# Mission Site top unreached locations



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#### Site Location Summary

The site location of this MissionSite (TM) report is based upon the SITESCAPE typology developed by the staff of IICM. The SITESCAPE is an analysis of the 0-1.5 mile, 1.5-3 mile, and 3-7 mile bands around each of the 65,399 US census tract centroids (or geographical centers). Each census tract has been assigned a large number of variables based upon this analysis. These variables include information regarding the spirituality of this particular location. This report reflects a "Top Unreached Location" meaning that this site has a significant number of households that have not been reached by the gospel of Jesus Christ. Sitescape definitions may be found online at the MissionalCyclopedia.org site.

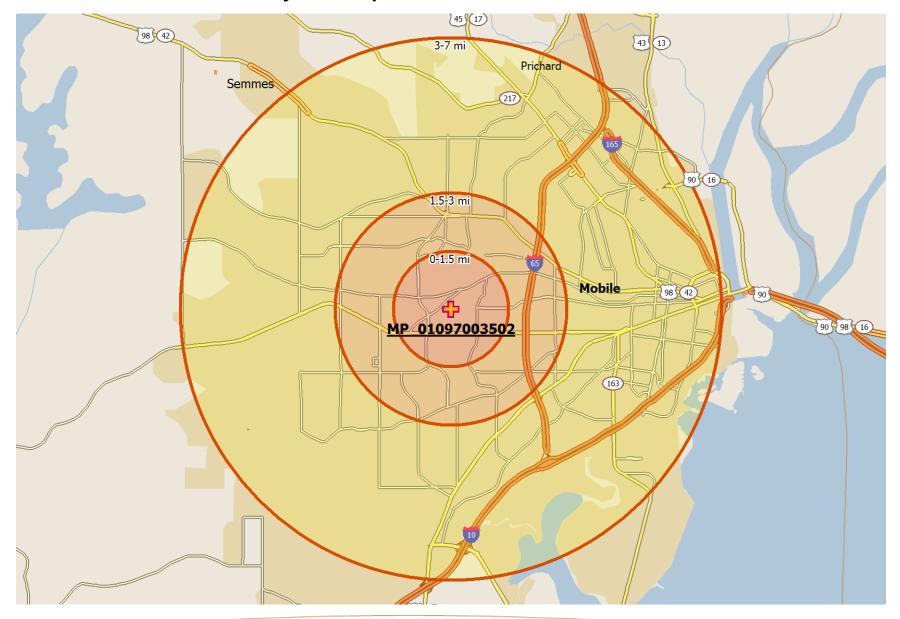
	Location Typography	CODE	LOCATION
1	Region	0105	Gulf Coast Region
2	Association	1530	Mobile
3	District	07	Gulf Coast District
4	County Location	01097	Mobile
5	Zipcode	36608	Mobile
6	Sitescape Category	3	Suburbscape
7	Sitescape Group	3.3	Medium Suburbs
8	Sitescape Subgroup	3.33	Large suburbs adjacent to a small city in metro area
9	Sitescape Density Pattern	M	100000-250000-50000

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## Site Location Summary - Map of the Site Location

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#### Site Location Summary - Urbanicity

One key issue in site location is the degree of urbanicity - how rural or how urban is this setting? A number of government agencies have tackled this question in order to better compare various types of communities in the United States. The chart below provides a summary of how various government agencies have defined this particular location. IICM took the Rural Urban Commuting Areas (RUCA) from the US Department of Agriculture and created an index value based on the most rural value being a "0" and the most urban value being a "100". You will also see their ERS RUCA Commuting Value. The percent of households that commute from a non-metro to a metro area is also given.

	RURAL / URBAN	CODE	EXPLANATION
1	Metro or Non-Metro	1	Metro
2	Urban Influence	2	Small-in a metro area with fewer than 1 million residents
3	Rural / Urban Continuum	2	County in metro area of 250,000 to 1 million population
4	NCHS Rural Urban Codes	3	Medium Metro - counties in a metropolitan statistical area of 250,000 to 999,999 population
5	NCES Urban Centric	12	City: Midsize: Territory inside an urbanized area and inside a principal city with population
	Locale Codes		less than 250,000 and greater than or equal to 100,000.
6	IICM RUCA Values Index	100	Metropolitan core commuting: No additional code
7	ERS RUCA Commuting Value	1	Metropolitan area core: primary flow within an urbanized area
8	Percent Commuting to Metro	0	Percent commuting from non metro to metro areas

#### Site Location Summary - Band Composition

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Below is a summary of the composition of the three bands around the center of the census tract. Values for the total population, and various types of group quarters in each band are provided below. In addition to current population estimates, each band has been compared to all of the other census tract bands around the country. Population density, language diversity, foreign born diversity, ancestry diversity and racial (broad census categories) diversity have all been indexed across the country with a "0" value representing the least value and 100 representing the most in each category. For an explanation of these indices please see the Sitescape article at MissionalCyclopedia.org.

BAND COMPOSITION	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
2010 Population	16,884	53,567	182,113
2010 Households	6,312	23,506	69,604
2010 Group Quarters Population	2,733	589	3,612

BAND COMPOSITION	0-3 MILES	3-7 MILES	7-10 MILES
Population Density National Index	57	59	35
Language Diversity National Index	39	16	15
Foreign Born Diversity National Index	75	97	60
Ancestry Diversity National Index	45	10	57
Racial Diversity National Index	60	65	36

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## Site Location Summary - County Environment

In 2004, the US Department of Agriculture created a county typology that categorizes all of the 3140 US counties into 6 economic-dependency types and 7 other county-types. Although the specific bands of this report may differ from the dominant characteristics of the county, the county environment is useful to better understand the site location context. Further information about these categories may be found at the MissionalCyclopedia.org website.

COUNTY ENVIRONMENT	CODE	INDICATORS
Housing Stress County	0	False
Low-education County	0	False
Low-employment County	0	False
Persistent Poverty County	0	False
Population Loss County	0	False
Non-metro Recreation County	0	False
Retirement Destination County	0	False

ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY	CODE	INDICATORS
Farm-dependent county indicator	0	False
Mining-dependent county indicator	0	False
Manufacturing-dependent county indicator	0	False
Federal/State government-dependent county indicator	0	False
Services-dependent county indicator	0	False
Nonspecialized-dependent county indicator	1	True

### Site Location Summary - Social Environment

The MOSAIC USA lifestyle segmentation system was created by Experian, a global company based in the UK. This segmentation system has the US population subdivided into 60 lifestyle segments and 12 social groups. IICM has built upon this by creating a typology of six social environments of which each segment and social group is a part. The chart below gives the number of households that are in the 0-1.5 mile band that are in each of the six social environment. The households in each environment share a common situation that produces shared cultural practices, values and spiritual issues. For an explanation of these community cultures, please consult the corresponding articles at MissionalCyclopedia.org.

SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT	0-1.5 MI BAND	HHLDS	PERCENT
Upscale Communities	Affluent, White-collar Families	2,800	44.36%
Mainstay Communities	Established, Diverse Households	409	6.48%
Working Communities	Blue-collar, Working Families	1,447	22.92%
Country Communities	Rural, Agri. & Mining Families	46	0.73%
Aspiring Communities	Young Singles / Aspiring-Multihousing	915	14.5%
Urban Communities	High Density, Inner-city Neighborhoods	696	11.03%

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### Using the Site Location Summary

The site location summary has been designed to aid APEPT missional response teams, church planters and church planting sponsors in determining potential sites for starting new ministries and new congregations and choosing appropriate personnel for the location. Below is a list of several issues that need to be considered in choosing a potential site location.

#### Issues for Your Consideration

- 1. The Sitescape category, group and density pattern listed on page 3 identifies this location within a continuum that reaches from country to town to suburb to city. Ideally, church planters and missional team members should have already acculturated to this type of location. It may be difficult for a "City Person" to minister effectively in a "country" location and vice versa.
- 2. The urbanicity designations on page 5 may have implications for ministry development. The extent of commuting within a metro area may need to be considered in choosing a potential building site or in developing evening events or ministries. The percent of the population that commute from a non-metro to metro area may also need to be taken into consideration.

### Using the Site Location Summary

#### Issues for Your Consideration - continued

- 3. Band composition and the comparison of population between the bands on page 6 may have implications regarding types of anticipated ministry development from "a neighborhood" congregation to a more "regional" approach. The numbers and types of group quarters (usually some form of multi-family housing) may suggest the need for multi-housing ministry. The density and diversity indices compare this site to other site locations across the country. Values over 50 in each of these indicates a higher level of diversity or density than most other locations.
- 4. Each US location exists in a county or county-equivalent, as shown on page 7. This overall context may affect the environment of this site location. The type of economic dependence of a county may shape the background of a church planter that will be needed for this particular site.
- 5. The dominant social environments in this particular site noted on page 8 create specific cultural practices and values that will need to be taken into consideration when starting a new ministry or new congregation. Please read the summary articles at MissionalCyclopedia.org for the top 2 largest social environments. What implications do you see based on the dominant social environments in this location?

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### Spirituality Indicators Overview - Evangelscape

The Evangelscape is an IICM dataset based on a national study conducted by the Simmons Market Research Bureau as indexed to the MOSAIC lifestyle segmentation system. The dataset includes the percent of households for each MOSAIC lifestyle segment that are considered "unreached," "religious but not evangelical," "spiritual but not religious or evangelical," and "not evangelical and not interested in religion or spirituality." For an explanation of these terms see the Evangelscape article at MissionalCyclopedia.org.

The chart below compares the count and percent of households in the county with the count and percent of households in the 0-1.5 mile band that are in each category. The index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the county average. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the county average).

EVANGELSCAPE: SPIRITUALITY	COUNTY	0-1.5 MILE BAND	% INDEX
Unreached Households	108,949	4,467	4.1%
Unreached %	68.52%	70.78%	103.3
Religious But NOT Evangelical HH	31,903	1,088	3.41%
Religious But NOT Evangelical %	20.06%	17.23%	85.88
Spiritual But NOT Relig or Evang HH	14,612	736	5.04%
Spiritual But NOT Relig or Evang %	9.19%	11.66%	126.9
Not Evangelical, Not Interested HH	63,325	2,644	4.17%
Not Evangelical, Not Interested %	39.82%	41.88%	105.17



#### Spirituality Indicators - Churchscape

IICM's Churchscape indicates the number of ALSBOM within 3 miles of the site location. It also compares the percentage of active and inactive evangelicals in the county to those in this site location. The index value provides a snapshot of how this site location compares to the county levels. The number of new churches needed at this site location is based upon the need to have one church for every 2000 households (or roughly every 4-5,000 people).

