

HANDBOOK FOR SPIRITUAL REPRODUCTION

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CHAPTER TWO

Choosing a Disciple

Now that you have a basic understanding of what discipleship is, the command to do it, the need around you, and the terms and procedures, it's time to choose a disciple. The best person to choose is a friend that you have won to Christ or has received Christ through an activity or a program that you brought them to; it is your responsibility to help them grow. Remember, "If you birth a baby, it is your job to raise it!"

If you are still working on winning a friend to Christ, or have come up dry, here are some others to consider when choosing a disciple.

1. _____ for God's direction

Look up Matthew 6:33 and John 15:7. What do they say about prayer?

2. Think about the people that God has put in your life

Read Luke 22:31-32. What do you think this verse is saying?

3. Determine that person’s interest in a discipleship relationship. You can do that by:

4. Look for FAT people

F _____ to church and the group

A _____ to meet

T _____

CHAPTER ASSIGNMENTS

Read Matthew 4:18-22 and paraphrase the story in your own words:

Make a list of several prospective disciples. Start with those who you have led to Christ, those who have come to Christ through your invitation (to an activity, event, church service, etc.), and those who you are trying to win to Christ right now:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Talk about discipleship with each of them and write their response beside their name. Remember to tell them that you won't be starting for another couple of weeks and begin to pray for them each by name.