

*Vision*

**SUNDAY**

• **Prov. 29:18**

• ***18 Where there is no vision, the people perish....***



- **1. What is a Vision?**



- **A vision is a destination point, is the preferred future....**
- **A vision gives direction and a glimpse over our life, it helps our goals and purpose become a reality.**
- **Vision simplifies life...**
- **Vision clarifies purpose, life will become simpler and more meaningful.**
- **Vision shows you a destination...**
- **Your destination (Vision) dictates your decisions...**



• *“The most pathetic person in the world is someone who has sight but no vision.”*

— Helen Keller



• **Vision is the ability to see** beyond, in time and space, and above others, it means to visualize, to see with the eyes of Faith what is not there, but what it could become ...



- **2. How do we obtain a vision**
  - **as a church?**



- **Jesus Christ was a leader with vision.**

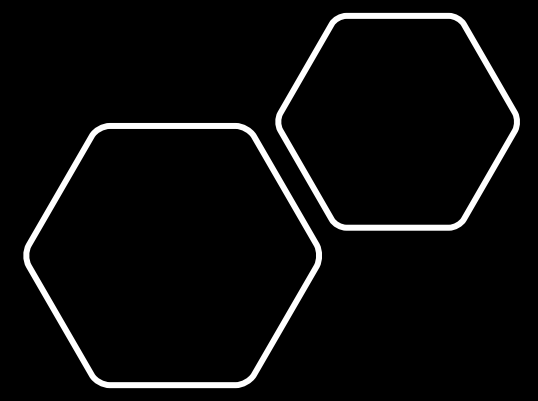
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**1. Jesus saw churches everywhere in His vision.**

- **Matthew 16:18, "I will build my Church and the gates of hell will not prevail against it" ...**







# Norwalk, California

- **102,762 total population in Norwalk**
- **53.4% of the people in Norwalk are religious.**
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- **56,390** People in Norwalk are religious
- **46,372** Non church/ Non-Christian



# Norwalk, California

- Catholic Background.
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- **37.0%** **Are Catholic**
- **38,321.** **People in Norwalk are Catholic**
- **background**



# Norwalk, California

- From a false religion.
  - 1.6% are Church of Jesus Christ
  - 1.1% are Judaism
  - 1.1% are an eastern faith
  - 0.7% affiliates with Islam
- 4.5%.

Aprox. 4,000.

People in Norwalk are involved in a false religion

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# Norwalk, California

## • Christian faith base church.

- - 2.0% are Baptist.
- 0.5% are Lutheran
- 1.2% are Methodist
- 1.8% are Pentecostal
- 0.8% are Presbyterian
- 5.2% are another Christian faith