**Garden City** 

ECCLESCAPE: CHURCHES	COUNTY	3 MILE	PERCENT
		RING	&INDEX
Num of ALSBOM Churches	111	15	13.51%
Active ALSBOM Attenders	20,766	4,922	23.7%
Active Evangelical Households	28,249	4,850	17.17%
Active Evangelical Percent	17.77%	16.27%	91.55
Inactive Evangelical Households	21,812	3,746	17.17%
Inactive Evangelical Percent	13.72%	12.56%	91.57
# New Churches Needed	0	0	0%



#### Spirituality Indicators - 30 Closest ALSBOM Churches

The table below lists the 30 closest ALSBOM churches to this site location. You will also find the distance from the site, their average worship attendance over the last five years, and their growth rate. The growth rate is based upon the growth rate of the church's resident membership, Sunday School average and AM Worship attendance. You will want to visit the closest churches as part of your site location review as you prepare to begin a new ministry or congregation. You may also want to discuss the type of people that each church is reaching with the closest churches.

	CHURCHES	DIST.	WRSHP AVG	IICM CGR
1	Azalea City Fellowship	0.75 mi	0	Plateauing
2	Airport Boulevard	0.95 mi	118	Plateauing
3	Spring Hill	1.40 mi	1,067	Plateauing
4	New Hope	1.49 mi	44	Declining
5	Emmanuel	1.75 mi	96	Plateauing
6	Hillcrest	2.17 mi	70	Declining
7	Dauphin Way	2.17 mi	884	Growing
8	International	2.23 mi	55	Growing
9	Moffett Road	2.59 mi	432	Plateauing
10	Cottage Hill	2.59 mi	1,825	Declining
11	New Generation	2.62 mi	120	Growing
12	New Jerusalem	2.74 mi	50	Plateauing
13	Forest Hill	2.77 mi	35	Plateauing
14	Snow Road First	2.93 mi	126	Growing
15	Ebenezer	2.94 mi	0	Plateauing

#### Using the Spirituality Indicators

Below are some issues related to the spirituality indicators that you may want to consider as you review this site as a potential location for a new ministry or new congregation.

#### Issues for Your Consideration

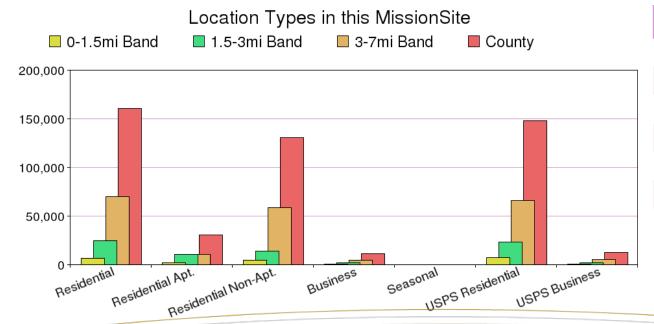
- 1. The Evangelscape on page 11 provides an overview of the spiritual topography of this location. While the percent of unreached households is significant, the other percentages may need further clarification as you conduct an on-site review. The percentage of the population who are religious (meaning actively attend some form of institutionalized religion) and spiritual (meaning embracing spirituality but not institutional religion) may require further investigation. Those in the "not evangelical, but not interested in religion or spirituality" category may require an outreach process rooted in incarnational ministry.
- 2. Your team may want to seriously discuss the Churchscape on page 12. The percentage of active evangelicals in this site is a key figure for you to consider both in terms of recruiting additional help, but also in terms of the significance of the need for a new ministry or new congregation. The number of new churches needed is another significant value.
- 3. The list of churches on page 13 only includes ALSBOM churches. You will need to take other chruches into account as well. How your new ministry or new congregation will relate to these churches needs to be decided early in the process.

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The population and household figures from IICM's Demoscape report are given below for this site location. Historical figures from the 1990 and 2000 US Census precede the current year estimates for the 0-1.5 mile band. The percentage of the county population and number of households that appears in the 0-1.5 mile band is given for each year. Location types refer to residential, business and seasonal use

DEMOSCAPE	COUNTY	BAND	% OF CO
1990 Population	378,643	16,045	4.24%
2000 Population	399,843	16,831	4.21%
2010 Population	414,958	16,884	4.07%

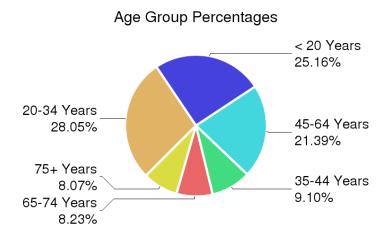
DEMOSCAPE	COUNTY	BAND	% OF CO
1990 Households	136,900	6,332	4.63%
2000 Households	150,179	6,368	4.24%
2010 Households	159,010	6,312	3.97%



Location Type	0-1.5mi Band
Residential	6,859
Residential Apt.	2,086
Residential Non-Apt.	4,773
Business	424
Seasonal	0
USPS Residential	7,546
USPS Business	610

A current year demographic summary of age categories for the site location appears on the right.

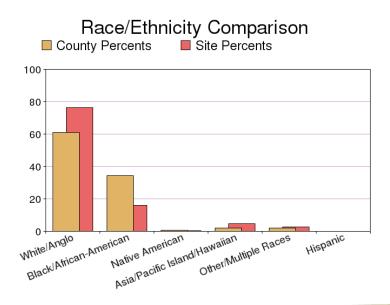
For each category both county and 0-1.5 mile band percentages are given. The Index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100.



2010 POP. ESTIMATES	COUNTY	BAND	INDEX
0-3 Years	5.64%	4.23%	75
4-5 Years	2.84%	2.02%	71.13
6-8 Years	4.26%	3.14%	73.71
9-11 Years	4.2%	2.87%	68.33
12-13 Years	2.77%	1.97%	71.12
14-17 Years	5.61%	5.25%	93.58
18-19 Years	2.82%	5.69%	201.77
0-5 Years	8.48%	6.25%	73.7
6-12 Years	9.85%	6.99%	70.96
13-19 Years	9.82%	11.93%	121.49
< 20 Years	28.15%	25.17%	89.41
20-34 Years	20.87%	28.06%	134.45
35-44 Years	12.34%	9.1%	73.74
45-64 Years	25.37%	21.39%	84.31
65-74 Years	7.33%	8.23%	112.28
75+ Years	5.95%	8.07%	135.63
Median Age	36	40	112.97
Median Age (Male)	34	39	112.96
Median Age (Female)	37	42	113.67

A current year demographic summary of race/ethnicity and education of adults for the site location appears on the right.

For each category both county and 0-1.5 mile band percentages are given. The Index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100.



2010 POP. ESTIMATES	COUNTY	BAND	INDEX
Race/Ethnicity			
White, Anglo	60.89%	76.39%	125.44
Black, African-American	34.22%	15.9%	46.47
Native American	0.65%	0.21%	32.9
Asian	2.04%	4.73%	231.25
Pacific Island, Hawaiian	0.06%	0.1%	173.36
Other/Multiple Races	2.13%	2.67%	124.84
Hispanic	0%	3.01%	0

Education of Adults (25 yrs+)			
Total Adults over age 25 years.	269,273	10,074	
Less than 9th Grade	4.45%	1.35%	329.88
No High School Diploma	11.96%	3.48%	343.31
High School Graduate	36.67%	20.85%	175.92
Some College, no degree	20.09%	23.71%	84.72
Associate Degree	7.13%	4.9%	145.39
College Degree	12.88%	27.4%	47
Graduate/Prof. degree	6.82%	18.3%	37.23

A current year demographic summary of family and non-family households for the site location appears on the right.

For each category both county and 0-1.5 mile band percentages are given. The Index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the county average. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the county average). A value of 50 would be 50% of the county average.

2010 HOUSEHOLD	COUNTY	BAND	INDEX
ESTIMATES			
Household Income			
< \$10,000	11.51%	8%	76.09
\$10,000 to \$19,999	14.11%	10.09%	71.53
\$20,000 to \$29,999	11.52%	10.76%	93.37
\$30,000 to \$49,999	21.61%	16.46%	76.18
\$50,000 to \$59,999	8.36%	7.38%	88.29
\$60,000 to \$69,999	6.81%	6.1%	89.55
\$70,000 to \$79,999	5.96%	5.77%	96.74
\$80,000 to \$89,999	4.77%	5.26%	110.38
\$90,000 to \$99,999	3.13%	3.98%	127.07
\$100,000 to \$124,999	5.73%	8.24%	143.78
\$125,000 to \$149,999	2.66%	4.86%	182.62
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1.96%	5.32%	271.21
\$200,000 to \$249,999	0.58%	2.31%	395.48
\$250,000 or more	1.29%	5.45%	423.35
Median Household	40,934	59,797	146.08
Average Household	55,556	96,198	173.16
Per Capita Household	21,806	36,576	167.73
Family/Non-Family Household			
Income			
Median Family Income	49,929	83,022	166.28
Average Family Income	65,093	117,247	180.12
Median Non-Family Income	24,963	34,250	137.2
Average Non-Family Income	35,120	56,327	160.38

A current year demographic summary of household types, houseing units and households by size and count by person for the site location appears at right.

For each category both county and 0-1.5 mile band percentages are given. The Index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the county average. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the county average). A value of 50 would be 50% of the county average.

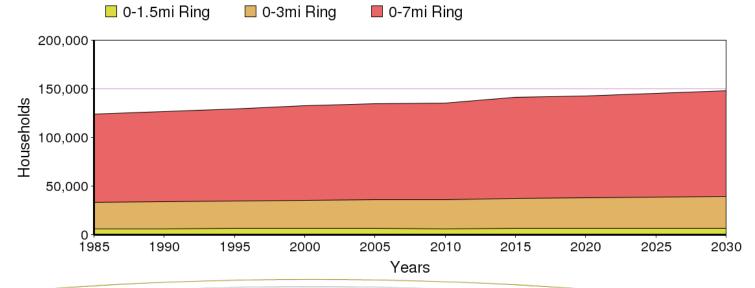
2010 HOUSEHOLD	COUNTY	BAND	
ESTIMATES			
Family Households			Index
% Family Households	68.18%	59.39%	87.11
Families with Children	34.85%	25.3%	72.6
Families without Children	33.33%	34.09%	102.3
Non-Family Households			
% Non-Family Households	31.82%	40.61%	127.61
Non-Families with Children	0.39	0.29	73.73
Non-Families without Children	31.43	40.32	128.27
Housing Units			Index
Total Housing Units	184,922	7,070	
Vacant percent	14.01%	10.72%	76.51
Owned percent	59.01%	57.64%	97.67%
Rented Percent	26.97%	31.64%	117.3
Households by Size			Index
Avg household size	2.55	2.24	87.84
Avg family hh size	3.21	2.97	92.52
Avg non-family hh size	1.13	1.18	104.42
Households By Count of Persons			Percent
One	44,731	2,206	4.93%
Two	47,363	2,142	4.52%
Three or Four	50,565	1,548	3.06%
Five+	16,351	415	2.54%

The population and household figures from IICM's Demoscape report are given below for this site location. Historical figures from the 1990 and 2000 US Census precede the current year estimates and the five year projections for both the county in which this site location exists and also for the 0-1.5 mile ring. The percentage of the county population and number of households that appears in the 0-1.5 mile ring is given for each year. The graph illustrates household change from 1985 to 2030.

