

The 7 Key Tenets of TRUE Discipleship in JESUS CHRIST

Preparing for the LORD's Return! (Romans 2:16; Acts 1:2)

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Overview – The 7 Key Tenets of True Discipleship in JESUS CHRIST

- Covid was a Wake-up Call
- What is the Definition of Disciple?
- What exactly is TRUE Discipleship?
- JESUS's Definition of TRUE Discipleship
- Examples of <u>NOT</u> being a TRUE NT Disciple
- JESUS Came to make Disciples for His Kingdom
- 7 Key Tenets of TRUE Discipleship in JESUS CHRIST



COVID was a Wake-up Call



- 1. Have we taught and equipped souls for the final judgment?
 - A. Individuals were forced to be in hospitals and nursing homes alone
 - B. Many individuals died alone (without support of the Organized Church or Family)
- 2. Are we making TRUE Disciples who are prepared to stand alone before GOD and JESUS on the great judgement day
 - A. Are we following the Commandments that JESUS CHRIST sent to the NT Church
- 3. Are we equipping individuals to individually spread the Gospel?
 - A. How can one teach another about salvation if they do not know themselves?

What is the definition of Disciple?



- 1. JESUS CHRIST called his follower **DISCIPLES**!
- 2. Disciple 3101. mathetes, math-ay-tes'; from G3129; a <u>learner</u>, i.e. <u>pupil</u>:--disciple.
- 3. Merriam-Websters definition (www.merriam-webster.com)
 - A. 1 : one who accepts and assists in spreading the doctrines of another: such as
 - 1) Christianity : one of the twelve in the inner circle of Christ's followers according to the Gospel accounts
 - 2) a <u>convinced adherent</u> of a school or individual

What is Exactly is TRUE Discipleship?



- 1. Is it in routine attendance in weekly worship services held by institutional/religious organizations?
- 2. Is it through continuous giving to religious organizations?
- 3. Is it in working for a religious organization?
- 4. Is it in starting a ministry?
- 5. Is it a vocation in a religious organization?
- 6. What has been your definition in the past? (open discussion)

What Exactly is TRUE Discipleship?



- **1.** What exactly is TRUE Discipleship?
- 2. What did JESUS <u>COMMAND</u> those who would <u>FOLLOW</u> Him to KNOW and DO?
- 3. How does one learn to walk with and <u>PLEASE</u> our FATHER in Heaven?
- 4. How does one <u>KNOW</u> that they are TRULY prepared to <u>STAND</u> before GOD in the <u>FINAL JUDGMENT</u>?

These questions are worthy of consideration by all who have expressed a hope of salvation in JESUS CHRIST and who desire to inherit the Kingdom of Heaven eternally. These questions are meant to help us **examine** and **consider TRUE Discipleship** as presented in **the Holy Scriptures**.

JESUS's Definition of Discipleship

(St. Matthew 16:24-28)



- 24. Then said Jesus unto his disciples, If any man will <u>COME</u> AFTER ME, let him DENY himself, and TAKE up his CROSS, and FOLLOW ME.
- 25. For whosoever will <u>SAVE his LIFE</u> shall <u>LOSE IT</u>: and whosoever will <u>LOSE HIS LIFE</u> for <u>MY</u> sake <u>SHALL FIND IT</u>.
- 26. For what is a man **PROFITED**, if he shall **GAIN** the **WHOLE WORLD**, and **LOSE his own SOUL**? or what shall a man **give in EXCHANGE for his SOUL**?
- 27. For the SON of MAN <u>SHALL</u> <u>COME</u> in the glory of his FATHER with HIS angels; and then HE shall <u>REWARD every man</u> according to his works.
- 28. Verily I say unto you, There be some standing here, which shall not taste of death, till they see the **SON of MAN** coming in **HIS KINGDOM**.

JESUS' Commandment for TRUE Disciples



St. John 8:31-32

31.Then said JESUS to those JEWS which BELIEVED on HIM, <u>IF</u> ye CONTINUE in MY WORD, <u>THEN</u> are ye MY DISCIPLES <u>INDEED</u>; 32.And ye SHALL KNOW the <u>TRUTH</u>, and the TRUTH SHALL

MAKE YOU <u>FREE</u>.

Are we TRULY JESUS' Disciples if we do not CONTINUE in HIS WORD?

