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# **Kingdom Come: Medicine and the Next 100 Years of Global Christianity**

*Global Missions Health Conference*

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# Introductory Question

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**YES!**

**If for every 100 Christians...**

**...3-4 people are converted each YEAR**

# Where We Are Going This Session...

- Massive global population shift
- Role of Medical Missions...targets
- The Circle of Significance: the next 10/40 Window



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# Massive Global Population Shift

# Massive Global Population Shift ...with Africa as the Center Point



# Why is Africa So Important Globally?

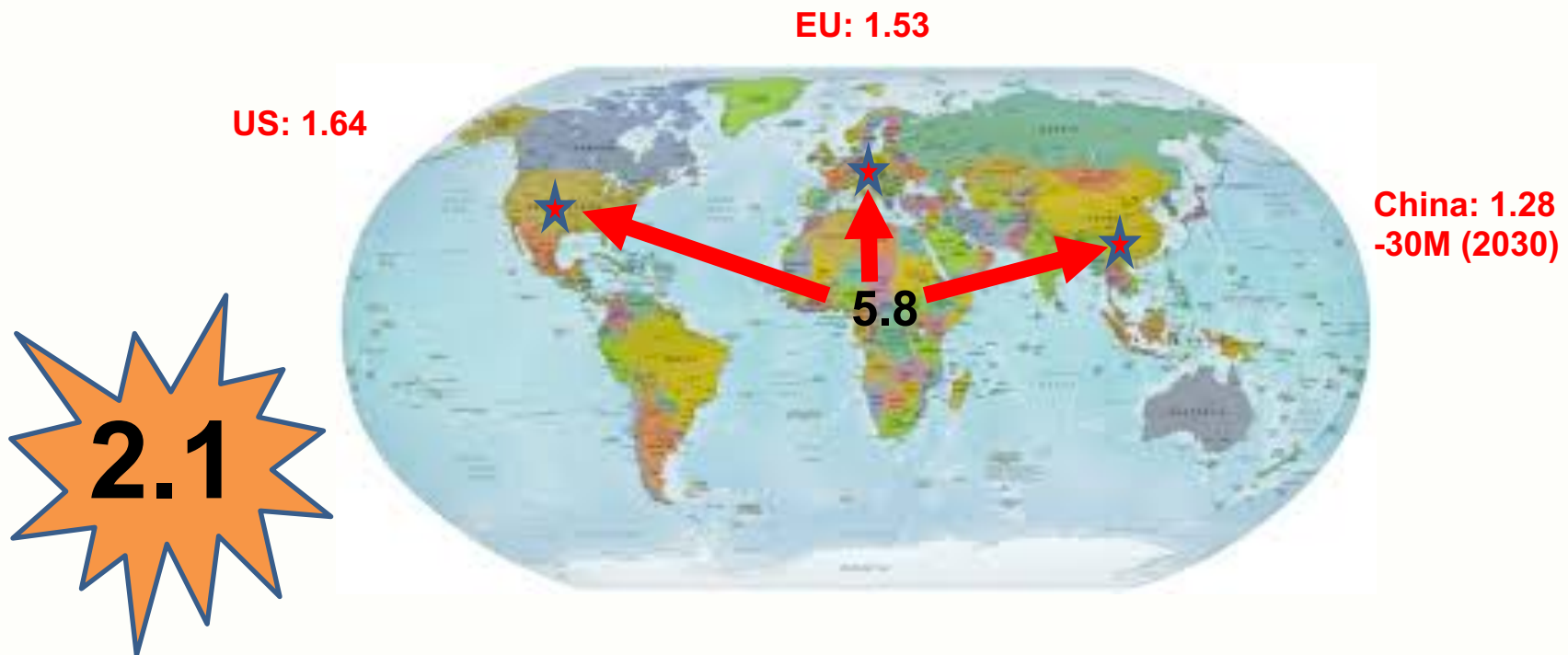
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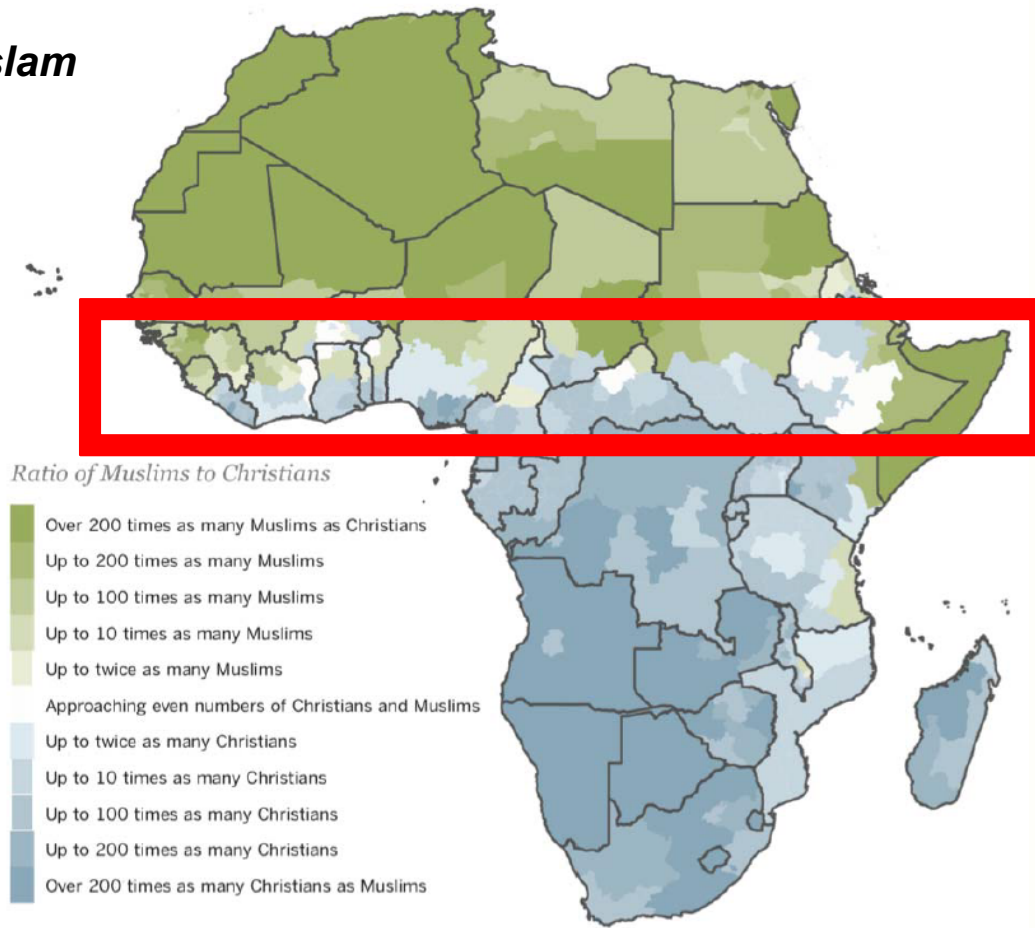


