



US/C2 MISSIONARIES SUGGESTIONS FOR RELATING TO YOUR SUPERVISOR



1. Your supervisor is in the position of authority related to the ministry. Unless you are asked to do something that obviously violates scripture, you are to abide by the policies that are established.
2. View your supervisor as your friend, encourager, and guide for interpreting unknown circumstances and situations that you may encounter.
3. Learn from your supervisor. Seek to listen, ask questions, and pray for him/her.
4. Ask your supervisor to develop a written covenant that details the following:
 - Ministry goals and objectives
 - Expectations that both you and your supervisor have
 - Schedule of work and free time
 - Accountability and evaluation: When will you meet to discuss the objectives, goals, and tasks of the ministry?
 - Personal and spiritual growth goals
 - Relationships with others in ministry
5. If problems arise, talk with your supervisor directly. Do not discuss the problem with others. If you can't solve it directly, contact their supervisor and finally the US/C2 Manager at North American Mission Board.
6. Be consistent in your spiritual relationship with God. When our relationship with God is not in order, our relationship with people, including your supervisor, can have problems.
7. Learn about your supervisor. If you understand what his/her heartbeat and motivations are, you will be able to relate to them better.
8. Demonstrate the attitudes of servanthood and humility. A willing heart that looks for areas of need to be met will communicate to your supervisor in ways that words cannot express.