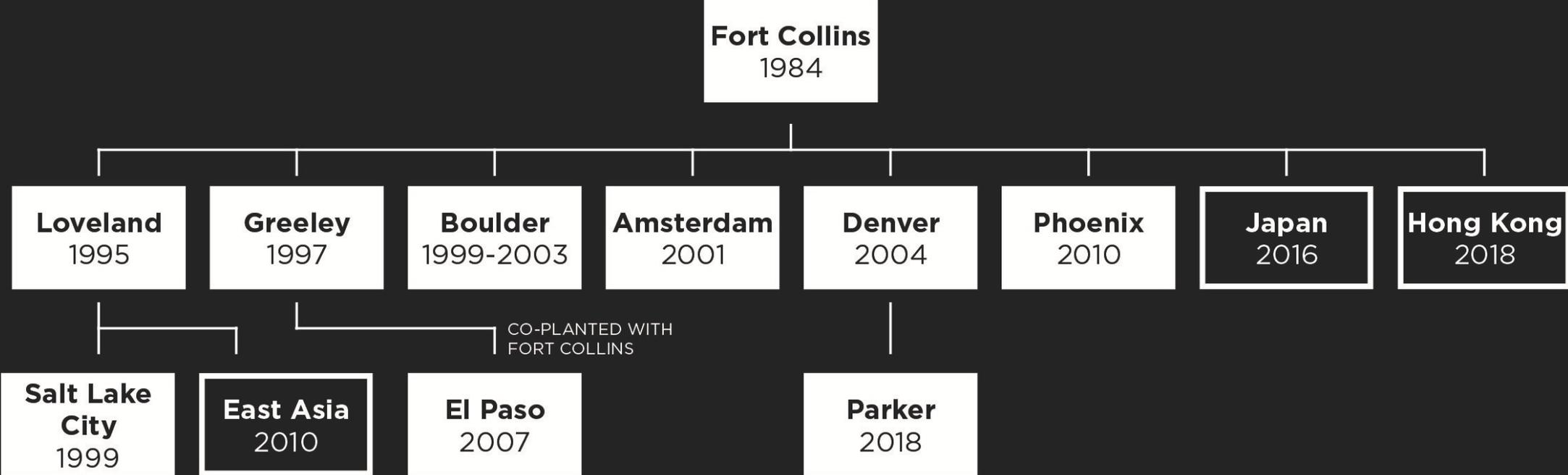
Actively and strategically pursuing the multiplication of churches.

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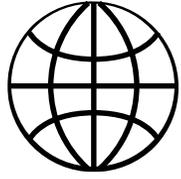
CHURCH PLANTING HISTORY



-  = Church Plant
-  = Missionary Outpost

Severance, CO Church Plant





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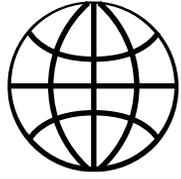
Resourcing

Generously sending people, finances and guidance to support the advancement of the gospel in other cultures.

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- 1. We have an extraordinary number of missionaries for our size.**
- 2. We have a thriving International Student Ministry (ISMDA)**
- 3. Missions Portal Small Group**
- 4. Short Term Mission Trips**

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Summitview – Organizationally

- **Church Association**
- **Governance**
- **By-laws**

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Statement on Marriage and Sexuality

- We believe that the term “marriage” has only one meaning and that is marriage sanctioned by God which joins one man and one woman in a single, exclusive union, as delineated in Scripture.
- We believe that God intends sexual intimacy to only occur between a man and a woman who are married to each other.

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Statement on Marriage and Sexuality

- We believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged in outside of a marriage between a man and a woman.
- We believe that any form of sexual immorality, such as, but not limited to, adultery, fornication, homosexuality, bisexual conduct, bestiality, incest, pornography or any attempt to change one's gender, or disagreement with one's biological gender, is sinful and offensive to God.

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Why Membership?

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Charles Spurgeon

“Still, imperfect as it is, it is the dearest place on earth to us.

Choose a church by this one thing—by how much of Christ there is in that church, and how much the savor of Christ there is in that ministry!

Nothing in the world is so dear to God as His Church; therefore, being His, let us belong to it; and being His, let us love it, serve it, and seek its prosperity.”



