

DISCIPLESHIP

**FIRST PRINCIPLES**

# FOLLOW UP ON WORD

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- WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN LEARNING?
- ASK A/B DAILY READING AND PRAYER
- YES → 😊 ENCOURAGE THE STUDENT!
- NO → 😞 BE VERY CAUTIOUS
  - SEEKING GOD PART 2
  - MATT 7: NARROW WAY & FALSE PROPHETS

# DISCIPLESHIP

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- BUILD CONVICTION ON GREAT COMMISSION
- DISCIPLE IS SYNONYMOUS WITH CHRISTIAN
- DISCIPLES ARE:
  - FISHER OF MEN
  - FOLLOWER
  - TEACHABLE / HUMBLE
  - DENIES SELF
  - TAKES UP CROSS DAILEY
  - LOVES OTHERS
  - DAILY / PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP W/ GOD

DISCIPLESHIP TAKES  
CONVICTION!



# HEART

## INTERPRETATION:

WHAT DID IT MEAN THEN AND THERE  
TO THE ORIGINAL AUDIENCE?

## APPLICATION:

WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR US HERE  
AND NOW?

## CHALLENGES:

WHAT CHALLENGES WILL YOU FACE  
AS YOU TRY TO LIVE THIS OUT?

## MAIN STUDY SCRIPTURES

MATTHEW 28:18-20

ACTS 11:19-26

MARK 1:14-18

LUKE 9:23-26

LUKE 14:25-33

LUKE 11:1-4

JOHN 13:34-35

## ADDITIONAL (BONUS) SCRIPTURES

MARK 2:13-14

LUKE 9:57-62

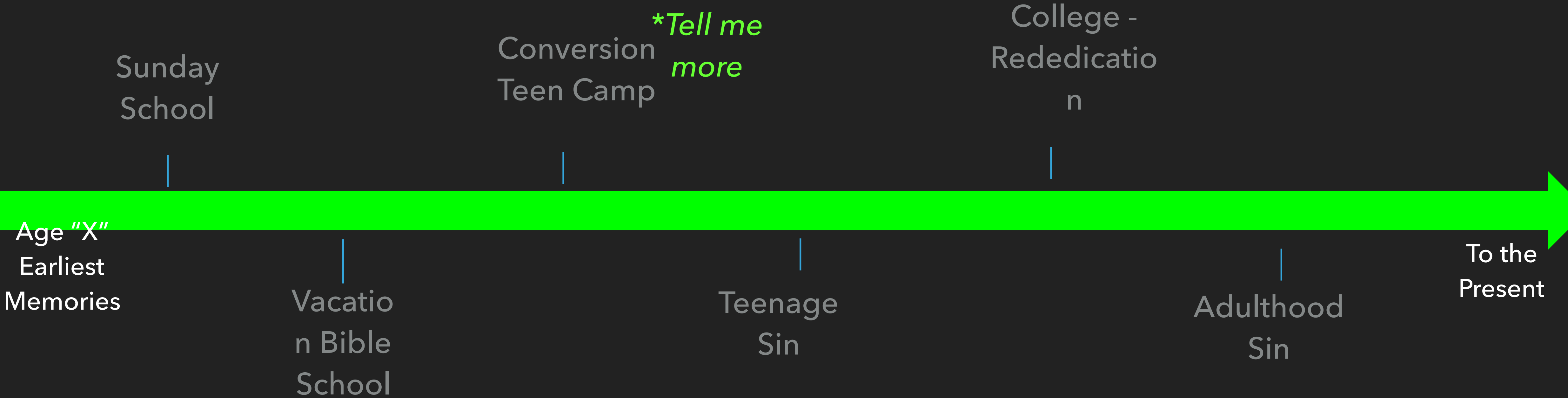
LUKE 13:22-27

MATTHEW 25:31-46

MATTHEW 7:21-27

MATTHEW 10:26-39

# DISCIPLESHIP: TIMELINE



**UNDERSTAND MAJOR SPIRITUAL EVENTS**

## **MATTHEW 28:18-20**

- JESUS' LAST WORDS ON EARTH**
- WHOSE AUTHORITY DOES HE HAVE?**
- WHAT DOES HE WANT EVERYONE TO BECOME?**

# CHRISTIAN

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# DISCIPLE

- GOES TO CHURCH OFTEN
- GOOD PERSON
- GIVES BACK
- DOESN'T JUDGE
- LOYAL

- INVOLVED IN CHURCH
- READS BIBLE
- TALKS A/B GOD
- MORE COMMITTED CHRISTIAN



## ACTS 11:19-26

- MAN-MADE TERM (DEROGATORY)
- LITTLE CHRIST / MOONIE / ETC.
- CHRISTIAN = DISCIPLE
- SYNONYMOUS

# **MARK 1:14-18** DISCIPLES

- ARE FOLLOWERS OF JESUS**
- ARE FISHERS OF MEN**
- HAVE "A NEW-LASTING PURPOSE"**
- HAVE AN IMMEDIATE RESPONSE**

**MARK 2**  
**IMMERSION**  
**IMITATION**  
**REPLICATION**

# MARK 1:14-18

- B/C FISHER OF MEN
- NEW PURPOSE
- LOSE THEIR IDENTITIES
- IMMERSION / IMITATION / REPLICATION OF JESUS

INTERPRETATION:  
WHAT DID IT MEAN THEN  
AND THERE TO THE  
ORIGINAL  
AUDIENCE?