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1990 Population	378,643	16,045	4.24%
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1990 Households	136,900	6,332	4.63%
2000 Households	150,179	6,368	4.24%
2010 Households	159,010	6,312	3.97%
2015 Households	167,788	6,478	3.86%

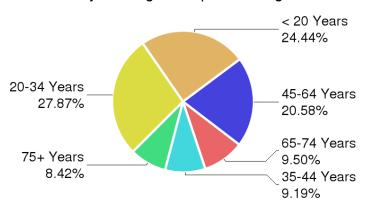
Household Change from 1985 to 2030



A comparison between the current and PROJECTED demographic summary of age group categories for the site location for five years from the current year appears on the right.

For each category both the current year and the projected percents for the 0-1.5 mile band are given. The Index value assumes that if the current and projected percents were both the same, the index would be 100.

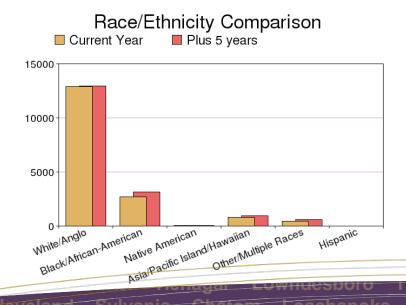




CURRENT VS. PROJECTED	CURRENT	PLUS 5 YEARS	INDEX
0-3 Years	4.23%	4.01%	94.8
4-5 Years	2.02%	1.87%	92.57
6-8 Years	3.14%	2.95%	93.95
9-11 Years	2.87%	2.74%	95.47
12-13 Years	1.97%	1.91%	96.95
14-17 Years	5.25%	5.57%	106.1
18-19 Years	5.69%	5.4%	94.9
0-5 Years	6.25%	5.88%	94.08
6-12 Years	6.99%	6.65%	95.14
13-19 Years	11.93%	11.91%	99.83
< 20 Years	25.17%	24.44%	97.1
20-34 Years	28.06%	27.87%	99.32
35-44 Years	9.1%	9.19%	100.99
45-64 Years	21.39%	20.58%	96.21
65-74 Years	8.23%	9.5%	115.43
75+ Years	8.07%	8.42%	104.34
Median Age	36	42	117.05
Median Age (Male)	34	40	117.12
Median Age (Female)	37	44	117.99

A comparison between the current and PROJECTED demographic summary of race/ethnicity and education categories for the site location for five years from the current year appears on the right.

For each category both the current year and the projected percents for the 0-1.5 mile band are given. The Index value assumes that if the current and projected percents were both the same, the index, would be 100.



CURRENT VS. PROJECTED	CURRENT	PLUS 5 YRS	INDEX
Race/Ethnicity			
White, Anglo	76.39%	73.21%	95.84
Black, African-American	15.9%	17.91%	112.65
Native American	0.21%	0.23%	108.9
Asian	4.73%	5.19%	109.76
Pacific Island, Hawaiian	0.1%	0.16%	157.5
Other/Multiple Races	2.67%	3.3%	123.67
Hispanic	0%	0%	0
Education of Adults (25 yrs+)			
Total Adults over age 25 years.	10,074	10,570	
Less than 9th Grade	1.35%	1.07%	79.19
No High School Diploma	3.48%	2.94%	84.45
High School Graduate	20.85%	21.82%	104.66
Some College, no degree	23.71%	23.2%	97.82
Associate Degree	4.9%	5.93%	120.97

27.4%

18.3%

College Degree

Graduate/Prof. degree

26.92%

18.13%

98.24

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A comparison between the current and PROJECTED demographic summary of household income and family / non-family income for the site location appears on the right. For each category both the current year and the projected percents for the 0-1.5 mile band are given The Index value given. assumes that if the current and projected percents were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the projected percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the current percents. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the projected percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the current percent). A value of 50 would be 50% of the current percent.

CURRENT VS. PROJECTED	CURRENT	PLUS 5 YEARS	INDEX
Household Income			
< \$10,000	8%	7.16%	89.53
\$10,000 to \$19,999	10.09%	9.49%	94.07
\$20,000 to \$29,999	10.76%	9.93%	92.27
\$30,000 to \$49,999	16.46%	15.34%	93.22
\$50,000 to \$59,999	7.38%	7.27%	98.48
\$60,000 to \$69,999	6.1%	6%	98.45
\$70,000 to \$79,999	5.77%	5.96%	96.37
\$80,000 to \$89,999	5.26%	5.73%	105.07
\$90,000 to \$99,999	3.98%	4.17%	104.81
\$100,000 to \$249,999	8.24%	9.29%	112.8
\$125,000 to \$149,999	4.86%	5.46%	112.35
\$150,000 to \$199,999	5.32%	5.9%	110.78
\$200,000 to \$249,999	2.31%	2.5%	108.12
\$250,000 or more	5.45%	5.54%	101.69
Median Household	59,797	64,095	107.19
Average Household	96,198	100,951	104.94
Per Capita Household	36,576	37,831	103.43
Family/Non-Family Household			
Income			
Median Family Income	83,022	90,641	109.18
Average Family Income	117,247	124,215	105.94
Median Non-Family Income	34,250	38,429	112.2
Average Non-Family Income	56,327	60,675	107.72

A comparison between the current and PROJECTED demographic summary of family and non-family households, housing units, households by size, and households by count of persons for the site location appears on the right. For each category both the current year and the projected percents for the 0-1.5 mile band are given. The Index value assumes that if the current and Projected percents were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the projected percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the current percents. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the projected percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the current percent). A value of 50 would be 50% of the current percent.

CURRENT VS. PROJECTED	CURRENT	PLUS 5 YEARS	INDEX
Family Households			
% Family Households	59.39%	58.06%	97.75
Families with Children	25.3	23.9	94.45
Families without Children	34.09	33.41	97.98
Non-Family Households			
% Non-Family Households	40.61%	41.94%	103.29
Non-Families with Children	0.29	0.29	103.29
Non-Families without	40.32	41.65	103.3
Children			
Housing Units			
Total Housing Units	7,070	7,262	102.72%
Vacant percent	10.72%	10.78%	100.57
Owned percent	57.64%	57.5%	99.77
Rented Percent	31.64%	31.71%	100.23
Households by Size			
Avg household size	2.24	2.19	97.77%
Avg family hh size	2.97	2.95	99.33%
Avg non-family hh size	1.18	1.14	96.61%
Households By Count of			
Persons			
One	2,206	2,376	107.71%
Two	2,142	2,170	101.31%
Three or Four	1,548	1,529	98.77%
Five+	415	404	97.35%

#### **Ethnographic Summary**

The heart of the missional task is reaching specific people groups. Some of the ethnic, language, ancestry, and foreign-born groups in your missional site may need contextual approaches to reach them and multiply disciples among them. Foreign born peoples bring much of their culture from their homelands with them. However, over time they begin to adapt to their new surroundings. Different approaches may be needed for groups at different levels of acculturation. For more information about acculturation please see the MissionalCyclopedia.org.

BORN IN:	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Foreign Born Pop	803	2,650	3,349
Northern Europe	19	77	166
Western Europe	77	160	450
Southern Europe	15	37	70
Eastern Europe	26	228	235
Other Europe	0	0	8
Eastern Asia	31	328	389
So. Central Asia	235	259	258
SE Asia	203	732	374
Western Asia	50	145	164
Other Asia	0	15	19

BORN IN:	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Eastern Africa	0	65	20
Middle Africa	0	0	0
Northern Africa	0	20	18
Southern Africa	9	1	7
Western Africa	13	9	25
Other Africa	28	0	32
Oceania	9	6	17
Caribbean	7	47	289
Central Amer.	66	295	465
South America	9	90	219
North America	6	136	124
Born at sea	0	0	0

## Language Summary

The table below provides the percentage of population over the age of 5 who speak these languages within the three site bands. The data is based upon the 2000 Census SF3 dataset.

SPOKEN AT HOME	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
English only	10,484	46,138	165,777
Spanish	319	1,065	3,229
Other Indo-Euro	593	1,070	2,394
language			
French (incl. Patois,	115	316	712
Cajun)			
French Creole	0	4	40
Italian	0	22	86
Portuguese	12	7	32
German	97	167	841
Yiddish	13	0	0
Other West Germanic	0	10	42
A Scandinavian	6	13	28
Language			
Greek	54	44	205
Russian	0	29	57
Polish	0	50	14
Serbo-Croatian	0	92	63
Other Slavic Language	23	28	0
Armenian	0	0	18
Persian	10	71	46
Gujarathi	0	40	12
Hindi	164	36	68
Urdu	36	32	101

SPOKEN AT HOME	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Other Indo-Euro	0	63	23
Asian/PI languages	0	0	0
Chinese	126	230	178
Japanese	5	32	68
Korean	12	88	165
Mon-Khmer,	1	14	10
Cambodian			
Miao, Hmong	0	0	0
Thai	0	6	43
Laotian	0	47	5
Vietnamese	19	683	311
Other Asian	0	27	34
Tagalog	0	46	108
Other Pacific Is	0	0	14
Other languages	20	263	249
Navajo	0	0	0
Other Native N.	0	11	22
American			
Hungarian	0	0	8
Arabic	20	159	145
Hebrew	0	16	54
African languages	0	60	11
Other unspecified	0	17	9



### **Ancestry Summary**

The table below provides the percentage of population with a historical national heritage within the three site bands. The data is based upon the 2000 Census SF3 dataset.

ANCESTRY	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Reporting ancestry	9,132	40,616	139,484
Arab	56	346	476
Armenian	7	0	29
Austrian	9	26	164
British	71	180	565
Canadian	11	74	132
Croatian	6	67	33
Czech	0	22	46
Czechoslovak	0	12	53
Danish	7	30	108
Dutch	106	209	804
English	1,449	4,144	7,604
European	140	547	986
Finnish	9	37	31
French (not Basque)	382	796	2,592
French Canadian	89	128	355
German	874	2,964	6,284
Greek	98	112	388
Hungarian	10	42	159
Iranian	13	68	68

ANCESTRY	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Irish	840	3,692	7,284
Italian	224	1,006	1,697
Lithuanian	9	7	42
Norwegian	8	205	543
Polish	74	336	600
Portuguese	18	20	34
Romanian	0	40	43
Russian	20	165	130
Scandinavian	0	29	56
Scotch-Irish	319	1,183	2,816
Scottish	291	840	1,476
Slovak	12	28	52
Subsaharan African	65	600	1,707
Swedish	37	128	361
Swiss	39	30	161
Ukrainian	17	49	15
US/American	1,483	5,531	17,600
Welsh	53	145	362
West Indian	13	78	237
Yugoslavian	16	87	107
Other	2,257	16,614	83,286
Subsaharan African Swedish Swiss Ukrainian US/American Welsh West Indian Yugoslavian	65 37 39 17 1,483 53 13	600 128 30 49 5,531 145 78	52 1,707 361 161 15 17,600 362 237 107

#### Using the Demographic Indicators

Folev

Cullman

Below are some issues related to the demographic indicators that you may want to consider as you review this site as a potential location for a new ministry or new congregation.