Examples of <u>NOT</u> being a TRUE NT Disciple



- 1. However, Judas was not the only NT Disciple who did <u>NOT</u> follow JESUS in TRUTH. Here is a short list:
 - A. Many disciples turned away after JESUS said to eat his flesh and drink his blood (St. John 6:66);
 - **B.** Ananias and Sapphira LIED to the HOLY GHOST and died (Acts 5:1-10);
 - C. Hymenaeus and Alexander were delivered to Satan for BLASPHEMING (1 Tim. 1:20; 2 Tim 2:16-18);
 - **D.** Warnings against preaching for **FILTHY LUCRE (Money)** (1 Tim. 3:3, 8; Titus 1:7; 1 Peter 5:2);
 - E. Simon commanded to repent for wanting to PURCHASE the Holy Ghost (Acts 8:18-24);
 - F. Those Teaching FALSE DOCTRINES of the Nicolaitanes (Rev. 2:6, 15);
 - G. Jezebel and others committing ADULTERY and FORNICATION to be cast into great tribulation (Rev. 2:20-25);
 - H. Many had a name that they lived but were found DEAD by JESUS who threatened to BLOT their names OUT of the Lamb's Book of Life (Rev. 3:1-6); and
 - I. The Lukewarm followers who will be CAST OUT of GOD's mouth unless they REPENT (Rev. 3:14-21).

JESUS came to make Disciples for His Kingdom



- 1. Many think that JESUS CHRIST came to give <u>us religion</u> and <u>make us Christians</u>.
- 2. But, the <u>TRUTH</u> is that JESUS came to <u>offer us an eternal Kingdom in Heaven</u> and <u>make DISCIPLES</u> of those who would <u>FOLLOW</u> HIM!
- 3. JESUS introduced the world to the <u>Kingdom of Heaven</u>, GOD, and HIMSELF at His Ministry's outset. *(St. Matt. 4:17)*
- 4. Continuing throughout His ministry, JESUS taught many <u>TRUTHS</u> about the <u>Kingdom of Heaven</u>. One of the <u>most critical TRUTHS</u> that JESUS taught was how the <u>Kingdom of Heaven</u> is <u>NOT</u> physical and external but <u>spiritual and internal</u>. *(St. Luke 17:21)*

(Luke 17:20-21 KJV) And when he was demanded of the Pharisees, when the KINGDOM of GOD should <u>come</u>, He answered them and said, The KINGDOM of GOD cometh <u>NOT</u> with observation: <u>NEITHER</u> shall they say, Lo here! or, lo there! for, behold, the <u>KINGDOM of GOD is WITHIN YOU</u>.

(Rom 14:17 KJV) For the KINGDOM of GOD is <u>NOT</u> meat and drink; but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the HOLY GHOST.

7 Key Tenets of TRUE Discipleship in JESUS CHRIST



- **1. Focus on the Kingdom of Heaven**
- 2. Repentance Required to enter Kingdom of Heaven
- **3. Following JESUS is Mandatory**
- 4. BODY is the NT Temple of the HOLY GHOST
- 5. Learn Discipleship through the Apostle's Writings
- 6. Live a Transformed Life through One's Heart
- 7. Prepare for the LORD's Return

1. Focus on the Kingdom of Heaven



St. Matthew 4:17 (JESUS)

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St. Matthew 3:1-2 (John the Baptist)

1. In those days came John the Baptist, PREACHING in the wilderness of Judaea,

2. And saying, **<u>REPENT</u>** ye: for the **KINGDOM of HEAVEN** <u>is at</u> **HAND**.

St. Matthew 4:8-9 (Devil)

- 8. Again, the <u>devil</u> taketh <u>HIM</u> up into an exceeding high mountain, and showeth him all the <u>kingdoms of the world</u>, and the *glory of them*;
- 9. And saith unto him, All these things will <u>I give</u> thee, if thou wilt **fall down** and <u>WORSHIP ME</u>.

1. Kingdom of Heaven (GOD and JESUS)



LEARN TO FOCUS ON THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN

- 1. Kingdom of Heaven is within (<u>NOT</u> the things in the world)
 - A. Is not meat and drink
 - B. Is not attendance, giving, or vocation in Organized Religion
- 2. Focus on <u>SOULS</u> who are at risk of being <u>LOST</u> FOREVER
 - A. <u>One's obsession</u> should be **saving souls** and **making Disciples**
- 3. Shift <u>one's focus</u> from the <u>material and physical things</u> of this world to the <u>invisible things of the Kingdom of GOD</u>
 - A. JESUS did NOT teach us to seek prosperity as is common today!
 - **B.** JESUS taught us to "SEEK THE KINGDOM OF GOD, and HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS" (St. Matt. 6:33)

2. Repentance Required to enter Kingdom



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Acts 2:37-41 (Peter)

37. Now when they heard this, they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, <u>what shall we do</u>?

38. Then **Peter** *said unto them*, **<u>REPENT</u>**, *and* **be BAPTIZED** *every one of you* **in the NAME of JESUS CHRIST** *for the* **REMISSION of SINS**, *and* **ye shall** <u>receive</u> the <u>gift of</u> the Holy Ghost</u>.

