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Launching & Building a Sustainable Ministry

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The kingdom of heaven is like a grain of mustard seed that a man took and sowed in his field. It is the smallest of all seeds, but when it has grown it is larger than all the garden plants and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.

Matthew 13: 31-32

Three Principles for building (or rebuilding) a ministry

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

What's one ministry that you need to create or rebuild?

Four Phases of Building a Ministry

1. Assessment: The Lay of the Land
 - a. Context
 - b. Challenges
 - c. Opportunities



2. Vision: Receiving & planting the seed

- a. Connected
- b. Clear
- c. Cooperative

3. Strategy: Developing the root system

- a. Flesh out the vision
- b. Research
- c. Develop a Plan
- d. Bring to your team
- e. Pilot

4. Operations: Tending the Growth

- a. Resource
- b. Deepen
- c. Expand