#### Issues for Your Consideration

- 1. The Demoscape information on page 20 highlights the rate of population change at the site compared to it's county from 1990 to a projected date 5 years from the current year. What changes do you see over time? How significant is this site location as a percentage of the county? Is this a growing, plateauing or declining location?
- 2. The age categories on pages 16 and 21 clearly indicate the site population in various age-graded groups. Which age groups are the largest at this site? What changes are projected in the next 5 years? What implications does this have for small groups and other ministries?
- 3. The racial/ethnic and education categories listed on pages 17 & 22 provide a window into the type of people that need to be reached at the site. What is the dominant racial/ethnic category that needs to be reached? What do the educational levels tell you about the ways in which you need to design your outreach and discipleship? What implications arise from the changes that are projected in the next 5 years?

#### Using the Demographic Indicators

#### Issues for Your Consideration - continued

- 4. Socioeconomics has a profound effect on many aspects of ministry and missional design. Pages 18 & 23 highlight income categories at the site compared to county percentages and 5 year projections. What are the dominant economic categories for this location? How does this site compare to the rest of the country? How do family and non-family households compare economically at this site? What implications arise from the changes projected over the next 5 years? What are the implications for missional ministry?
- 5. A summary of family and non-family households, housing units, households by size and households by count of persons for both the site, the county and 5 year projections are listed on pages 19 & 24. What are the primary family types for this location? How does this site compare to the rest of the county? What changes are anticipated over the next 5 years? What are the implications for missional ministry?
- 6. The ethnic summary on pages 25, 26 & 27 provide an overview of the foreign-born population, language diversity and ancestry. From this information which groups of people are most significant at this site and in comparison to the country? How does this impact the development of new ministries and new congregations at this site?

Gardendale

In recent years, both George Barna and George Gallup have completed national polls that indicate that approximately 30% to 32% of the US population consider themselves "evangelical." However, their polling process interviews about 1000 statistically sampled people from which they derive this number. Simmons Market Research Bureau, the oldest and most authoritative source for market research in the US today, has conducted a similar poll. However, their methodology interviews approximately 27,000 people across the US. Their survey found that 31.9% of the US population consider themselves to be evangelical. The large sampling size enables IICM to cross reference their findings across the 60 MOSAIC lifestyle segments in the US. From this IICM has created an "Evangelscape dataset" that establishes the extent to which each of the 60 MOSAIC lifestyle segments are unreached in your site location.

This section of your MissionSite report provides one view of the number of households in your area that have not been reached with the gospel. To obtain a full Evangelscape report of your area you will want to purchase a TRIBALDEX report at MissionalContext.org. To create a neighborhood level map of the unreached status of your missional site area you will want to subscribe to the IICM mapping site at MissionalCulturescape.org.



The table below lists 18 lifestyle segments in three social groups, A-Affluent Suburbia, B-Upscale America, and C-Small Town Success. For the 0-1.5 mile ring, the number of households is listed together with the percent of the band in that segment. The number of unreached households is also listed together with the percent of the total unreached that are in the segment.

2010 MOSAIC HHIds	0-1.5 HH & Percent		Unreached HH & Percent	
Total	6,312	100%	4,466	100%
AFFLUENT SUBURBIA	1,732	27.44%	1,236	27.68%
America's Wealthiest	72	1.14%	58	1.3%
Dream Weavers	1,226	19.42%	877	19.64%
White Collar Suburbia	2	0.03%	2	0.04%
Upscale Suburbia	0	0%	0	0%
Enterprising Couples	0	0%	0	0%
Small Town Success	412	6.53%	285	6.38%
New Suburbia Fam.	20	0.32%	14	0.31%
UPSCALE AMERICA	1,068	16.92%	732	16.39%
Status Conscious Consumers	49	0.78%	34	0.76%
Affluent Urban Professionals	56	0.89%	45	1.01%
Urban Commuter Fam.	875	13.86%	587	13.14%
Solid Suburban Mix	0	0%	0	0%
2nd Generation Success	0	0%	0	0%
Successful Urban Sprawl	88	1.39%	66	1.48%
SM TWN SUCCESS	193	3.06%	131	2.93%
2nd City Homebodies	73	1.16%	52	1.16%
Prime Middle America	76	1.2%	49	1.1%
Urban Optimists	0	0%	0	0%
Family Convenience	2	0.03%	1	0.02%
Mid-Market Enterprise	42	0.67%	29	0.65%

Homewood

The table below lists 15 lifestyle segments in three social groups, D-Blue Collar Backbone, E-American Diversity, and F-Metro Fringe. For the 0-1.5 mile ring, the number of households is listed together with the percent of the band in that segment. The number of unreached households is also listed together with the percent of the total unreached that are in the segment.

2010 MOSAIC HHIds	0-1.5 HH & Percent		Unreached HH & Percent	
Total	6,312	100%	4,466	100%
BLUE COLLAR BACKBONE	45	0.71%	27	0.6%
Nuevo Hispanic Fam.	0	0%	0	0%
Working Rural Suburbia	40	0.63%	24	0.54%
Lower Income Essentials	0	0%	0	0%
Small Town Endeavors	5	0.08%	3	0.07%
AMER. DIVERSITY	216	3.42%	155	3.47%
Ethnic Urban Mix	0	0%	0	0%
Urban Blues	0	0%	0	0%
Professional Urbanites	192	3.04%	139	3.11%
Urban Advancement	7	0.11%	5	0.11%
Amer. Great Outdoors	17	0.27%	11	0.25%
Mature America	0	0%	0	0%
METRO FRINGE	1,402	22.21%	965	21.61%
Steadfast Conservative	1,106	17.52%	758	16.97%
Moderate Conventionalists	136	2.15%	91	2.04%
Southern Blues	76	1.2%	54	1.21%
Urban Grit	84	1.33%	62	1.39%
Grass-Roots Living	0	0%	0	0%

Hartselle

The table below lists 13 lifestyle segments in three social groups, G-Remote America, H-Aspiring Contemporaries, and I-Rural Villages & Farms. For the 0-1.5 mile ring, the number of households is listed together with the percent of the band in that segment. The number of unreached households is also listed together with the percent of the total unreached that are in the segment.

2010 MOSAIC HHIds	0-1.5 HH & Percent		Unreached HH & Percent	
Total	6,312	100%	4,466	100%
REMOTE AMERICA	0	0%	0	0%
Hardy Rural Fam.	0	0%	0	0%
Rural Southern Living	0	0%	0	0%
Coal & Crops	0	0%	0	0%
Native America	0	0%	0	0%
ASPIRING CONTEMP'S	915	14.5%	689	15.43%
Young Cosmopolitans	466	7.38%	365	8.17%
Minority Metro Communities	33	0.52%	24	0.54%
Stable Careers	416	6.59%	300	6.72%
Aspiring Hispania	0	0%	0	0%
RURAL VILLAGES & FARMS	46	0.73%	27	0.6%
Industrious Country Living	0	0%	0	0%
America's Farmland	0	0%	0	0%
Comfy Country Living	15	0.24%	9	0.2%
Small Town Connections	31	0.49%	18	0.4%
Hinterland Fam.	0	0%	0	0%

The table below lists 14 lifestyle segments in three social groups, J-Struggling Societies, K-Urban Essence, and L-Varying Lifestyles. For each the 0-1.5 mile ring, the number of households is listed together with the percent of the band in that segment. The number of unreached households is also listed together with the percent of the total unreached that are in the segment.

2010 MOSAIC HHIds	0-1.5 HH & Percent		Unreached HH & Percent	
Total	6,312	100%	4,466	100%
STRUGGLING SOCIETIES	116	1.84%	96	2.15%
Rugged Southern Style	0	0%	0	0%
Latino Nuevo	0	0%	0	0%
Struggling city Centers	0	0%	0	0%
College Town Communities	116	1.84%	96	2.15%
New Beginnings	0	0%	0	0%
URBAN ESSENCE	580	9.19%	408	9.14%
<b>Unattached Multicultures</b>	0	0%	0	0%
Academic Necessities	0	0%	0	0%
Af. Amer. Neighborhoods	490	7.76%	343	7.68%
Urban Diversity	90	1.43%	65	1.46%
New Generation Activists	0	0%	0	0%
Getting By	0	0%	0	0%
VARYING LIFESTYLES	0	0%	0	0%
Military Family Life	0	0%	0	0%
Major University Towns	0	0%	0	0%
Gray Perspectives	0	0%	0	0%

#### Identifying Focus Groups in this Location

Within the 0-1.5 mile, 1.5-3 mile and 3-7 mile bands of this site location, there are several types of people groups including ethnic, lifestyle, lifestage, and socio-religious people groups. A focus group is a group of people to whom you feel especially called to reach. Below are some suggestions regarding identifying focus groups in this site location.

#### Issues for Your Consideration

- 1. Review the current demographic summary on pages 15-19 for this site location. What demographic groups are prevalent in this particular site location?
- 2. Next take a look at the projected demographic summary on pages 20-24. What increase or decrease is expected for these groups in this site location?
- 3. Review the current ethnic summary on pages 25-27. What ethnic groups are prevalent in this site location?
- 4. Review the unreached households by lifestyle segment on pages 31-34. Which social groups have the largest number of unreached households? Which lifestyle groups have a significant number of unreached households?
- 5. Compile your answers to numbers 1 through 4 and begin prayerfully prioritizing the list of people groups that you could attempt to reach in this location. Which groupings would appear to culturally "fit" together well? Which groups likely need special consideration in developing a culturally appropriate new missional ministry or congregation?

Havneville



#### Potential Cultural Bridges

Donald McGavran in his book, The Bridges of God, emphasized the need for people to come to faith within the context of their own culture. "People like to become Christians without crossing racial, lignuistic, or class barriers." In addition, research into evangelism suggests that most people come to faith in Christ as the result of the witness of a Christian with whom they have a close personal relationship (mostly a friend or a relative).

Missional congregations intentionally release their people to permeate the community in order to develop relational bridges across which they can present Christ. These relational bridges usually are established in some context: arts & cultural organizations, sports teams and sporting events, park & recreational facility use, community organizations, community cultural events, and community social concerns and needs.

Thus, cultural bridges are those characteristics that could be used to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group. Various activities, interests, or opinions (AIO) represented among the consumer behavior characteristics of the lifestyle groups in the comunity offer ways for believers to build relationships with people in those lifestyle groups and through that relationship impact them for Christ.

[i] McGavran, Donald A. The Bridges of God. Revised edition. (New York: Friendship Press, 1981).

