

Living Out

The Great Commission

Matthew 28:16-20

“¹⁶ Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. ¹⁷ When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. ¹⁸ Then Jesus came to them and said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.

Matthew 28:16-20 (NIV)

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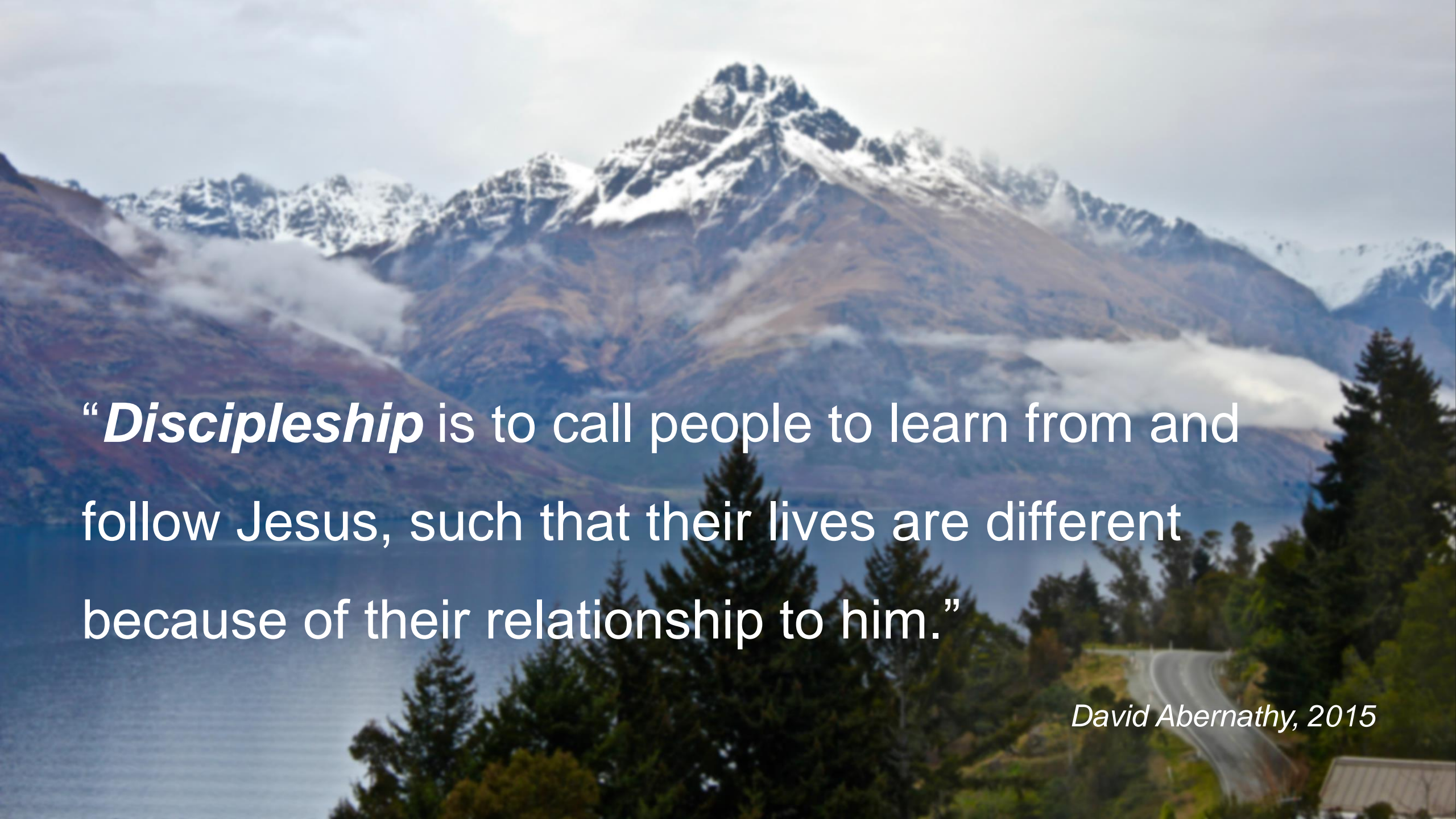
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Make disciples...

“³⁷ **Love** the Lord your **God** with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ ³⁸ This is the first and greatest commandment. ³⁹ And the second is like it: ‘**Love** your **neighbour** as yourself.’ ⁴⁰ All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.”

Matthew 22:37-40 (NIV)



“*Discipleship* is to call people to learn from and follow Jesus, such that their lives are different because of their relationship to him.”

David Abernathy, 2015



How do we do it?

1. Teach & Mentor

“You have heard me teach things that have been confirmed by many reliable witnesses. Now **teach** these truths to other trustworthy people who will be able to **pass them on to others.**”

2 Timothy 2:2 (NLT)





2. Model

“Follow my **example**, as I follow the **example** of Christ”

1 Corinthians 11:1 (NIV)

1. **Teach & Mentor**

2. **Model**

3. *Partner* with the **Holy Spirit**

“All ***authority*** in heaven and on earth has
been given to me. ***Therefore...***”

“⁸ Three different times I begged the Lord to take it away. ⁹ Each time he said, “My grace is all you need. My **power** works best in *weakness*.” So now I am glad to boast about my *weaknesses*, so that the **power of Christ** can work **through** me.”

2 Corinthians 12:8-10 (NLT)



**Are you going to
*make disciples?***