

Reflection on Discipleship - A Practical Model

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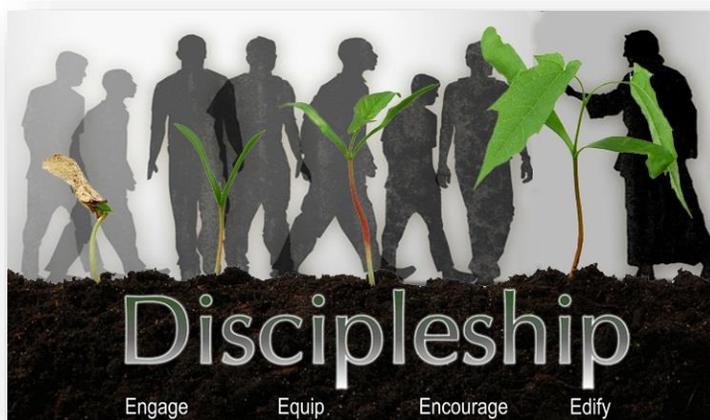
First, ask if the Lord is calling you to this simple one-on-one mentoring model. You need to know the Lord is calling you to this! He will give wisdom and His heart for others.

Ask the Lord to give you names of three people that He is calling you to disciple/mentor. Plan to spend 1 to 1 ½ hours a month with each person face-to-face, one-on-one. Approach each person and indicate that the Lord has put them on your heart. Ask each person if they would they consider praying that the Lord would confirm a call for you to spend focused time together one-on-one each month to honour Jesus' Command (Matthew 28:16-20) "to make disciples." Ask for a commitment of one year. Pray for the Lord to direct you to one person with whom you will meet to support you in living into becoming more like Jesus (1 John 2:6) using the "four question strategy."

So...in each of three weeks in every month you meet with a different person to "disciple them" into Christlikeness – character, words, and deeds. Once a month (in the fourth week?) you meet with a person who will disciple you! Men with men. Women with women – One-on-one.

Here are the questions –

1. Where do you see The Lord at work around you?
2. What are you learning about Jesus as you read the Bible?
3. What challenges are you facing? How do Scripture and Prayer relate to the situation?
4. How are you sharing God's love with others in word and deed?



Jesus commanded us to make disciples (Matthew 28:16-20). Now that you have a clear and simple model to follow. Will you make disciples? If you need support (beyond the Holy Spirit's call and empowerment), you may contact me for some coaching.

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