Pleasant Groves



The tables below list 20 consumer behavior variables related to computer and internet use at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
PC-HH Own	81%	75%	71%
Use Comp. for Internet/E-mail	68%	59%	54%
Internet Use: E-Mail	58%	51%	46%
Use Comp. for Word	48%	40%	35%
Processing			
Use Comp. for Shopping	41%	35%	31%
Use Comp. for Comp. Games	41%	36%	35%
Use Comp. for Digital Camera	38%	32%	29%
Photo Editing			
Use Comp. for Banking	38%	33%	29%
Use Comp. for Education	36%	31%	31%
Internet Use: News/ Weather	34%	30%	25%

**Dauphin Island** 

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
HH Owns DVD Player	32%	28%	27%
Internet Use: Banking	31%	28%	25%
Use Comp. for News/Info./Data	30%	25%	22%
Service			
PC-Network-HH Has One	24%	19%	18%
Use Comp. for Personal Financial	18%	15%	13%
Mngmnt			
Use Comp. for Accounting	17%	14%	12%
Internet Use: Shopping: Gathered	17%	15%	13%
Info. for Shopping			
Internet Use: Research/ Education	15%	14%	11%
Internet Use: Shopping: Made A	15%	13%	10%
Purchase			
Use Comp. for Filing/DB Mngmnt	14%	13%	12%

The tables below lists 20 consumer behavior variables related to top leisure activities, auto maintenance, prescription drug use, and diet control at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Listening To Music	69%	69%	68%
Dining Out (Not Fast Food)	64%	58%	53%
Reading Books	59%	57%	53%
Card Games	42%	40%	38%
Go To A Beach/Lake	41%	36%	34%
Cooking for Fun	39%	38%	35%
Gardening	35%	30%	28%
Board Games	34%	31%	29%
Visit Museum	26%	23%	19%
Going To	23%	22%	19%
Bars/Nightclubs/Dancing			

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Any Ailment	66%	65%	66%
Gen./Fam. Practitioner	40%	38%	36%
Dentist	32%	29%	26%
Eye Dr.	22%	21%	20%
None Of These	21%	21%	20%
Backache	20%	21%	21%
High Cholesterol	18%	17%	17%
Hypertension/High Blood	17%	19%	19%
Pressure			
Any Arthritis	14%	14%	14%
Acid Reflux Disease (GERD)	13%	14%	14%

The tables below lists 20 consumer behavior variables related to attending performances, movies and sporting events at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Concert	32.47%	31%	28.44%
Live Theater	26.97%	24.02%	21.25%
Live Theater Most Often	22.3%	19.31%	16.82%
Rock/Pop Concerts Most	17.78%	17.16%	15.43%
Often			
Dance Performance	10.63%	10.67%	10.44%
Comedy Club	10.44%	10.35%	10.85%
Movies: Comedy	42.14%	40.89%	41.73%
Movies: Action/Adventure	40.38%	39.14%	39.65%
Movies: Drama	23.69%	23.09%	23.89%

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Movies: Romantic Comedy	23.27%	21.74%	21.86%
Movies: Fam.	20.19%	19.42%	21.27%
Movies: Mystery	18.04%	18.41%	18.92%
MLB Baseball Reg.	11.72%	9.51%	7.95%
Season			
NFL Football Reg. Season	8.69%	7.25%	6.36%
College Football Reg.	8.55%	6.84%	5.95%
Season			
College Basketball Reg.	5.98%	5%	4.38%
Season			
NBA Basketball Reg.	5.24%	4.33%	3.69%
Season			
NHL Hockey Reg. Season	4.59%	3.92%	2.96%

The tables below lists 28 consumer behavior variables related to fitness participation at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Walking for Exercise	44.36%	41.86%	38.89%
Swimming	36.09%	32.05%	29.15%
Bowling	22.47%	21.32%	20.69%
Billiards/Pool	19.25%	19.2%	18.42%
Weight Training	19.01%	16.99%	15.57%
Jogging/Running	17.81%	17.11%	16.46%
Golf	17.53%	13.82%	11.77%
Using Cardio Machine	17.32%	15.34%	12.97%
Mountain/Road Biking	15.82%	13.25%	11.21%
Basketball	14.62%	15.13%	15.88%
Freshwater Fishing	14.59%	14.12%	14.36%
Camping Trips	14.29%	12.29%	10.91%
Stationary Cycling	14.15%	12.81%	11.63%
Backpacking/Hiking	11.91%	10.19%	8.21%

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Aerobics	11.38%	11.24%	10.83%
Baseball	10.32%	10.68%	11.24%
Football	9.2%	10.25%	11.27%
Yoga	9.05%	8.51%	7.25%
Tennis	8.94%	8.04%	6.97%
Power Boating	8.59%	6.93%	6.3%
Soccer	7.7%	7.53%	6.59%
Volleyball	7.67%	7.96%	8.18%
Target Shooting	7.66%	7.02%	6.78%
Canoeing/Kayaking	7.51%	6.32%	5.35%
Softball	7.41%	7.69%	7.73%
Downhill & X-Country	6.55%	4.94%	4.12%
Skiing			
Saltwater Fishing	6.39%	6.38%	6.46%
Hunting	6.38%	6.25%	6.02%

The tables below lists 20 consumer behavior variables related to fitness participation at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. However, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Ice Skating	6.11%	5.48%	5.24%
Roller Skating	5.53%	5.88%	5.91%
Motorcycling	5.53%	4.91%	4.96%
Horseback Riding	5.33%	4.85%	4.5%
Snorkeling	5.3%	4.77%	4.6%
Jet Skiing	4.72%	4.28%	4.22%
Water Skiing	4.53%	3.96%	3.54%
Racquetball	3.79%	3.85%	4.05%
Archery	3.77%	3.45%	3.49%
Fly Fishing	3.74%	3.74%	3.97%

BRIDGES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Rock Climbing	3.71%	3.52%	3.32%
Martial Arts	3.68%	3.53%	2.96%
Hockey	3.54%	3.42%	3.3%
Sailing	3.39%	3.14%	2.85%
Snowboarding	3.36%	3.3%	3.29%
Snowmobiling	2.99%	2.88%	3.1%
Auto Racing	2.67%	2.68%	2.63%
Rowing	2.61%	2.44%	2.33%
Skateboarding	2.45%	2.68%	2.99%
Surfing & Windsurfing	2.42%	2.54%	2.57%

### Potential Cultural Barriers -- Introduction (part 1)

Most community barriers are related to some aspect of culture that stand in the way of some segments of society having the understanding or acceptance necessary to come to faith in Jesus Christ. These barriers inhibit the flow of the gospel within a people grouping. Other types of barriers include biblical barriers and ecclesial barriers.

#### **BIBLICAL BARRIERS**

The term Biblical barriers, is used to describe aspects of biblical truth that are offensive to the community. Biblical barriers can be divided into two types: 1) barriers based on clear, biblical teaching; 2) barriers based on the cultural application of biblical principles. Barriers caused by clear, biblical teaching cannot be eliminated without compromising the truth of scripture. Application barriers should be re-evaluated in light of the culture of the people group to verify that the application is transcultural instead of culture-specific.

#### **ECCLESIAL BARRIERS**

Ecclesial barriers are barriers that arise from the perceptions that people outside the church have of the church, its people, its programming, and it' leadership. In a classic study of the attitudes of the unchurched, people were asked: "What keeps people like you from considering the Christian faith?" Approximately 75 percent of unchurched people answered the question by refering t oan ecclesial barrier. "They resist becoming Christians because they 'don't want to become like church people'"[i]

[i] Hunter, George G., Jr. Church for the Unchurched. (Smyma: Abingdon Press, 1996), 59.

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**Point Clear** 



**Dadeville** 

### Potential Cultural Barriers -- Introduction (part 2)

#### **CULTURAL BARRIERS OF UNDERSTANDING**

Cultural barriers may impede either understanding or acceptance. Cultural barriers of understanding occur because of problems with the communication of the message. Often people do not understand the gospel when it is presented to them.

#### **CULTURAL BARRIERS OF ACCEPTANCE**

#### Christian Subculture

Cultural barriers of acceptance occur because of a variety of problems, including those related to the Christian sub-culture as well as the culture of the hearer. Sometimes unchurched people have understood that they must adopt the evangelical Christian subculture in order to come to faith -- and become like "church people" -- including dressing like them, participating in all of the church functions and activities, passively following church leadership, not questioning aspects of Christian faith and beliefs, and ignoring the poor and minorities.

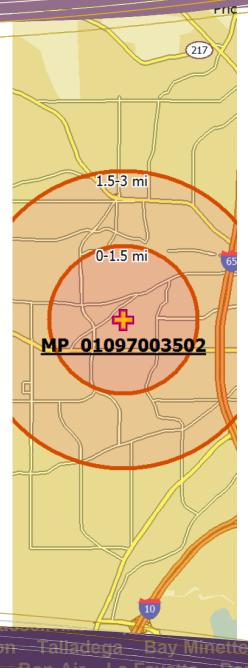
#### **Unreached People Group**

Sometimes cultural aspects from within the unchurched people group -- currently held values, attitudes & behaviors are seen as antithetical to Christianity, which inhibits them from coming to faith. Some aspects of culture may be redeemed for God's glory and used to please him. Other cultural aspects are so perverted by sin that they cannot be used without syncretizing. In order to identify cultural barriers of acceptance, missional congregations develop relationships within the cultural group and seek to understand who they are and what an indigenous church would look like among them in order to eliminate unnecessary barriers that have been identified that the missionary should consider in reaching out to the lifestyle segments in this site location.

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## **Potential Cultural Barriers:**

The tables below list 24 personal attitude variables related to cultural barriers at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the household in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

BARRIERS	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Important Continue Learning New Things	49%	49%	51%
Prefer To Have Few Possessions As Possible	42%	38%	33%
Find It Difficult To Say No To My Kids	37%	36%	36%
Speak My Mind Even If It Upsets People	33%	35%	37%
Woman's Place Is In The Home	32%	32%	33%
If Won Lottery Would Never Work Again	31%	28%	27%
Like Control Over People And Resources	31%	33%	36%
Friends More Important Than My Fam.	29%	27%	24%
Don't Judge People/Way They Live Life	28%	29%	31%
Like To Do Unconventional Things	26%	26%	26%
Money Is Best Measure Of Success	26%	26%	24%
Marijuana Should Be Legalized	21%	21%	21%

BARRIERS	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Too Much Sponsorship In Arts/Sports	20%	22%	26%
Like to Stand Out In A Crowd	19%	20%	21%
Like To Pursue Challenge/Novelty/Change	19%	19%	18%
I Am A Workaholic	17%	20%	23%
Happy With My Standard Of Living	15%	16%	14%
Rarely Sit Down to a Meal Together At Home	15%	15%	16%
Only Work Current Job for The Money	13%	14%	15%
We Should Strive for Equality for All	13%	15%	17%
On Whole People Get What They Deserve	11%	12%	12%
Indulge My Kids With The Little Extras	9%	9%	9%
Little I Can Do To Change My Life	7%	7%	8%
I Am A Perfectionist	7%	9%	9%

#### Potential Cultural Themes

Typically many Christians explain the gospel the way it was presented to them. However, today many nonbelievers in North America do not have a Christian background nor do they have any interest in the Christian Church or Christianity. Because of this the gospel messages that they have "heard" (with their ears or eyes on TV) has not registered in their mind, heart or soul -- truly they have not actually "heard" (in the Biblical sense of the word) the gospel yet. They need to hear the gospel in a way that grips them where they live.

