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Back 2 the Basics

Lesson 1 -
Discipleship

Read: Philippians 3:7-11

***Read over verses 7-9 again. What does Paul call a “loss” and “filth”?
-anything besides Christ**

I. Become a DISCIPLE

A. Def.- “Daily DYING to yourself and daily being ALIVE in Christ” (Luke 9:23-27)

Question: What does Jesus mean when he says to deny yourself and lose your life?

B. Looking at the original disciples:

- 1. the disciples left everything behind to follow Christ**
- 2. the disciples lived their lives wanting to please Christ...not themselves**

Question: Describe what someone’s life would look like if they were a true disciple of Christ. Do you know people that look like this? What is different about them?

II. Be a DISCIPLER

***A true disciple must disciple others**

A. Def.- “ENCOURAGE, EQUIPT, and CHALLENGE others in their Christian walk”

Question: Why is it important that we are active in church? Why is it important that we have good Christian friends?

B. Jesus’ last commands to his disciples (Matthew 28:18-20):

- 1. GO (don’t just take everything in)**
- 2. MAKE disciples (point other people to Christ)**
- 3. BAPTIZE (lead those people to be saved and be baptized)**
- 4. TEACH them (help them in their Christian walk)**

C. Jesus spotted a few (12) people that he invested his life into (II Timothy 2:2)

II Timothy 2:2 —————> Jesus – Paul – Timothy – Others – Us

Question: Who are some people that God has put in your “path” that you can invest your life in for the next 3 months?

Did You Know?

Below is what can happen when you disciple 1 person a year
and you teach that person to disciple others also.

Year	Leading someone to Christ daily	Discipling 1 person a year who does the same
1	365	2
2	730	4
3	1095	8
4	1460	16
5	1825	32
6	2190	64
7	2555	128
8	2920	256
9	3285	512
10	3650	1,024
11	4015	2,048
12	4380	4,096
13	4745	8,192
14	5110	16,384
15	5475	32,768
16	5840	65,536



Take it Home

Memorize Philippians 1:21
Invite someone to church this week!