**11.5%**

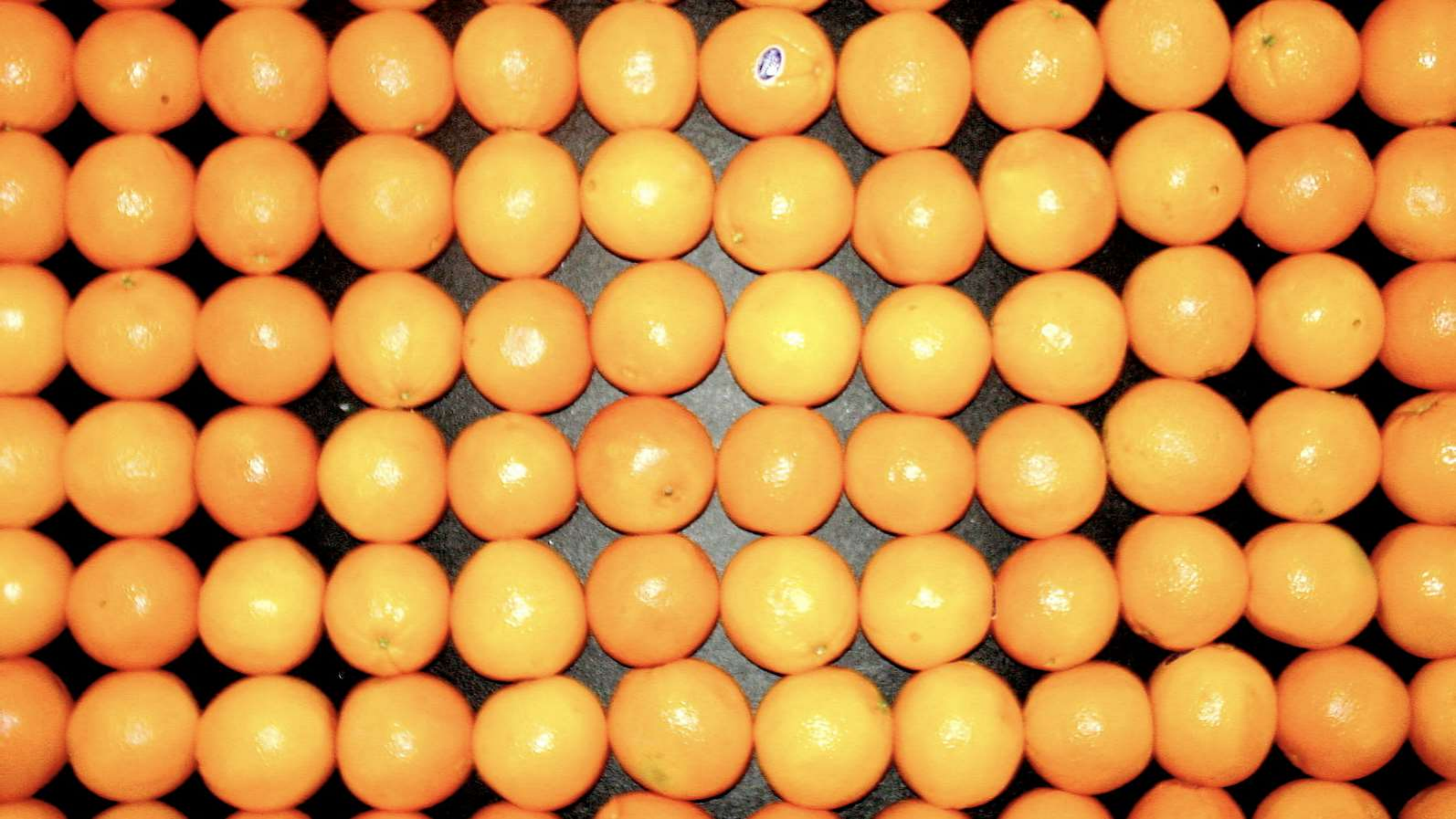
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