Cultural themes that arise from their attitudes, beliefs, and life stories provide a significant way for missionaries to share the gospel in their own terms. Just as missionaries in Papua New Guinea shared the story of the legendary "peace child" that a jungle tribe anticipated from their folklore, so too missionaries to this site location need to take "themes" out of the culture to use in sharing the gospel in a fresh and culturally appropriate way. This section provides many significant thems that may be considered as a basis for developing a contextual gospel presentation to people in this site location.

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Tillmans Corner

## Potential Cultural Themes:

The tables below list 24 personal attitude variables related to cultural themes at this mission site. For each of the three bands-- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

THEMES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Important To Respect Customs And Beliefs	66%	62%	59%
You Should Seize Opportunities In Life	57%	57%	57%
Prefer To Have Few Possessions As Possible	42%	38%	33%
Like To Understand About Nature	39%	39%	39%
Important Feel Respected By My Peers	33%	34%	33%
Prefer Work Part Of Team Than Alone	32%	33%	35%
Have Keen Sense Of Adventure	28%	27%	28%
Important To Juggle Various Tasks	28%	31%	32%
Good At Fixing Things	26%	28%	29%
People Have To Take Me As They Find Me	25%	24%	23%
Like To Just Enjoy Life	25%	23%	22%
Worried About Pollution Caused By Cars	21%	21%	19%

Midland City

THEMES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
THEMES	MILES	MILES	MILES
Consider Myself Interested In The Arts	18%	19%	21%
Real Men Don't Cry	16%	16%	16%
Is An Important Part Of Who I Am	15%	15%	16%
Try Not To Worry About The Future	14%	15%	16%
Looking for New Ideas To Improve Home	14%	15%	18%
Enjoy Spending Time With My Fam.	11%	12%	13%
Provide My Kids With The Little Extras	10%	13%	17%
Children Should Be Allowed To Express Themselves	6%	6%	7%
Feel Very Alone In The World	5%	6%	6%
Like Spending Most Time With Fam.	5%	5%	5%
Would Like To Set Up Own Business	4%	4%	4%
Decor Particular Interest To Me	3%	4%	4%

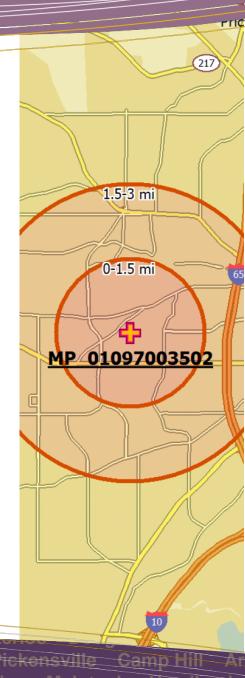
### **Potential Shared Places**

While missional strategy is important, unless someone begins a missional relationship with a non-believer and sharges the gospel with them the missional strategy is ineffective. A key component of missions is "hanging out" with lost people in order to build relationships and to allow the Holy Spirit to use us in moving them toward the claims of the gospel. This section provides some ideas of where to hang out -- where to meet people in the lifestyle segment you are attempting to reach.

Oxford

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Demopolis



## **Potential Shared Places:**

The tables below list 24 shared variables related to shared places at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that frequent the place is given. However, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

PLACE	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Fast Food/Drive-In	83.37%	83.28%	84.45%
Restaurant-Visit Any			
Fam. Restaurants/Steak	82.08%	79.24%	77.55%
Houses-Visit Any			
McDonald's	55.22%	54.43%	55.28%
Burger King	35.86%	36.54%	37.85%
Wendy's	30.19%	29.68%	30.94%
Applebee's	29.46%	28.06%	27.37%
Subway	29.28%	28.75%	29.61%
Taco Bell	27.71%	26.49%	27.03%
Kentucky Fried Chicken (KFC)	24.4%	27.12%	30.65%
Olive Garden	22.83%	20.79%	20.21%
Arby's	21.11%	20.28%	20.72%
Pizza Hut	19.28%	20.27%	21.89%

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PLACE	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Starbucks	17.09%	14.87%	13.39%
Outback Steakhouse	16.7%	15.22%	14.86%
Red Lobster	16.57%	16.88%	17.3%
Chili's Grill and Bar	16.4%	14.02%	13.21%
Dairy Queen	15.84%	14.93%	15.76%
IHOP (International House Of	15.28%	15.18%	15.06%
Pancakes)			
Cracker Barrel	14.17%	12.86%	12.3%
TGI Friday's	13.98%	13.98%	13.92%
Chick-Fil-A	13.96%	13.51%	14.09%
Domino's Pizza	13.76%	14.49%	15.23%
Panera Bread	12.98%	10.4%	8.79%
Denny's	12.87%	12.25%	11.72%

### Potential Shared Projects

Shared projects are those social or community projects in which people at this site location are involved that Christians could join in with them as a means of developing relationships while "serving with them." So often Christians either expect nonbelievers to come to them ("come to our church service or event") or the church creates a social type activity (church softball league, etc) in the community to invite nonbelievers to attend or join. These type of church-sponsored events and activities are often intimidating to a nonbeliever.

Shared projects are community activities that already exist in the missional site location in which nonbelievers are already participating. When missional believers, who live in the community, join community organizations and participate in community events, they have opportunities to be salt and light in their neighborhoods.

This section of the MissionSite report provides a list of common community activities together with the percentage of the site location that we would expect to be already participating. Find these community organizations, activities or events and join in with others in your community! What a way to build evangelistic relationships!



## **Potential Shared Projects**

The tables below list 12 attitude variables related to shared projects at this mission site. For each of the three bands-- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. However, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

PROJECTS	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Voted in fed/state/local election	51.5%	47.24%	44.27%
Recycled products	41.12%	35.62%	30.28%
Worked as volunteer (non political)	20.44%	17.29%	15.07%
Engaged in fund raising	13.31%	12.13%	11.4%
Religious club member	7.75%	7.65%	7.54%
Wrote to elected offcl about publ bus	7.45%	6.45%	5.8%

PROJECTS	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Wrote to editor of mag or	6.89%	6.17%	5.46%
newspaper			
Charitable Organization	6.65%	5.85%	5.05%
Took active part in local civic	5.82%	5.55%	5.22%
issue			
Addressed a public meeting	5.44%	4.81%	4.4%
Union member	5.26%	5.11%	4.6%
Fraternal order member	4.7%	4.63%	4.35%

#### **Communication Media Content**

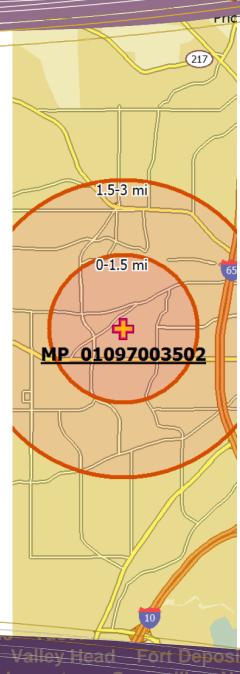
The media-saturated 21st century poses both unique challenges and unique opportunities for missional leaders today. A major challenge you will face in this missional site location is cutting through the many layers of media that bombard your intended audience. Through the din of competing voices, the message of the gospel needs to become a clarion call.

Understanding the type of media content people in your site location use may help you to begin planning a comprehensive media strategy. Combining an understanding of this media content with the cultural bridges, barriers, and themes mentioned on pages 37-46 will enable you to begin shaping targeted messages to your intended audience.

Westover

Homewood

Rockford



## Potential Print Media Content:

The table below list 18 variables related to book and magazine usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the household in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. However, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org

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BOOKS	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Novel	21.16%	18.73%	16.26%
Children's Books	14.26%	13.56%	13.19%
Mystery	14.18%	12.44%	11.05%
Cookbooks	11.47%	10.75%	9.74%
History	8.62%	7.57%	6.72%
Religious (not Bibles)	8.59%	9.1%	9.39%
Personal/Business	8.42%	7.73%	6.64%
Self-help			
Biography	8.27%	7.51%	6.63%
Romance	6.98%	6.91%	7.28%

MAGAZINES	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Newspaper Distributed	73.38%	70.33%	68.34%
Gen. Editorial	49.26%	49.58%	49.53%
Womens	42.97%	43.7%	43.65%
Service	37.92%	34.25%	32.88%
Business/Finance	22.52%	20.83%	19.18%
Mens	19.97%	20.1%	19.21%
Sports	17.89%	16.69%	15.24%
Parenthood	13.27%	13.35%	14.29%
Health	13.18%	13.2%	13.14%

## Potential Print & Audio Media Content:

The tables below list 31 variables related to newspaper & radio usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. However, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behaviors and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

NEWSPAPERS	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Gen. News	57.67%	54.39%	51.79%
Business/Finance	34.85%	30.69%	27.54%
Sport	34.83%	32.75%	31.28%
Editorial Page	31.49%	29.26%	27.45%
Classified	31.14%	31.95%	32.97%
Movie Listings & Reviews	29.1%	27.42%	25.29%
Comics	28.12%	26.37%	25.06%
Food/Cooking	26.8%	24.99%	23.46%
TV/Radio Listings	24.56%	23.29%	22.62%
Home/Gardening	23.74%	21.25%	19.48%
Travel	23.23%	20.8%	18.42%
Science/Technology	20.34%	18.38%	15.82%
Fashion	15.68%	15.79%	15.57%

0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
MILES	MILES	MILES
19.52%	16.8%	14.91%
18.46%	19.17%	17.77%
16.68%	14.76%	14.7%
16.55%	13.02%	10.3%
13.81%	11.67%	9.9%
12.4%	20.77%	27.54%
12.23%	10.26%	8.27%
12.23%	11.04%	10.57%
11.4%	9.38%	7.73%
8.56%	9.48%	9.31%
8.11%	7.2%	6.37%
7.59%	6.62%	6.24%
6.82%	6.18%	5.66%
5.73%	4.95%	4.23%
5.57%	4.57%	3.78%
5.09%	4.41%	3.36%
5.03%	6.67%	7.18%
4.89%	3.87%	3.42%
	MILES 19.52% 18.46% 16.68% 16.55% 13.81% 12.4% 12.23% 11.4% 8.56% 8.11% 7.59% 6.82% 5.73% 5.57% 5.09% 5.03%	MILES         19.52%       16.8%         18.46%       19.17%         16.68%       14.76%         16.55%       13.02%         13.81%       11.67%         12.4%       20.77%         12.23%       10.26%         12.23%       11.04%         11.4%       9.38%         8.56%       9.48%         8.11%       7.2%         7.59%       6.62%         6.82%       6.18%         5.73%       4.95%         5.57%       4.57%         5.09%       4.41%         5.03%       6.67%

