

What one word would you suggest is the key to effective discipleship? [hint: first sentence of ¶ beginning, “Clearly the policy of Jesus at this point...”]

What role does informal intimacy play in discipleship?

Is there someone with whom I can spend this kind of time? Who is that person, and how soon can I start?

What has your reading taught you about discipleship?

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The Master Plan of Evangelism

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Chapter 2 — Association

How did Jesus’ teaching contrast with the other religious leaders of the day?

Fill in the blank: “Knowledge was not _____ by the Master in terms of _____ and dogmas, but in the _____ of One who walked _____ them.”

What distinguished Jesus’ disciples?

How is spiritual knowledge gained?

How did Jesus’ relationship with the twelve change as time passed?

How did the answer to the above question impact Jesus' ministry to the masses?

The author suggests that the application of the inseparableness of Jesus and the disciples is neglected because we overlook the ordinary. Do you agree? Why, or why not?

When Jesus spent time with others beside the twelve, what characterized the faith those people had?

How does the call and teaching of the twelve work its way into church ministry?

TRUE / FALSE: Every member of the church must be involved in the ministry of discipleship. (If false, explain the correct answer.)

What does the answer to the previous question mean regarding the church's preaching ministry?

What does discipleship require?

FINISH THE SENTENCE: "The example of Jesus would teach us that [discipleship] can be done only by _____."

In practical terms, what would the previous question look like as you disciple? Give specific examples.

The author states that the church has failed miserably in this regard? Why do you believe that is?