



# Our definition of the “missionary call”

In the World Missions Academy we define the “missionary call” as follows. For further details, please see the articles *What is the Missionary Call?* and *The Role and Importance of the Missionary Call* (found under “Key terms” on the “Missions info” tab of the WMA website).

**The missionary call is a captivating call that proceeds from God, that is accompanied by a divine equipping for the task, and that should be recog-**

**nized and honored by the local church, made to a specific individual who is clearly identified in the call, requiring that he or she leave his or her previous vocation or profession and dedicate themselves with all their heart and life (many times for a lengthy commitment, up to their entire lifetime) to a ministry that has been especially prepared for them by God, in the field of missionary work.**

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