

Sermon: *Be Devoted to Making Disciples*
Series: *Fully Devoted Followers*

Scripture: Matt. 28:16-20
Date: February 2, 2020

OBSERVATION -- As a group, talk through and summarize the passage. Think through *Who, What, Where, When, How, Why* questions together.

INTERPRETATION -- Answer these questions together:

1) What does this passage teach us about us (mankind)?

Discuss this simple but profound idea: Disciples make disciples.

In verse 17 it says that some of the disciples “doubted.” How does Jesus’ commissioning of these eleven men who failed and doubted encourage you in your disciple making?

2) What does this passage teach us about God?

What does the Great Commission teach us about the nature of God?

Jesus our risen and reigning Lord sends out disciples. What does it mean that you have the authority of God in making disciples?

3) What does this passage teach us about salvation/grace? How does it point to Christ?

Why do we make disciples? Read Colossians 1:28-29 and Revelation 7:9-10. How is disciple-making connected to our final salvation?

APPLICATION

Who are you discipling? Who can you disciple? What commitments should/can you make to God this week?

How have you found disciple-making to be messy? Difficult? Joyful?

How does/can disciple-making take place in this small group?

PRAYER

Praise God for the discipleship that you have experienced. Repent for the ways you have refused to make disciples. Ask God to use you in his disciple-making commission, granting you his power and grace in the process.