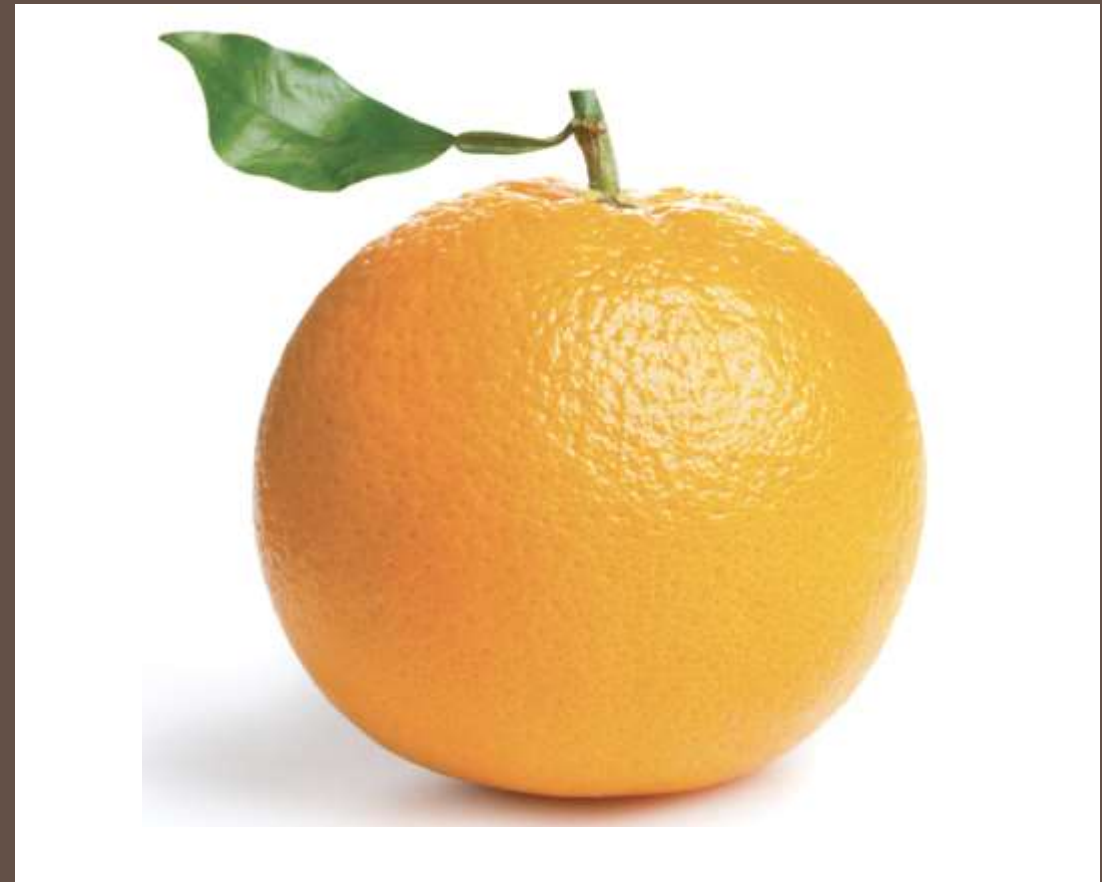
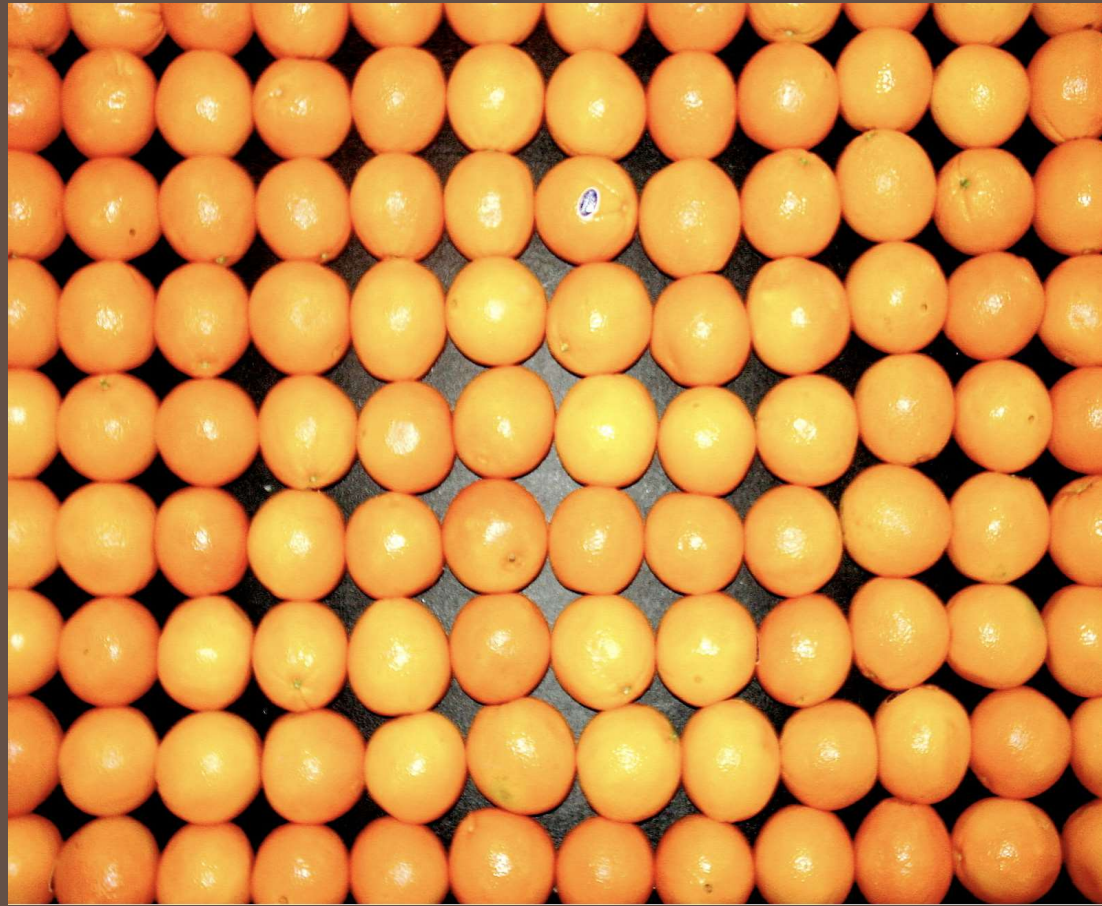
- **102,762 total population in Norwalk.**
- **88,000 – 92,000 People in Norwalk don't have a personal relationship with Jesus.**