JESUS commanded the 7 churches in Asia to <u>REPENT</u>!

(Rev. 2:5, 2:16, 2:21-22, 3:3, 3:19)

2. Repentance Required to enter Kingdom



- 1. There is <u>NO</u> salvation <u>WITHOUT</u> <u>REPENTANCE</u>!
 - A. If one has **NOT REPENTED**, they are **NOT SAVED!**
- 2. <u>REPENTANCE</u> means turn from <u>SIN</u> to follow JESUS in TRUTH and RIGHTEOUSNESS (HOLINESS)

(Rom 6:1-2) (1) What shall we say then? Shall we CONTINUE in SIN, that GRACE may ABOUND? (2) GOD FORBID. How shall we, that are DEAD to SIN, LIVE ANY LONGER THEREIN?

(1 John 1:5-6) (5) This then is the <u>MESSAGE</u> which WE have <u>HEARD</u> of <u>HIM</u>, and DECLARE unto YOU, that GOD is LIGHT, and <u>IN</u> HIM is <u>NO</u> DARKNESS at <u>ALL</u>. (6) <u>IF</u> WE SAY that WE have FELLOWSHIP <u>WITH</u> HIM, and <u>WALK</u> in DARKNESS, WE <u>LIE</u>, and DO <u>NOT</u> the TRUTH:

ONE MUST <u>WIN the BATTLE</u> with SIN to <u>WALK</u> with JESUS CHRIST!!

3. Following JESUS is Mandatory



JESUS defines three (3) requirements for being His Disciple. One must:

- 1. **DENY** THEMSELVES;
- 2. <u>TAKE</u> UP THEIR <u>CROSS</u>; and
- 3. <u>FOLLOW</u> HIM.

JESUS uses action verbs to describe what it would take to become HIS DISCIPLE.

FIRST, JESUS declares that one must <u>FIRST</u> **DENY THEMSELVE**. We can gain a clearer IMAGE of the <u>level of denial</u> that is <u>required</u> by examining those whom JESUS first called to be His Disciples:

- They had to leave their homes, families, jobs, friends, and former life behind;
- They had to <u>die</u> to their old way of thinking, their thoughts, their lusts and desires, their imagination; and
- They had to be willing to sacrifice, even their lives, if it were necessary.

4. Body is the NT Temple of the HOLY GHOST



1 Corinthians 3:16-18

- **16.KNOW** *YE* **NOT** *that* **YE** *are the* **TEMPLE of GOD**, *and that the* **SPIRIT of GOD DWELLETH in YOU**?
- **17.**<u>IF</u> any man <u>DEFILE</u> the <u>TEMPLE of GOD</u>, HIM shall <u>GOD DESTROY</u>; for the TEMPLE of GOD is HOLY, which TEMPLE YE ARE.
- 18. Let <u>NO</u> man <u>DECEIVE HIMSELF</u>. If any man among you seemeth to be wise in this world, let him become a fool, that he may be wise.

Ephesians 2:19-22

- *19. Now therefore ye are* **no** *more strangers and foreigners, but* **FELLOWCITIZENS** *with the* **SAINTS***, and of the* **HOUSEHOLD of GOD***;*
- 20. And are built upon the **foundation of the apostles and prophets**, **JESUS CHRIST Himself** being the **CHIEF CORNER STONE**;
- 21. In whom all the **BUILDING** fitly **FRAMED TOGETHER GROWETH** unto an **HOLY TEMPLE** in the **LORD**:
- 22. *IN* WHOM YE also are BUILDED TOGETHER for an <u>HABITATION of GOD</u> through the SPIRIT.

4. Body is the NT Temple of the HOLY GHOST



St. Matthew 27:50-53

50.JESUS, when **He** had cried again with a loud voice, <u>yielded up the ghost</u>.

- 51. And, **behold**, the <u>VEIL of the TEMPLE</u> was **RENT in TWAIN from the TOP to the BOTTOM**; and the **EARTH** did **QUAKE**, and the **ROCKS RENT**;
- 52. And the graves were opened; and many bodies of the saints which slept AROSE,
- 53. And <u>came out</u> of the graves after <u>HIS resurrection</u>, and went into the holy city, and appeared unto many.

