

Live.Walk.Tell

“Be disciples who make disciples.”

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Matthew 28:19

“Go and make disciples of all nations.”

- **Live-** in a way that makes Jesus visible.
- **Walk-** closely enough to genuinely know and love people.
- **Tell-** them who Jesus is when God opens the door.

Matthew 5:13–14

“You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.”

“You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden.”

Matthew 5:15–16

“Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house.”

“In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.”

Live

- Salt changes what it touches.
- Light changes what it reaches.

We reproduce what we are, not merely what we say.

Galatians 5:22–23

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control; against such things there is no law."

Fruit is visible evidence that something living is happening beneath the surface.

Grace/Repentance

- Following Jesus isn't the absence of failure. It's a new way of responding to failure.
- Repentance can be part of your witness.

John 1:14

“The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.”

Walk

- People are not projects.
- Discipleship doesn't happen from a distance.
- You can't disciple people at the speed of convenience.

1 Thessalonians 2:8

“So we cared for you. Because we loved you so much, we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well.”

Tell

- A good life can make somebody curious. Only the gospel can tell them who Jesus is.
- Your life may open the door. Eventually your mouth has to name Jesus.

Acts 1:8

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth"

The Gospel/Our Role

Your story is a bridge to His story.

- We plant
- We water
- God grows

We witness and Jesus saves.

2 Corinthians 5:20

“We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us.”

1 Corinthians 3:6

“I planted the seed, Apollos watered it, but God has been making it grow.”

Practice: Your Story

- **How did I come to faith?**
- **How has Jesus changed me?**
- **Where is Jesus changing me right now?**

The Three Names

- See three faces
- Then:
 - Pray
 - Live
 - Walk
 - Tell

Benediction

May the way you live make people curious.

May the way you love make people feel seen.

And when God opens the door, may your words make Jesus clear.

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We witness. Jesus saves.

Psalms 96

- 1 Sing to the Lord a new song;
sing to the Lord, all the earth.**
- 2 Sing to the Lord, praise his name;
proclaim his salvation day after day.**
- 3 Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous deeds among all peoples.**