

Discipleship Training 3

Eight Identifying markers Of Discipleship.

1. **Identifying Mark #1:** _____.

- Love is what brings _____ to discipleship
- Love keeps discipleship from being a _____.
- If we miss love, this will become a program and people will become _____.

1. *The Example of Jesus' Love For His Disciples. (John 13-17)*

2. *The Example of Paul's Love For His Disciples.*

A. *His disciples in Thessalonica..*

1Th 2:7 But we were **gentle** among you, even as a **nurse** cherisheth her children:

1Th 2:8 So being **affectionately desirous** of you, we were willing to have imparted unto you, not the gospel of God only, but **also our own souls**, because **ye were dear unto us**.

B. *His disciples in Corinth...*

1 Cor 4:14 I write **not** these things **to shame you**, but **as** my **beloved sons I warn you**.

2 Cor 12:15- And I will **very gladly spend** and **be spent** for you; though the **more abundantly I love you, the less I be loved**.

Mat 5:46 For if ye love them which love you, what reward have ye? do not even the publicans the same?

C. *His disciples in Philippi...*

Phil 1:8- For God is my record, **how greatly I long after you** all in the **bowels of Jesus Christ**.

D. *His disciple, Timothy*

2Ti 1:1 Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, according to the promise of life which is in Christ Jesus,

2Ti 1:2 To Timothy, **my dearly beloved** son:

2 Ti 1:3 I thank God, whom I serve from *my* forefathers with pure conscience, that without ceasing I have remembrance of thee in my prayers night and day;

What does it mean to "love?"

1. *Love teaches others the _____ of _____.*

2Co 6:5 In stripes, in imprisonments, in tumults, in labours, in watchings, in fastings;

2Co 6:6 By pureness, by knowledge, by longsuffering, by kindness, by the Holy Ghost, by love unfeigned,

2Co 6:7 By the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armour of righteousness on the right hand and on the left,

2. Love ministers to the _____ of _____.

Heb 6:10 - For God *is* not unrighteous to forget your work and labour of love, which ye have shewed toward his name, in that ye have ministered to the saints, and do minister

3. Love serves *others* and causes *them* to _____.

Gal 5:13 For, brethren, ye have been called unto liberty; only *use* not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another.

4. Love covers the _____ of *others*.

1 Peter 4:8 - And above all things have fervent charity among yourselves: for charity shall cover the multitude of sins.

5. Love _____.

Eph 4:32 And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.

6. Love _____.

1 Cor 13:7- Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things.

7. Love _____ for *others*.

Joh 15:13 Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.

Joh 15:14 Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you.