

The Other Side of Discipleship

SCRIPTURE TEXT: MATTHEW 4:18-20

One day as Jesus was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers—Simon, also called Peter, and Andrew—throwing a net into the water, for they fished for a living. 19 Jesus called out to them, "Come, follow me, and I will show you how to fish for people!" 20 And they left their nets at once and followed him.

MATTHEW 4:18-20



01 Jesus ENGAGED Them

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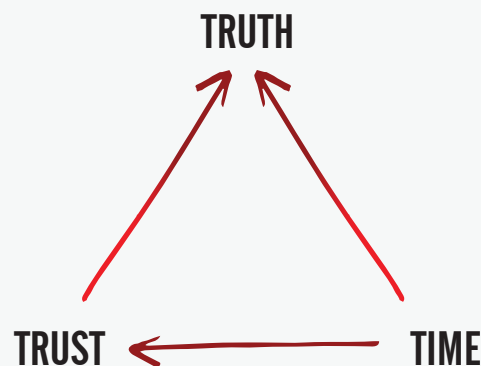
MATTHEW 4:18

How did Jesus do this?

- Jesus was INTENTIONAL with them (Matthew 4:18)
- Jesus IDENTIFIED them (Matthew 4:18 cf. John 1:38-39)
- Jesus INVITED them (Matthew 4:18)

What should you look for?

- Look for someone who is TEACHABLE
- Look for someone who is HUNGRY
- Look for someone who is APPRECIATIVE
- Look for someone who is HUMBLE



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02 Jesus EQUIPPED Them

Follow Me..
MATTHEW 4:18

Qualities of a disciple maker

- 1. VULNERABLE
- 2. WILLING TO INVEST TIME (cf. John 6:1-3)
- 3. HUMBLE

How can we do this?



03 Jesus EMPOWERED Them

Come, follow me, and I will show you how to fish for people!"
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MATTHEW 4:10-20



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