Alistair Begg

“There is no ideal place to serve God except the place in which He sets you down. Those who constantly search for the ideal send themselves in a journey that is marked by frequent disappointment.”



Acts 13:36

For David, after he had served the purpose of God in his own generation, fell asleep and was laid with his fathers and saw corruption,

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The Summitview Membership Commitment

Having received Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior, and having been baptized by immersion as He commands, I believe that I am being led by the Holy Spirit to formally unite with the Summitview Church family. I have participated in the Summitview membership process and am in agreement with Summitview's statement of faith, mission statement, vision and values, and bylaws.

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As a member, I willingly place myself under God and commit to living that out through accountable fellowship with my church family, trusting that it is God's grace and not my own strength that makes any of this possible.

Resting in that grace, I commit to the following:

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1. I will delight in God as a member of my church.

... By gathering faithfully with my church family to worship, grow, and encourage one another.

“And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another.” (Hebrews 10:24–25)

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1. I will delight in God as a member of my church.

... By meditating on God's Word, depending on him in prayer, and living in a way that represents Jesus well.

“I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship.” (Romans 12:1)

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1. I will delight in God as a member of my church.

... By regular and cheerful financial giving to God through my church.

“Honor the LORD with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce.” (Proverbs 3:9)

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2. I will love my fellow members and support the leaders of my church.

... By pursuing the relational standards described in the Bible's "one another" verses.

"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another." (John 13:34)

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2. I will love my fellow members and support the leaders of my church.

By protecting unity, resolving conflict directly, and refusing to gossip.

“Eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.” (Ephesians 4:3)

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2. I will love my fellow members and support the leaders of my church.

... By being open and accountable to others for the sake of my Christian growth.

“Bear one another’s burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.”
(Galatians 6:2)

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2. I will love my fellow members and support the leaders of my church.

... By praying for my leaders and following their leadership.

“Obey your leaders and submit to them, for they are keeping watch over your souls, as those who will have to give an account. Let them do this with joy and not with groaning, for that would be of no advantage to you.” (Hebrews 13:17)

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3. I will join God's work of multiplying Christ followers through my church.

... By inviting others into the life of the church and welcoming those who come.

“Love must be sincere. ... Honor one another above yourselves. ... Practice hospitality.” (Romans 12:9, 10, 13)

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3. I will join God's work of multiplying Christ followers through my church.

... By serving my church with the gifts and talents God has given me.

“As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace.” (1 Peter 4:10)

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3. I will join God's work of multiplying Christ followers through my church.

... By passing on what I have received to others who will do the same.

“And what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses, entrust to faithful men, who will be able to teach others also.” (2 Timothy 2:2)

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4. I will be a blessing to Fort Collins through my church.

... By reflecting Jesus in my everyday life, loving my neighbors, and pursuing faithfulness and excellence in my vocation.

“In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.” (Matthew 5:16)

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... By seeking the welfare of our city and caring for those in need.

“But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.” (Jeremiah 29:7)

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5. I will join God's work of expanding the gospel globally through my church.

... By seeking God's kingdom advancing among the nations, and supporting those Summitview sends.

“How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!” (Romans 10:15)

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5. I will join God's work of expanding the gospel globally through my church.

... By remaining open to God's call on my own life to go wherever he may send me.

“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)

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I understand that membership in Summitview reflects the biblical pattern of voluntary belonging to and being accountable within a local church. This includes joyful participation in its life, mutual care, and, when necessary, the biblical processes for church discipline or conflicts described in Scripture and outlined in the church bylaws.

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“God doesn’t want us to play with religion. He doesn’t want us to dabble in church. He wants us, body and soul.”

R.C. Sproul

2 Chronicles 15:12-15

And [all the people in Jerusalem] entered into a covenant to seek the Lord, the God of their fathers, with all their heart and with all their soul, but that whoever would not seek the Lord, the God of Israel, should be put to death, whether young or old, man or woman.

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2 Chronicles 15:12-15

They swore an oath to the Lord with a loud voice and with shouting and with trumpets and with horns. And all Judah rejoiced over the oath, for they had sworn with all their heart and had sought him with their whole desire, and he was found by them, and the Lord gave them rest all around.

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