4. Body is the Temple of the HOLY GHOST



Disciples/Follower of JESUS must see themselves as the TEMPLE of the HOLY GHOST, GOD, and JESUS CHRIST

- A present awareness that our HOLY LIVING FATHER DWELLS in US
- An understanding that ONE MUST stop DEFILING the TEMPLE of THEIR BODIES

Disciples must be willing to "COME OUT" of the Institutional/Organized Church when they:

- NOT Hearing the TRUE WORD of GOD, the Holy Scriptures;
- PREVENTED or HINDERED from following the voice and leading of the HOLY GHOST; or
- Called by the HOLY GHOST to do a work that is not accepted by the organization or to depart to another location for the PURPOSES of GOD!

5. Learn Discipleship through Apostle's Writings



Acts 1:1-2

- **1.** The former treatise have I made, O Theophilus, of all that JESUS began both to DO and TEACH,
- 2. UNTIL the day in which HE was TAKEN UP, <u>AFTER</u> that HE THROUGH the HOLY GHOST had <u>GIVEN COMMANDMENTS</u> unto the <u>APOSTLES</u> whom HE had CHOSEN:
- **OT Prophets** sent to prophesy of JESUS CHRIST and warn of Judgment
 - OT was written in Hebrew and given to Abraham's seed, Israel (the Jews)
- **NT** Apostles sent to teach individuals how to live as TRUE Disciples of JESUS
 - Why Paul writes **FIRST** APOSTLES and **SECONDARILY** PROPHETS (1 Cor. 12:28, Eph. 4:11-16)
 - NT was written in Greek (language of the people) by the Apostles to the GENTILES
 - Provides the **COMMANDMENTS JESUS** instructed them to give to the NT Church (His BODY)
 - Peter COMMANDS, NEWBORN BABES to desire the SINCERE MILK of the WORD (1 Pet. 2:1-2)

GOD gives Commandments to the Beginning of Each Church Age



Church Age	BIRTH	When Commandments Given
Man and Woman (creation planned)	GOD decided to create male and female (Gen. 1:26-27)	GOD gave Commandments and Laws to instruct man in his purpose (<i>Gen. 1:28-31</i>)
Adam and Eve (created)	Adam created by GOD and placed in the Garden (<i>Gen. 2:7</i>)	Adam commanded not to eat of the tree of knowledge of good and evil (<i>Gen. 2:16-17</i>)
Noah (after the flood)	Flood came because of man's disobedience (<i>Gen. 7:6-12; 6:5-8</i>))	Commandments given to Noah after the flood to guide the re-establishment of mankind in the earth, after the flood (<i>Gen. 9</i>)
Abraham (became the father of Faith)	Abraham called of GOD (Gen. 12:1)	GOD establishes His covenant with Abraham and changes his name from "Abram" to "Abraham" (<i>Gen. 16</i>)
Children of Israel (first called out of Egypt)	Chosen and Called of GOD by Moses <i>(Exo. 3)</i>	GOD gives Children of Israel the Commandments and Laws by Moses (Exo. 19-20)

GOD gives Commandments to the Beginning of Each Church Age



Church Age	BIRTH	When Commandments Given
Children of Israel (after 40 years wandering in Wilderness)	Second giving of Law after deaths of those who 20 years of older who left Egypt (Num 32:11-13; Exo. 30:14; Num. 1:3; Deut. 1)	Second giving of the Law to the new generation of Children of Israel, those who were less than 20 years older when they departed Egypt (<i>The Book of</i> <i>Deuteronomy</i>)
Children of Israel (after return from exile in Babylon)	Carried away captive into Babylon where they remained 70 years (2 Kings 20:16-18; 2 Kings 24-25)	Nehemiah had the Commandments and Laws read to the Children of Israel after their return from exile in Babylon (<i>Neh. 8:4-9</i>)
JESUS (after He started His earthly ministry)	JESUS was baptized and tempted of Satan in the Wilderness before his ministry (<i>St. Matt. 3:13-17; 4:1-11</i>)	JESUS delivers the Sermon on the Mount at the outset of His Ministry (<i>St. Matt. 4:13-25; St. Matt. 5:1 thru</i> <i>7:29</i>)
NT Church, Paul, and other Apostels (Church formed and Paul called as its Apostle for the Gentiles, Kings, and Jews)	NT Church born on the Day of Pentecost (Acts 2:1-4)	JESUS called Paul and sent him to provide the Commandments and Laws to the NT Church, the Gospel of CHRIST that he preached and recorded in his writings. He wrote along with the other Apostles. (Acts 1:1-2; Acts 9; Gal. 1 thru 2:9)

