



## LESSON 5 – Discipling Others

“...I’m not saying ‘Evangelism is horrible. I am saying that most Christians react to it with a carefully hidden sense of horror. Which is why most Disciples in America do not share their faith...”

- Louie Marsh, Simple Life Devotional

### CONNECT ..... 15 Minutes



Which would you rather do? Share your faith with a non-Christian, or have your finger nails slowly pulled out? Is this a difficult choice to make?

How many non-Christian friends do you have? Do you try and live and speak in a way that will be a good witness to them?

### GROW ..... 45 Minutes



#### Key Verse

*And he said to them, “Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men.”*  
Matthew 4:19 (ESV)

The foundation of spiritual growth is your understanding of God's Word. Each week, bring your Bible and your study guide to the group meeting.

Watch the video now. Follow along in your Bibles and take notes on the provided outline.

## THE SIMPLE LIFE, LESSON #5

1) “ \_\_\_\_\_ tie directly to the complexity of life. What if you had only one goal in mind? Would this simplify life?”

*So, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God. Give no offense to Jews or to Greeks or to the church of God, just as I try to please everyone in everything I do, not seeking my own advantage, but that of many, that they may be saved. Be imitators of me, as I am of Christ. 1 Corinthians 10:31-33-11:1 (ESV)*

- This doesn't mean you drop \_\_\_\_\_
- But you may have to drop \_\_\_\_\_

2) Jesus said to make disciples “ \_\_\_\_\_ ”

*Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, Matthew 28:19 (ESV)*

- Discipleship is a \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the beginning of that process.

3) Don't think you can always just use one \_\_\_\_\_

4) S.H.A.R.E.

- \_\_\_\_\_ God first.
- \_\_\_\_\_ live
- \_\_\_\_\_ show love
- \_\_\_\_\_ others rights
- \_\_\_\_\_ presents \_\_\_\_\_

5) B.A.S.I.S.

- B = \_\_\_\_\_

• A = \_\_\_\_\_

• S = \_\_\_\_\_

• I = \_\_\_\_\_

• S = \_\_\_\_\_

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Now's the time to talk about what you just heard. Feel free to ask any questions you have, but always be respectful and listen to others.

**1) Discuss this quote: "Ultimate concerns tie directly to the complexity of life. What if you had only one goal in mind? Would this simplify life?"**

- Do you agree or disagree with it?
- Do you think it's possible, in a practical sense, to have just one overriding goal?

**2) If the goal is showing people who Jesus is, what are some practical ways I can do that?**

**3) Discuss the concept of Discipleship as a process and the importance of seeing Evangelism as just the beginning of that process.**

- Do you agree with that?
- If so, why is it so important to understand and live that out?
- Do you think most churches have traditionally practiced this?

4) Go through the five letters of S.H.A.R.E. and discuss how well you are doing with each one.



**PRAY**