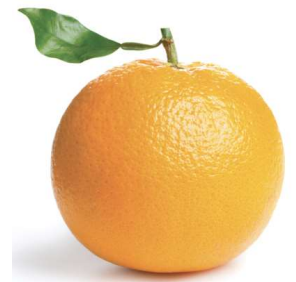
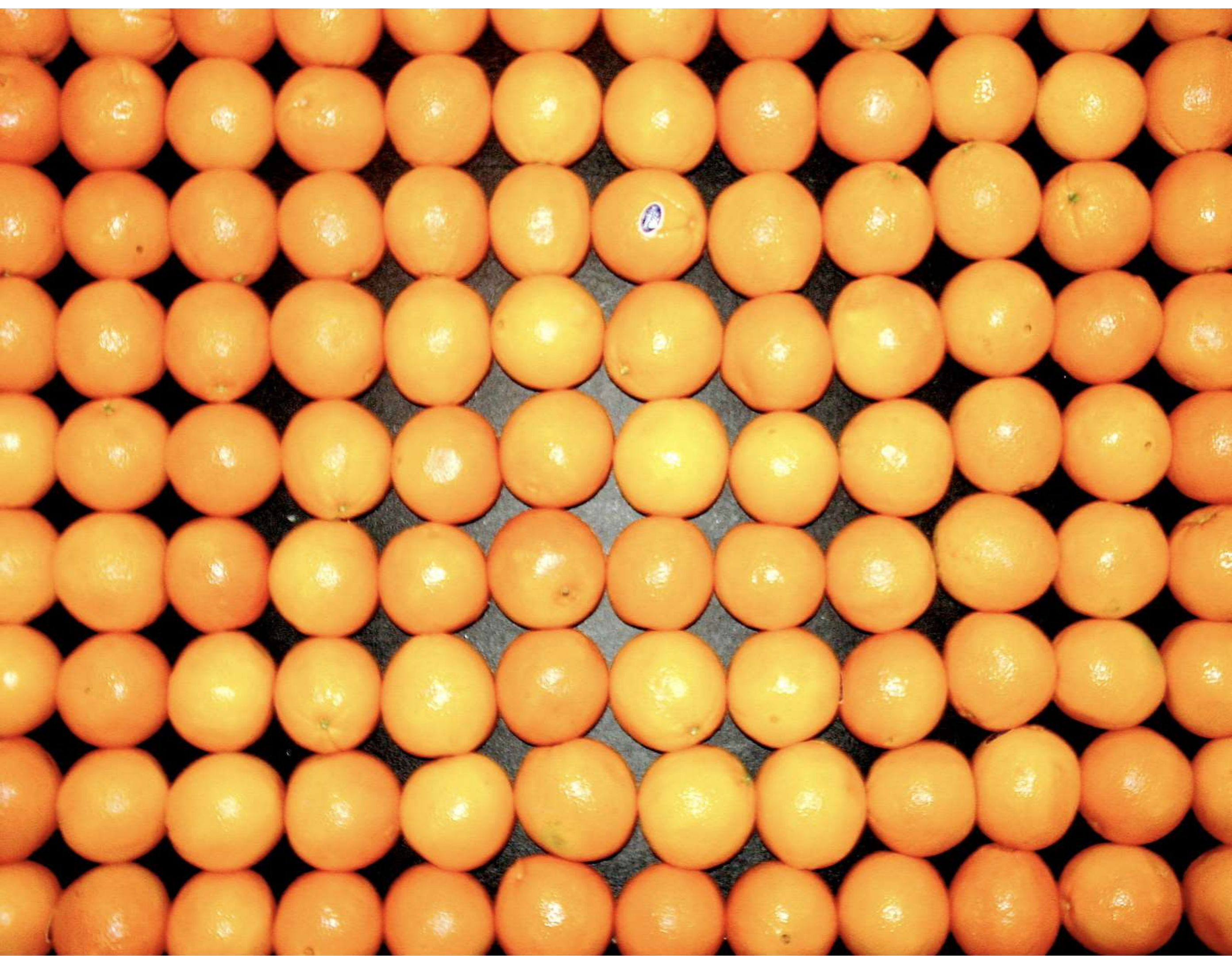












