

# Discipleship

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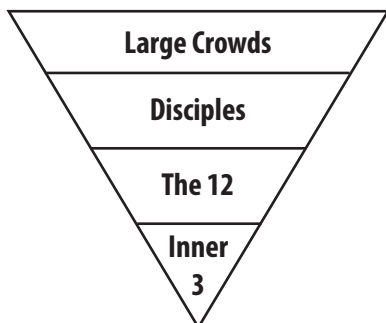
- Choose one person from the entire group and place them on the “Hot Seat”.
- Take turns sharing positive insights about the person placed on the “Hot Seat”. Focus on encouraging and uplifting the individual!
- Now it’s your turn...take the time in your table groups to place each person on the “Hot Seat” and tell them how great they are.

*“Go and **make disciples** of all the nations...  
Teach these new disciples to obey  
all the commands I have given you.”*

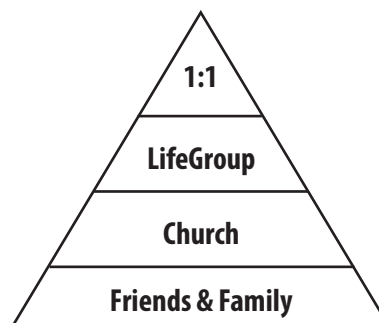
—Matthew 28:19-20, NLT

- Who is Jesus speaking to in this passage? Is it just for pastors and LifeGroup leaders?
- What are the implications of this command for you and everyone in your LifeGroup?

## Jesus’ Model of Discipleship



## Our Model of Discipleship



## DISCIPLESHIP 101



- ✓ Get personal.  
*Discipleship requires a relational foundation built on trust. You have to earn the right to speak into someone's life.*
- ✓ Focus on spiritual growth.  
*Be intentional and develop a growth plan. Once you've created a plan, follow-up on progress and adjust as necessary.*
- ✓ It's a two-way street.  
**SHARE:** *Where you are and where you need to grow. Don't pretend you've got all your "stuff" together. Lead the way in being open with each other.*  
**ASK:** *Where they are and where they need to grow.*
- ✓ Enjoy the journey.  
*The goal isn't about the destination, spiritual growth is a marathon, not a sprint!*
- ✓ Don't be afraid to ask the tough question!  
*This is especially true once you've earned the right to do so.*
- ✓ Remember that the Holy Spirit does the changing in our lives.  
*Don't worry about what you might be doing wrong. Just be sure you have the right heart and attitude and let God take care of the rest.*
- ✓ Make prayer and Bible study a regular part of your discussions.

### OPEN DISCUSSION

*How do you feel about having teenagers (kids of one or more adults in your group) join the "adult" discussion?*

*What are the pros and cons?*