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- Percent of global population:
  - 2020: 16%
  - 2100: 36%
- Percent of global migrant stock from Africa:
  - 2020: 14% (41 million)
  - 2100: 32% (103 million). Highest in the world

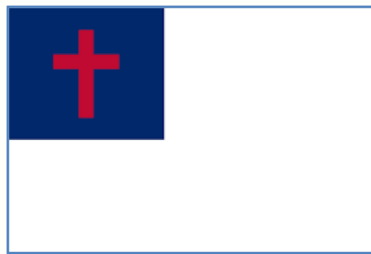
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## *The spread of Islam*



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- Massive global population shift
- Question: as people migrate from sub-Saharan Africa to the rest of the world, what flag will they carry?





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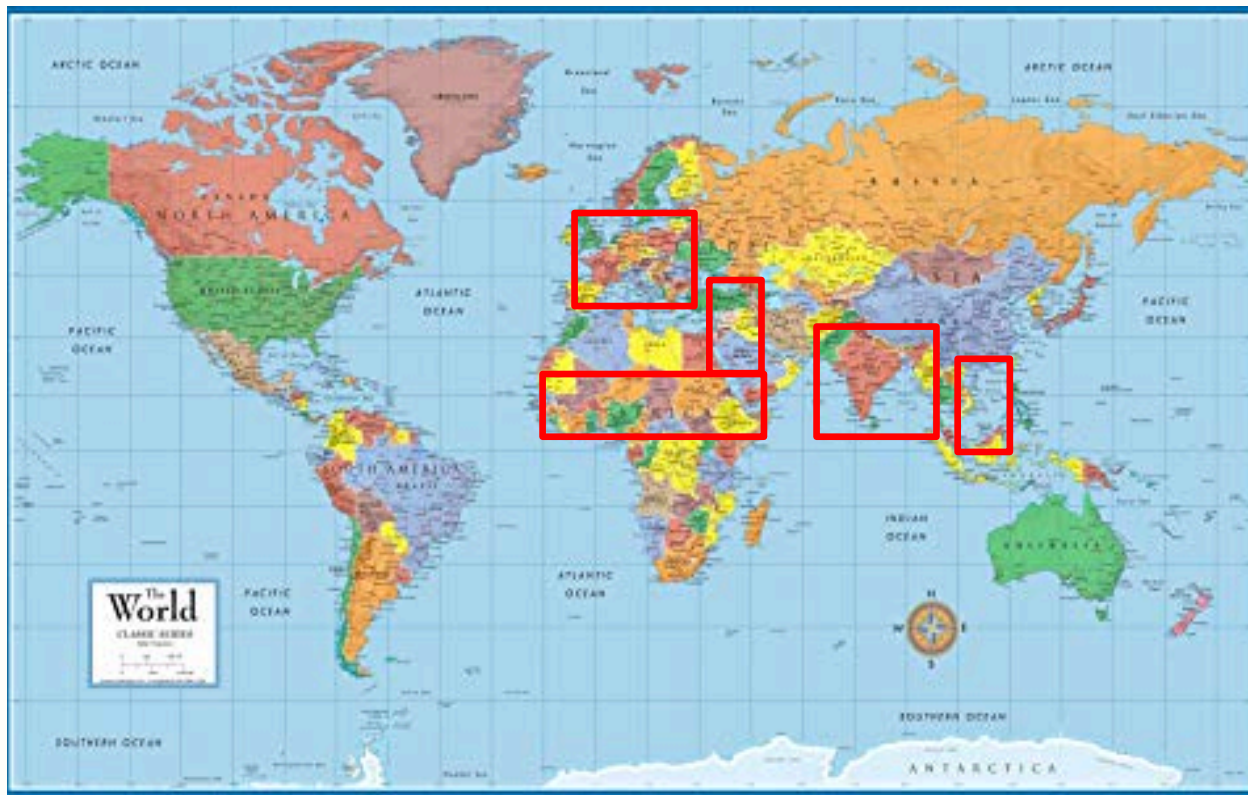
# **Role of Medical Missions: Targets**

## Research Findings

- Medical Missions Investment Targets
- Global Missions Investment Targets
- Overlay of the above two reports

# Global Target Areas for Medical Missions

## Intersection Points of Global Data and Medical Data



- Sub-Saharan Africa
- India/Nepal/Bangladesh
- Indonesia
- Middle East
- Europe ( esp. refugees)

# Global Target Areas for Medical Missions

## A Layered Portfolio...

- Greatest Impact, Greatest Return 75%
  - Sub-Saharan Africa
  - South Asia: India, Nepal, Bangladesh, (Pakistan, Afghanistan??)
  - Indonesia
- Investment 20%
  - Europe (M displacement)
- Experimental, Difficult Ground 5%
  - Middle East (Afghanistan, Turkey, Iran, Yemen, Azerbaijan, etc.)