## Potential Multimedia Content:

The tables below list 24 variables related to television content and delivery at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org

MULTIMEDIA: TV	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Fox News Channel	65.2%	62.48%	61.24%
Satellite Dish	53.17%	49.18%	50.17%
Soapnet	52.18%	51.07%	50.36%
Comedy Central	40.2%	35.55%	31.05%
Other Video-On-Demand	38.39%	38.71%	42.42%
Sci-Fi Channel	36.48%	34.8%	34.16%
MSNBC	33.28%	32.23%	32.59%
Adult Pay Per View TV	31.28%	29.41%	30.11%
TV Info From Sunday TV	30.45%	28.45%	27.93%
Magazine			
ABC Fam.	30.08%	27.41%	24.86%
Subscribe Digital Cable	29.7%	29.47%	30.63%
ESPN Classic	29.29%	25.18%	20.68%

MULTIMEDIA: TV	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Adult Swim	28.77%	25.7%	24.03%
Hallmark Channel	27.1%	24.78%	24.29%
TCM (Turner Classic	27.03%	25.14%	24.47%
Movies)			
USA Network	27.02%	24.57%	23.03%
Nickelodeon	27%	26.16%	26.77%
ESPN2	26.88%	25.64%	24.6%
BET (Black Entertainment	26.77%	25.37%	24.74%
TV)			
TV Info From Newspapers	26.64%	25.77%	25.85%
The Golf Channel	26.31%	23.61%	22.11%
ESPN News	24.5%	21.17%	18.12%
Nick At Nite	24.08%	23.54%	23.81%
TV Info From Monthly Cable Guide	23.74%	23.05%	23.61%

### Communication Media Usage

It is not enough to understand the type of media that your intended audience uses. It may also be helpful to understand the extent to which people in your site location use various media types and when they use the media. Media usage is generally measured by frequency or extent. Time usage is measured in blocks of day, night and weekend usage.

Taken together, media content, media usage, and time usage may be combined with demographics, lifestyles, and consumer behavior to paint a picture of who does what and when at the site location.

Each of these components may help you to begin planning a comprehensive media strategy. Combining media with the cultural bridges, barriers, and themes mentioned on pages 37-46 will enable you to deliver targeted messages to your intended audience at times when they are apt to listen.

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**New Market** 

Gardendale



## Potential Print Media Usage:

The tables below list 23 variables related to print media usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households that participate in the activity or an index value is given. For more detailed information you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

MEDIUM	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Book Readers			
Heavy Users (7+)	23.24%	21.09%	18.7%
Medium Users (4-6)	12.04%	10.8%	9.68%
Light Users (1-3)	21.82%	21.09%	20.13%
Quintiles (20%)			
Newspaper I (Heavy)	1.44%	1.34%	1.29%
Newspaper II	1.51%	1.66%	1.68%
Newspaper III	2.33%	2.48%	2.42%
Newspaper IV	0.41%	0.4%	0.5%
Newspaper V (Light)	1.1%	0.97%	1.04%

**Dodge City** 

Hackleburg

MEDIUM	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Quintiles (20%)			
Magazines I (Heavy)	20.07%	20.7%	22.12%
Magazines II	8.27%	9.28%	10.07%
Magazines III	9.83%	10.35%	11.08%
Magazines IV	11.98%	12.15%	13.57%
Magazines V (Light)	0.64%	0.82%	0.8%
Outdoor I (Heavy)	7.59%	8.02%	8.22%
Outdoor II	2.84%	3.34%	3.97%
Outdoor III	3.91%	4.12%	4.86%
Outdoor IV	14.94%	15.76%	16%
Outdoor V (Light)	24.45%	23.83%	24.02%
Yellow Pages I	13.75%	14.68%	15.47%
(Heavy)			
Yellow Pages II	6.47%	7.23%	7.46%
Yellow Pages III	5.94%	7.07%	8.32%
Yellow Pages IV	20.79%	22.34%	23.27%
Yellow Pages V	3.46%	3.95%	4.61%
(Light)			

## Potential Multimedia Usage

The tables below list 23 variables related to multimedia usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households that participate in the activity or an index value is given. For more detailed information you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

MEDIUM	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Radio Drive Time Quntiles			
(fifths / 20%)			
Drive Time I & II (Heavy)	3.82%	3.94%	3.6%
Drive Time III (Medium)	1%	0.97%	1.06%
Radio IV & V (Light)	2.91%	2.99%	3.09%
Radio Media Quntiles (fifths /			
20%)			
Radio I & II (Heavy)	8.91%	9.43%	11.25%
Radio III (Medium)	4.64%	4.52%	4.66%
Radio IV & V (Light)	3.47%	3.82%	4.07%
Cable TV Quntiles (fifths /			
20%)			
Cable I & II (Heavy)	14.93%	14.3%	13.05%
Cable III (Medium)	4.58%	4.67%	5.12%
Cable IV & V (Light)	31.98%	33.63%	35.62%

Halevville

MEDIUM	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
TV Prime Time Quntiles (fifths / 20%)			
Prime Time I & II (Heavy)	4.25%	4.49%	4.25%
Prime Time III (Medium)	1.92%	1.92%	1.64%
Prime Time IV & V (Light)	8.08%	9.03%	11.07%
TV Early/Late Fringe Quntiles			
(fifths / 20%)			
Fringe I & II (Heavy)	41.15%	40.56%	39.98%
Fringe III (Medium)	50.48%	51.47%	52.77%
Fringe IV (Light)	53.97%	54.19%	55.33%
TV All Day Quntiles (fifths /			
20%)			
All Day I & II (Heavy)	12.9%	14.12%	16.19%
All Day III (Medium)	23.49%	23.7%	24.36%
All Day IV (Light)	14.78%	16.72%	18.74%

## Potential Audio & Prime Time TV Media Usage:

The tables below list 23 variables related to audio & prime time TV media usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is
given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal
variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site
location at MissionalContext.org.

USAGE	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Day-time Radio			
Listeners			
Dayparts [summary]	13.53%	12.74%	11.93%
6:00am - 10:00am	20.82%	19.53%	17.67%
10:00am - 3:00pm	8.05%	10.08%	11.92%
3:00pm - 7:00pm	13.97%	14.46%	16.58%
7:00pm - Midnight	15.24%	13.99%	13.29%
Midnight - 6:00am	5.91%	6.87%	7.71%
Weekend Radio			
Listeners			
Dayparts [summary]	14.3%	14.14%	15.2%
6:00am - 10:00am	5.18%	4.68%	3.96%
10:00am-3:00pm	7.87%	7.35%	6.28%
3:00pm - 7:00pm	6.92%	7.41%	8.55%
7:00pm - Midnight	9.91%	9.78%	10.76%
Midnight - 6:00am	12.06%	12.7%	13.73%

USAGE	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Prime Time TV Viewers			
8:00-11:00pm	9.54%	8.37%	7.92%
Saturday:	8.74%	8.69%	8.74%
8:00-11:00pm			
Sunday: 7:00-11:00pm	10.88%	9.8%	9.91%
9:00am-1:00pm	24.08%	23.54%	23.81%
9:00am-4:00pm	27.85%	27.47%	27.58%
4:00pm-7:00pm	30.89%	30.08%	30.28%
11:00pm-1:00am	40.19%	39.94%	41%
AVG Prime time	3.11%	3.59%	4.38%
Mon-Sun			

# Potential Weekday & Weekend TV Media Usage:

The table below lists 28 variables related to weekday & weekend media usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

TV VIEWERS	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Weekday			
6-7am	19.84%	18.52%	18.36%
7-9am	26.88%	25.64%	24.6%
9am-12noon	20.02%	18.83%	18.13%
12noon-4pm	7.82%	8.64%	9.45%
4-6pm	52.45%	49.14%	48.4%
6-7pm	17.86%	17.62%	17.42%
7-7:30pm	1.77%	1.86%	1.66%
7:30-8pm	9.64%	10.5%	10.62%
8-11pm	9.54%	8.37%	7.92%
11pm-12am	33.28%	32.23%	32.59%
11pm-1am	40.19%	39.94%	41%
1-6am	34.24%	32.83%	32.01%

TV VIEWERS	0-1.5	1.5-3	3-7
	MILES	MILES	MILES
Weekend			
Sat: 7-10am	22.03%	20.08%	18.98%
Sat: 10am-1pm	9.37%	9.18%	9.68%
Sat: 1-4pm	25.46%	24.5%	24.36%
Sat: 4-6pm	7.73%	7.73%	7.83%
Sat: 6-7pm	2.63%	2.23%	1.95%
Sat: 7-8pm	1.4%	1.32%	1.25%
Sat: 8-11pm	8.74%	8.69%	8.74%
Sat: 11pm-1am	5.79%	6.2%	6.47%
Sat: 1am-7pm	27.02%	24.57%	23.03%
Sun: 7-10am	2.11%	2.25%	2.19%
Sun: 10am-1pm	6.83%	5.95%	5.91%
Sun: 1-4pm	6.7%	6%	5.76%
Sun: 4-7pm	14.53%	13.09%	12.94%
Sun: 7-11pm	10.88%	9.8%	9.91%
Sun: 11pm-1am	5.21%	5.24%	5.8%
Sun: 1-7am	23.61%	21.47%	21.07%

# Using the Cultural Bridges, Barriers and Themes

Hurtsboro

The Cultural Bridges provide lists of activities and interests that are common among some groups of people in this mission site. Missional team members and church planters may use this data as the basis for creating intentional redemptive relationships. The Cultural Barriers list gives attitudes that may become a barrier to the spread of the gospel. The Cultural Themes are attitudes that may be the basis for developing a gospel presentation.

#### Issues for Your Consideration

- 1. Please read pages 62 and 63 on Biblical Missional Multiplication and Establishing Redemptive Relationships before considering the following issues.
- 2. Look through the cultural bridges listed on pages 37-41. Has anyone on the missional team been personally involved or interested in any of these bridge areas in the past? How can the team get involved in these activities with people who live and/or work in the mission site area?
- 3. Review the cultural barriers listed on page 44. Discuss how each of the attitudes reflected in this mission site may become a barrier to the spread of the gospel. Also discuss what steps the missional team may take to overcome these barriers.
- 4. Review the cultural themes listed on page 46. Choose two or three of the major themes that are prevalent at this mission site and begin developing presentations that wrap the gospel around these themes. Discuss how to "steer" the conversation to these themes and bridge into the gospel presentation.