5. Learn Discipleship through Apostle's Writings



- For years, the institutional/organized Church has relegated the writings of the Apostles to Obscurity
 - Few primarily teach and preach from the writings' of the Apostles
 - Many traditions of the Organized Church VIOLATE the COMMANDMENTS given by JESUS CHRIST THROUGH His Apostles

Disciples MUST earnestly read and study the Apostles' writings to GROW

- As NEWBORN BABES, one must earnestly seek the sincere MILK of the WORD (the direct text of the Holy Scriptures) that they might grow (1 Pet. 2:1-9)
- Disciples must STUDY the Scriptures to show themselves approved unto GOD (2 Tim. 2:15)

6. Live a Transformed Life through One's Heart



Romans 12:1-2

- 1. I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye PRESENT your BODIES a LIVING SACRIFICE, HOLY, ACCEPTABLE unto God, which is your REASONABLE service.
- 2. And be NOT CONFORMED to this world: but BE YE TRANSFORMED by the RENEWING of your MIND, that ye may PROVE what is that GOOD, and ACCEPTABLE, and PERFECT, will of GOD.

6. Live a Transformed Life through One's Heart



 We must allow our HEARTS to be TRANSFORMED BACK into the IMAGE and LIKNESS of GOD as ADAM once existed in the GARDEN of EDEN
 We must "HEAR WHAT THE HOLY SPIRIT is SAYING to the CHURCHES" (individuals in the body of JESUS CHRIST)

7. Prepare for the LORD's Return



Romans 2:14-16

- 14. For when the **Gentiles**, which <u>have NOT the LAW</u>, do by nature the things contained in the <u>LAW</u>, these, having <u>NOT</u> the <u>LAW</u>, are a <u>LAW</u> unto themselves:
- 15. Which show the work of the LAW written in their HEARTS, their CONSCIENCE also bearing witness, and their THOUGHTS the mean while accusing or else excusing one another;)
- **16.** IN THE <u>DAY</u> when <u>GOD</u> shall <u>JUDGE the SECRETS of MEN</u> by <u>JESUS CHRIST</u> according to <u>MY</u> <u>GOSPEL</u>.

Hebrews 9:27-28

- 27. And as it is **APPOINTED** unto **MEN ONCE** to **<u>DIE</u>**, but **AFTER** this **<u>THE JUDGMENT</u>**:
- 28. So CHRIST was ONCE OFFERED to BEAR the SINS of MANY; and unto THEM THAT LOOK FOR HIM SHALL HE APPEAR the SECOND TIME without SIN unto SALVATION.

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Revelation 20:10-15

- 10. And the **DEVIL** that <u>DECEIVED</u> them was **CAST** into the LAKE of FIRE and BRIMSTONE, where the **BEAST** and the FALSE PROPHET are, and shall be TORMENTED DAY and NIGHT for EVER and EVER.
- 11. And I saw a **GREAT WHITE THRONE**, and **HIM** that **SAT ON IT**, from **whose face** the **EARTH** and the **HEAVEN FLED AWAY**; and there **was found** <u>NO</u> **place for them**.
- 12. And I saw the DEAD, SMALL and GREAT, <u>STAND before</u> GOD; and the books were opened: and <u>another book</u> was opened, which is the <u>BOOK of LIFE</u>: and the DEAD were JUDGED out of those THINGS which were WRITTEN in the BOOKS, ACCORDING TO THEIR WORKS.
- 13. And the SEA gave up the DEAD which were in it; and DEATH and HELL delivered up the DEAD which were in them: and they were JUDGED EVERY MAN ACCORDING to <u>THEIR WORKS</u>.
- 14. And DEATH and HELL were cast into the LAKE of FIRE. This is the SECOND DEATH

15. And whosoever was <u>NOT</u> found WRITTEN in the BOOK of LIFE was CAST into the <u>LAKE of FIRE</u>.

7. Prepare for the LORD's Return



We should diligently strive to ensure that we are preparing for the LORD's Return (or for our time of death)

- We must be prepared as WISE Virgins for the LORD's Return (St. Matt. 25:1-13)
- Learn from JESUS warnings and instructions to the 7 Churches of Asia
- We must "HEAR WHAT THE HOLY SPIRIT is SAYING to the CHURCHES" (individuals in the body of JESUS CHRIST)
 - We must seek to HEAR and be LED by the HOLY GHOST (Rev. 2-3)

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