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Abstract

This study examined fivefold ministry and its application for growth in the Redeemed Christian Church of God, Mount Zion Cathedral, Ibadan, Oyo State. The five-fold model functions on the basis that leaders with the ministry areas where they have a proven anointing to grow and edify the Church. The research design adopted for this study was descriptive survey design method. The research design is therefore appropriate as it allow the researcher to evaluate the application of Fivefold ministry to church growth in the Redeemed Christian Church of God. The population of this research is 1050 (One Thousand and Fifty church members of which fifty were ordained Pastors of the Redeemed Christian Church of God, Province 1, Mount Zion Cathedral Ibadan, Oyo State, Nigeria. Sample size for the population was 200 members and pastors of Mount Zion Cathedral Province 1. The study adopted a purposive stratified random sampling method to select a specified number of despondence from different pastors and church members. This is a sampling technique that allowed the division of the target population into a smaller group organized and then draw a sample from each group separately. The questionnaire was divided into sections; A considered the demography of the respondents of the fivefold ministry in Redeemed Christian Mount Zion Cathedral, while section B contained sub-question for the four research questions. The researcher also ensured the data privacy of the respondents and analysis of the data in such a way that the identity and confidentiality of respondents are protected. The impact was apparent in the members' spiritual, material, and financial well-being as well as in ministerial life as a whole. For efficient church administration and the accomplishment of church goals or mission/vision statements, churches should make sure that five-fold offices are available`.

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