# Using the Shared Places, Projects, Media Content and Usage

The Shared Places provides a list of restaurants and restaurant types that are frequented by some groups of people in the mission site. If a particular restaurant chain is not in your area, look for similar types of restaurants. The Shared Projects section lists various activities in which some people in the mission site are engaged. The Media Content and Usage sections give a window into the types of media content that is preferred and the times media is commonly used

#### Issues for Your Consideration

- 1. Review the shared places listed on page 48. Discuss these types of organizations that may be found at the mission site. Discuss how the mission team may become part of these organizations in order to develop redemptive relationships.
- 2. Review the shared projects listed on page 50. Discuss ways in which people in the mission site may be involved in these activities. Has anyone on the missional team been personally involved in these activities with people who live and/or work in the mission site area.
- 3. Review the print, radio, and television media content listed on pages 52-54. What do people in this mission site read, listen to or watch? Describe the "typical" types of people in the mission site based on this information. How does this information shape the ways in which the missional team should present the gospel and the church? What mediums could be used to communicate with people at ths mission site more effectively?
- 4. Review the print, radio and television media usage on pages 56-59. Describe the frequency and times of media usage by people at this mission site. How does this inform what media the missional team should use and when the media should be employed?

**New Market** 

Coffeeville

Indian Springs Village

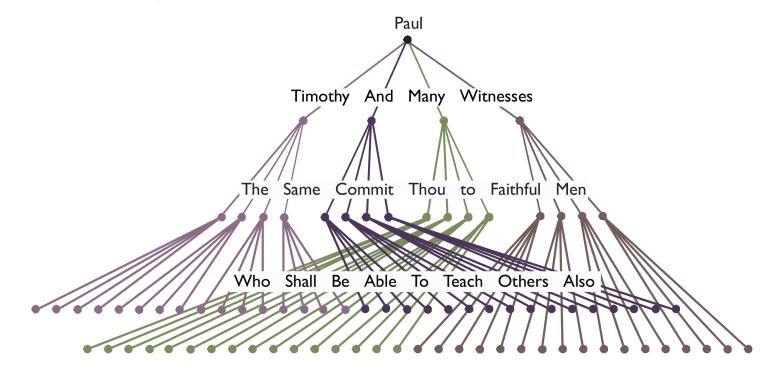
# Biblical Missional Multiplication

Biblical missional multiplication builds upon disciplemaking and spiritual reproduction.

Jesus and his disciples multiplied their efforts by investing in relationships with others. The diagram to the right illustrates how social networking in the New Testament era was behind the success of this multiplication.

The MissionSite report provides insights into ways that we too can build redemptive relationships and foster missional multiplication at this site location.

Missional Multiplication Principle 2nd Timothy 2:2

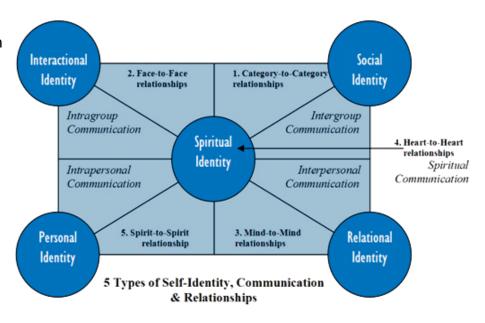


# Establishing Redemptive Relationships

Missional Multiplication occurs when redemptive relationships move people through a process to bring people to Christ. This process is most successful as we relate to people based on their identity. Five types of identity enable us to connect with people and see them move through this process.

### Communication Steps

- 1. Category-to-Category: Connect through a common social identity; some activity, interest, or behavior that you share with the person.
- 2. Face-to-Face: Begin interacting with the person; building a personal rapport.
- 3. Mind-to-Mind: After building a rapport, move the conversation towards spiritual issues.
- 4. Heart-to-Heart: As the Holy Spirit leads you, wrap the gospel presentation around a theme that connects with the person.
- Spirit-to-Spirit: This is the level at which the Holy Spirit works speaks to our inner self. The previous 4 steps facilitates the Holy Spirit doing his regenerative work.



### Your MissionSite and the Missional Suite

The site location of this MissionSite report is based upon the SITESCAPE typology developed by the staff of IICM. The SITESCAPE is an analysis of the 0-1/2 mile, 0-1 1/2 mile, 0-3 mile, 3-7 mile, 7-10 mile, and 10-15 mile bands around each of the 65,370 US census tract centroids (or geographical centers). Each census tract has been assigned a large number of variables based upon this analysis. These variables include information regarding the spirituallity of this particular location. This report relects a "Top Unreached Location" meaning that this site has a significant number of households that have not been reached by the gospel of Jesus Christ. Sitescape definitions may be found online at the MissionalCyclopedia.org site.

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Additional help regarding this MissionSite location may be obtained at www.iicm.net. IICM provides access to a number of resources:

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- Online personal missional profile at APEPT.org
- Custom reports at MissionalContext.org
- Custom mapping at MissionalCulturescape.org
- Missional information at Missional Cyclopedia.org
- Networking & Zipcode level data at MissionalCorps.org
- Information on top lifestyle groups at MissionalZipcode.org



## **Notes and Sources**

- 1. Sitescape location and Evangelscape spirituality indicators data are datasets created by the staff of IICM by cross-tabulating multiple datasets from ScanUS, Experian, Simmons Market Research Bureau and TheAmericanChurch.org. These datasets are updated annually.
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- 6. The data from the departments of the US government is public data. US government sources include: Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce; Economic Research Service, Department of Agriculture; National Center for Education Statistics, Department of Education.

# APPENDIX: ALSBOM Churches by Distance

	CHILIDON	ADDRESS	DICTANCE	WDCIID AVO	IICM COD
	CHURCH	ADDRESS	DISTANCE	WRSHP AVG	IICM CGR
1	Azalea City Fellowship	274 Jackson Dr Mobile, AL 36609	0.75 mi	0	Plateauing
2	Airport Boulevard	6301 Airport Blvd Mobile, AL 36608	0.95 mi	118	Plateauing
3	Spring Hill	2 McGregor Ave S Mobile, AL 36608	1.40 mi	1,067	Plateauing
4	New Hope	6390 Old Shell Rd Mobile, AL 36608	1.49 mi	44	Declining
5	Emmanuel	5601 Zeigler Blvd Mobile, AL 36608	1.75 mi	96	Plateauing
6	Hillcrest	1204 Hillcrest Rd Mobile, AL 36695	2.17 mi	70	Declining
7	Dauphin Way	3661 Dauphin St Mobile, AL 36608	2.17 mi	884	Growing
8	International	5651 Cottage Hill Rd. Mobile, AL 36609	2.23 mi	55	Growing
9	Moffett Road	5555 Moffett Rd Mobile, AL 36618	2.59 mi	432	Plateauing
10	Cottage Hill	PO Box 9129 Mobile, AL 36691	2.59 mi	1,825	Declining
11	New Generation	1350 Cody Rd N Mobile, AL 36608	2.62 mi	120	Growing
12	New Jerusalem	7220 1st St Mobile, AL 36608	2.74 mi	50	Plateauing
13	Forest Hill	P O Box 180114 Mobile, AL 36618	2.77 mi	35	Plateauing
14	Snow Road First	2370 Snow Rd N Semmes, AL 36575	2.93 mi	126	Growing
15	Ebenezer	5051 Ebenezer Dr Mobile, AL 36609	2.94 mi	0	Plateauing

# APPENDIX: ALSBOM Churches by Distance - Continued

	CHURCH	ADDRESS	DISTANCE	WRSHP AVG	IICM CGR
16	Sage Avenue	150 S Sage Ave Mobile, AL 36606	3.12 mi	218	Declining
17	West Mobile	7501 Airport Blvd Mobile, AL 36608	3.19 mi	602	Growing
18	Orchard	6960 Overlook Rd Mobile, AL 36618	3.32 mi	254	Declining
19	Government Street	3401 Government Blvd Mobile, AL 36693	3.54 mi	382	Plateauing
20	New Liberty Park	654 Rice St Mobile, AL 36607	3.56 mi	30	Growing
21	Springhill Avenue	2651 Spring Hill Ave Mobile, AL 36607	3.75 mi	88	Growing
22	Faith	P.O. Box 851208 Mobile, AL 36685	3.76 mi	89	Growing
23	Anchor of Hope Community	2370 Hillcrest Rd Ste G, PMB 236 Mobile, AL 36695	3.81 mi	31	Growing
24	Dayspring	2200 Cody Rd S Mobile, AL 36695	4.02 mi	880	Growing
25	Zion	P.O. Box 6200 Mobile, AL 36660	4.30 mi	76	Declining
26	Providence	2155 Dauphin St Mobile, AL 36606	4.33 mi	6	Declining
27	Azalea	4050 Halls Mill Rd Mobile, AL 36693	4.37 mi	99	Declining
28	Central	998 Dauphin Island Pkwy Mobile, AL 36605	4.82 mi	58	Plateauing
29	Manor	1604 Navco Rd Mobile, AL 36605	4.99 mi	177	Declining
30	Woodridge	2700 Schillinger Rd S Mobile, AL 36695	5.04 mi	505	Growing

# APPENDIX: ALSBOM Churches by Distance - Continued

	CHURCH	ADDRESS	DISTANCE	WRSHP AVG	IICM CGR
0.4					
31	New Home	1226 Neely Ave Prichard, AL 36610	5.07 mi	0	Plateauing
32	Navco	1719 Navco Rd Mobile, AL 36605	5.18 mi	53	Declining
33	Seven Hills	8950 Airport Blvd Mobile, AL 36608	5.30 mi	210	Declining
34	Highpoint	2421 Lott Rd Eight Mile, AL 36613	5.36 mi	198	Growing
35	Crawford	3000 Sun Valley Dr Mobile, AL 36618	5.48 mi	299	Declining
36	Crosspoint	256 Dogwood Dr Mobile, AL 36609	5.64 mi	75	Plateauing
37	Sonrise	140 Snow Rd S Mobile, AL 36608	5.79 mi	102	Growing
38	Fulton Road	1800 Dauphin Island Pkwy Mobile, AL 36605	5.86 mi	195	Plateauing
39	Myers Memorial	307 S Shelton Beach Rd Mobile, AL 36613	6.00 mi	194	Declining
40	Indian Springs	4241 Lott Rd Eight Mile, AL 36613	6.34 mi	130	Declining
41	Crossroads	9260 Cottage Hill Rd Mobile, AL 36695	6.37 mi	52	Plateauing
42	West Jordan	335 Eliza Jordan Rd S Mobile, AL 36608	6.68 mi	37	Growing
43	Mobile First	806 Government St Mobile, AL 36602	6.69 mi	254	Plateauing
44	Tillman's Corner First	5660 Three Notch Rd Mobile, AL 36619	6.70 mi	879	Declining
45	Cypress Shores	4327 Higgins Rd Mobile, AL 36619	6.76 mi	168	Declining



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