# MARK 1:14-18

- FOLLOWERSHIP MEANS HIS WILL NOT OURS.
- OUR PURPOSE MUST CHANGE- FISHERS OF MEN.
- MEANS LEAVING THE COMFORT OF OUR SURROUNDINGS.
- IMMERSION / IMITATION / REPLICATION OF JESUS

APPLICATION:  
WHAT DOES IT MEAN  
FOR US  
HERE AND NOW?

# MARK 1:14-18

– WHAT WILL BE YOUR BIGGEST CHALLENGE TO BEING A FOLLOWER OF JESUS?

CHALLENGES:  
WHAT CHALLENGES  
WILL YOU FACE AS  
YOU TRY TO LIVE  
THIS OUT?

## **LUKE 9:23-26**

- “SAID TO THEM ALL” — HIS DISCIPLES!**
- DENY SELF (MATT 26:36-39 — NO SELF WILL)**
- DISCIPLES MUST CARRY THEIR CROSSES DAILY**
- ONLY ONE WAY TO SAVE YOURSELF**

## **LUKE 14:25-33** DISCIPLES

- “IF ANYONE COMES TO ME” — THIS MEANS YOU
- MUST HATE YOUR FAMILY (SEE LUKE 16:13 FOR CLARITY)
- MUST CARRY YOUR CROSS DAILY (DIE TO SELF!)
- COUNT THE COSTS
- CONSIDER THE ALTERNATIVE

## **LUKE 11:1-4** DISCIPLES

- ARE LEARNERS / HUMBLE / TEACHABLE**
- HEARTS TO GROW INTO CHRIST**
- DAILY/PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP W/ GOD**



## **JOHN 13:34-35** DISCIPLES

- LOVE OTHERS**
- ACTIVE IN THE FELLOWSHIP**
- DISTINGUISHED IN THE LIKENESS OF CHRIST**

# MATTHEW 28:18-20

- COMMAND — GO AND MAKE DISCIPLES
- WHO IS A CANDIDATE FOR BAPTISM?
- WE ALL NEED SOMEONE TO HELP BRING US TO MATURITY?
- GOD HAD A PLAN — ONLY WAY TO REACH THE WORLD!

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FOLLOWER - FISHER OF MEN

NEW PURPOSE/PRIORITY

DENIES SELF

CARRIES CROSS

TEACHABLE/HUMBLE

- LOVES OTHERS

DAILY/PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD

IMMERSION

IMITATION

REPLICATION

# ENDING: BRIEFLY SUMMMARIZE DISCIPLESHIP

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**QUESTION: "ARE YOU A DISCIPLE"?**

- IF NO, GO DEEPER:
- HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A DISCIPLE?
- HOW DOES THAT MAKE YOU FEEL?

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IF YES, ASK DEFINING QUESTIONS:

**- WHO HAVE YOU HELPED?  
HOW CAN YOU TEACH WHAT YOU DIDN'T UNDERSTAND?**

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IF YOU BELIEVE THEY ARE CONFUSED:

- SEEK ADVICE
- ASK THEM TO PRAY A/B IT

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**MEMORIZE: BOOK,  
CHAPTER, & MAIN POINT**

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