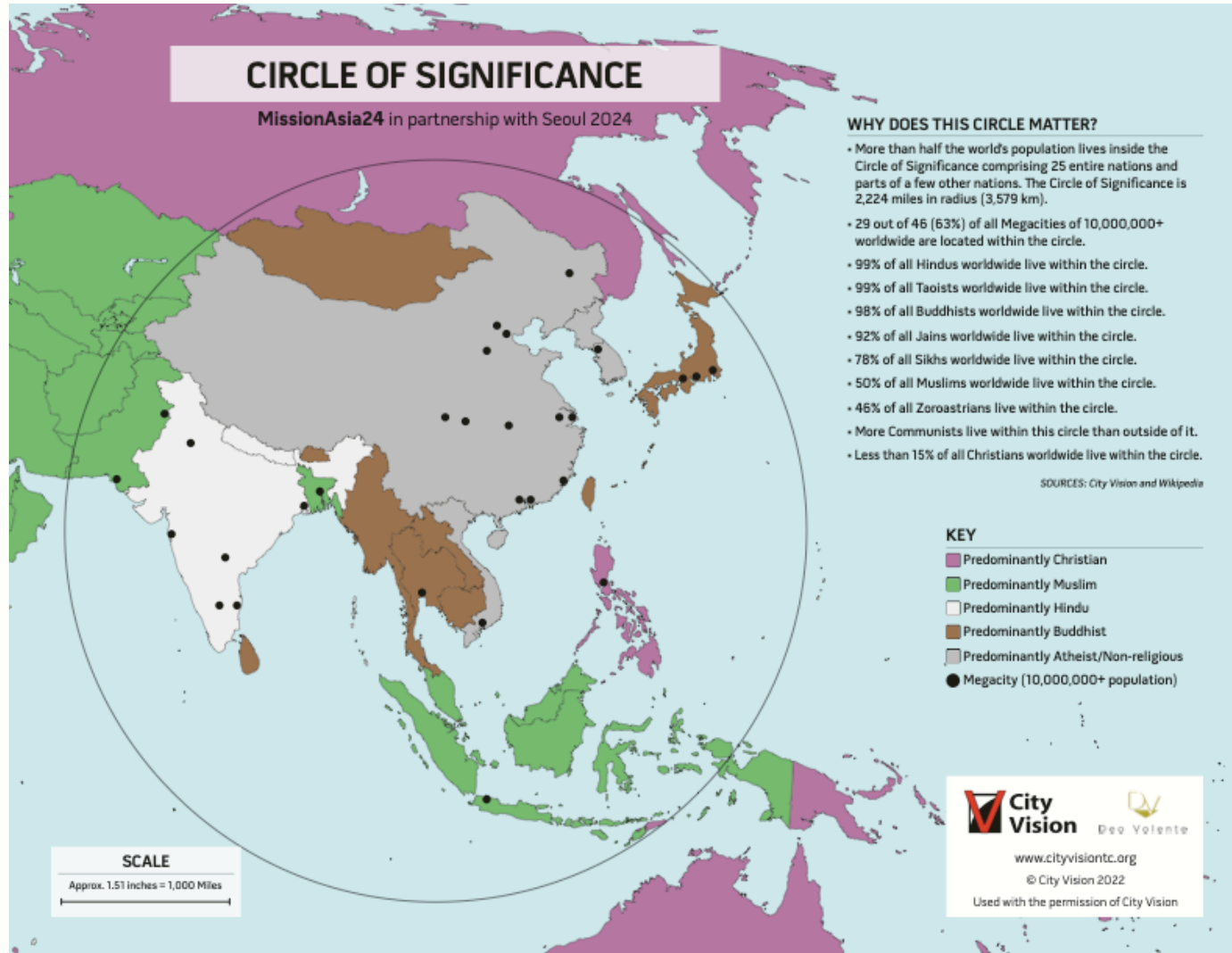


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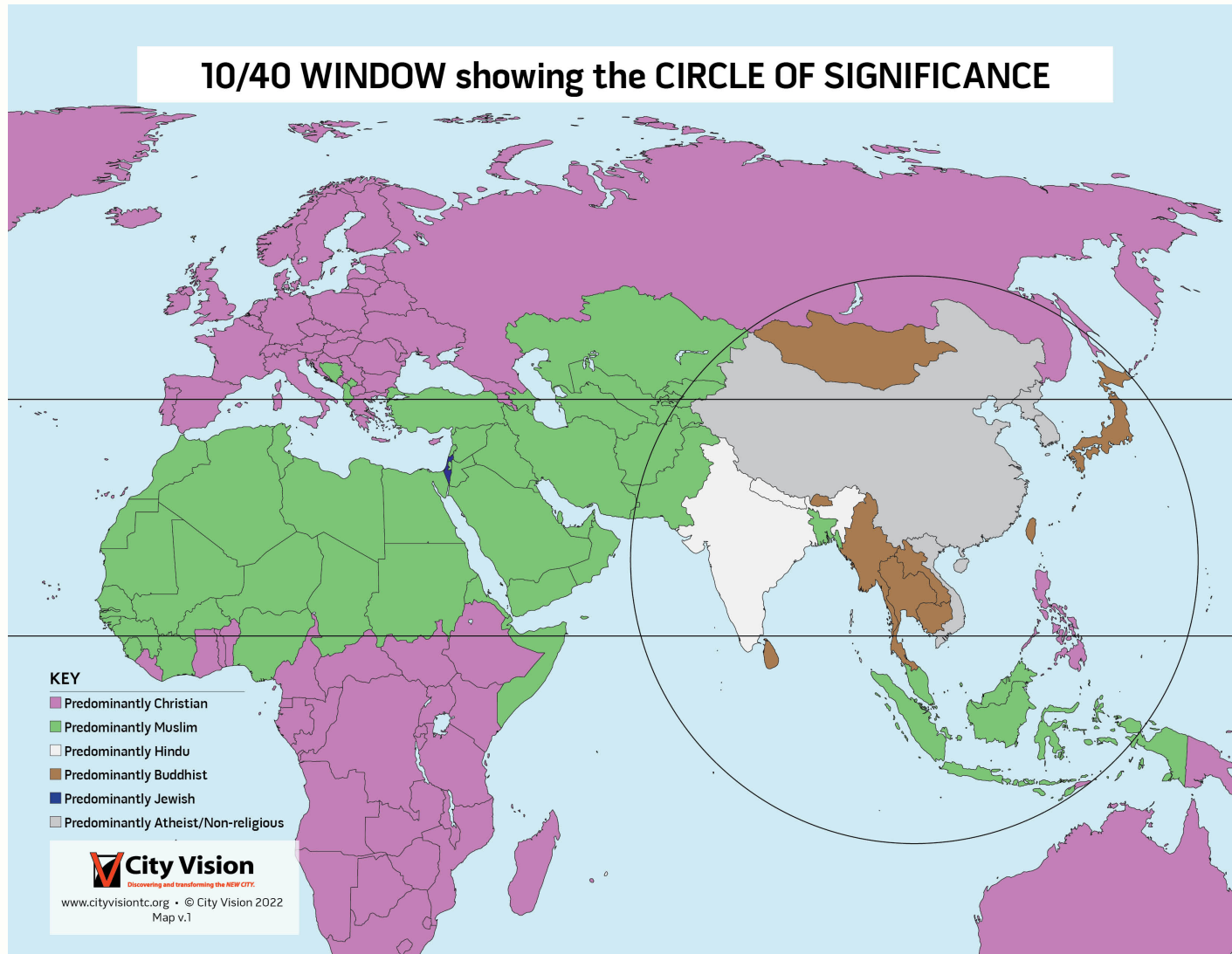
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- Over 50% of global population
- 67% of world's UPGs
- 79% of world's UUPG population
- 29 megacities (10 million+),
  - 200 million more than population of U.S.
- 99% of world's Hindu and Taoists populations, 98% of Buddhists, 92% of Jains, 78% of Sikhs
- 50% of Muslims
- Population of Java Island = 150 million > all of Russia
- Only 4.2% of population is Christian

***...all within 15% of the global land mass***

# Circle of Significance

## 10/40 WINDOW showing the CIRCLE OF SIGNIFICANCE





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# Concluding Comments

# Approach to Geographic Selection

## Layered Approach



# Goals of This Session

## Identification of Target Zones

Focus on uniquenesses

Map all of the above together into a plan

Create an approach for how to get from *here...to there*