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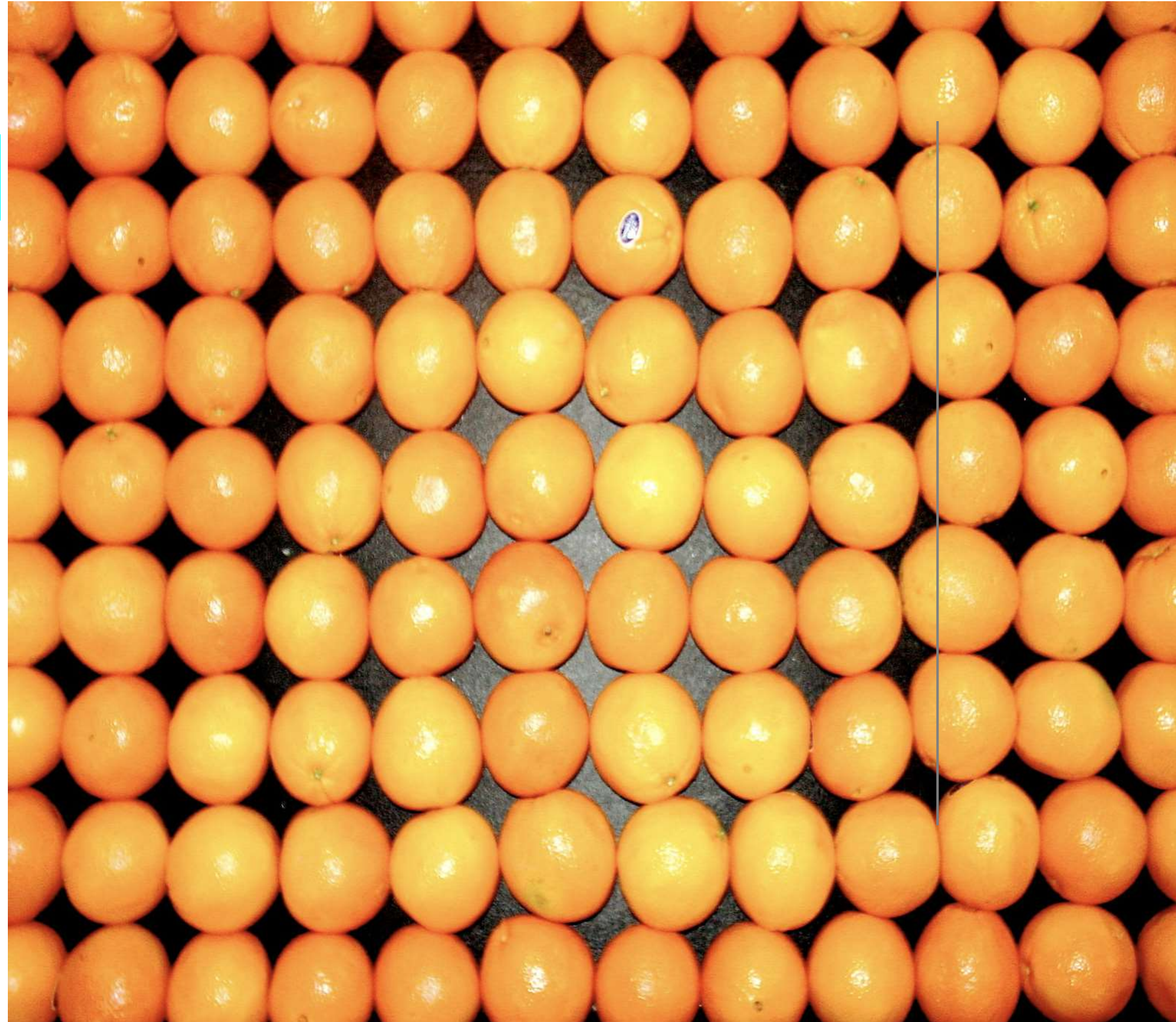


# OUR VISION

## REACH

**0.5%** in 5 years

**total of 500**  
people.



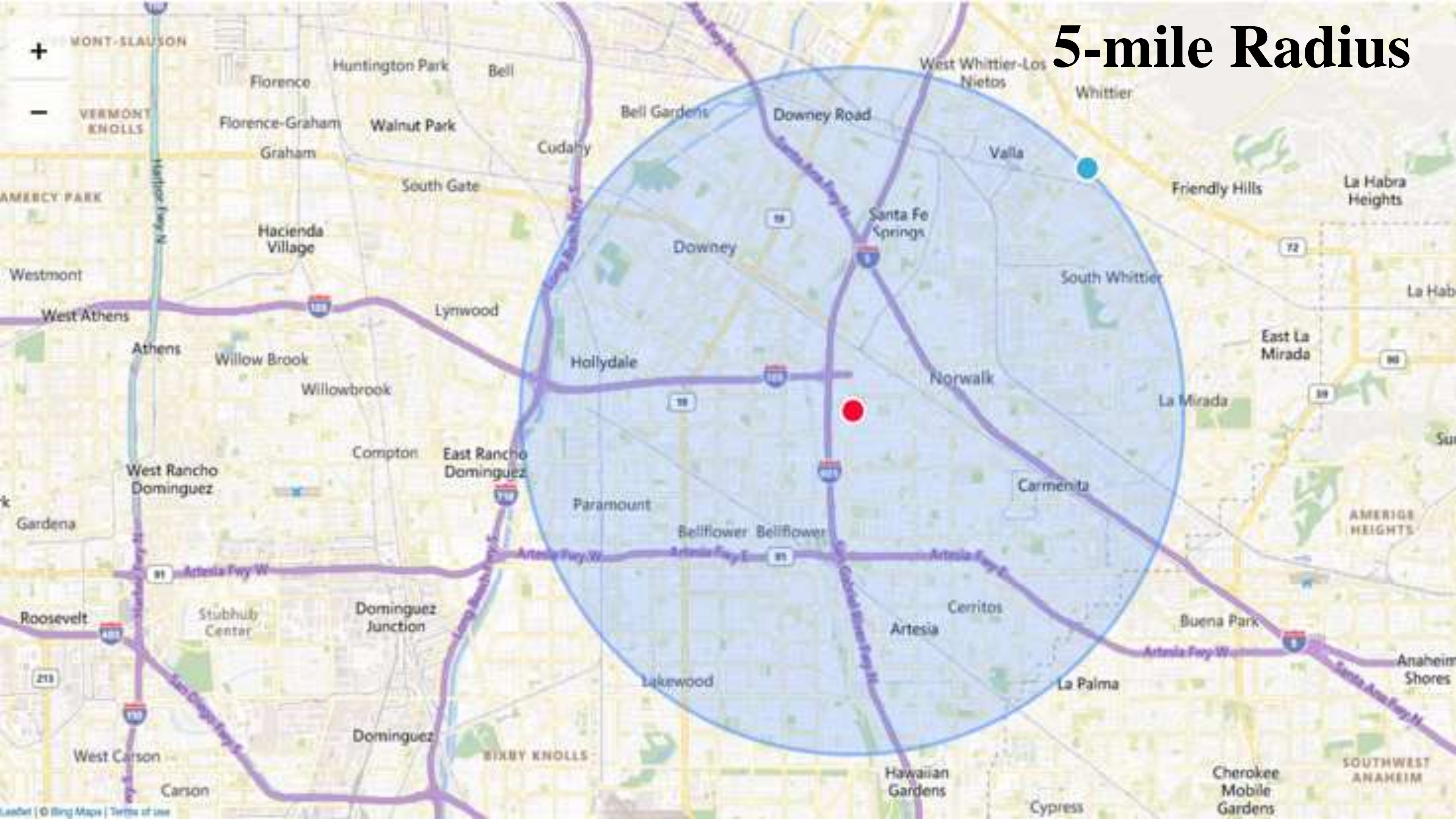
## REACH

**1%** in 10 years

**total of 1,000**  
people.



# 5-mile Radius



**10 Cities 5-mile Radius  
from Norwalk.**

<b>Norwalk.</b>	<b>102,762</b>
<b>Artesia</b>	<b>15,774</b>
<b>Bellflower</b>	<b>76,405</b>
<b>Cerritos</b>	<b>48,394</b>
<b>Downey</b>	<b>111,645</b>
<b>Lakewood</b>	<b>79,063</b>
<b>Paramount</b>	<b>52,506</b>
<b>Santa Fe Springs</b>	<b>18,678</b>
<b>South Gate</b>	<b>90,926</b>
<b>South Whittier</b>	<b>86,171</b>
<b>10 Cities</b>	<b>682,324 People</b>

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## The Vision

**2 in 3 + 3 in 5 = 1**

**Goal to reach**

**200 people in the next 3 yrs + 300 in 5 yrs =  
1 new church**



# Strategy



## The Mission

Helping people experience the Hope Found in a life-changing relationship with Jesus

### Romans 15:13

<sup>13</sup> *May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.*

## Our Values



- LOVE** unconditionally [1 John 4:19]
- REACH** intentionally [Romans 15:13]
- TEACH** transformationally [Matthew 9:35]
- SERVE** relationally [Mark 10:45]
- SEND** courageously [Matthew 28:19-20]



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# Logo

## PRIMARY LOGO



## Logo Mark



## BADGE LOGO



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## **A Vision is Born**

- 1. When you look around and see the need**
- 2. Look up, what does God want me to do?**
- 3. Look Forward, How far Am I willing to go?**
- 4. Look inside, what are you willing to do?**





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