

Message Notes

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Disciple Makers
Jesus' Strategy
Matt. 4:23-24, 9:35-38; Luke 9:1-6
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◆ Are we _____ disciples _____ disciples? (Mt. 28:19-20)

◆ We should _____ Jesus' _____ for making _____.

Jesus' Strategy

Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and sickness among the people. **Matthew 4:23**

◆ Jesus _____ of God's Kingdom _____ He _____ it.

◆ Jesus *made disciples* by "_____ & _____" the gospel.

Show & Tell

◆ Jesus "showed" to _____ Who He _____ was. (Mk 2:1-12; Lk 7:18-23)

◆ Jesus' "showing" served to _____ His _____. (Jn 6:14)

But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect. **1 Peter 3:15**

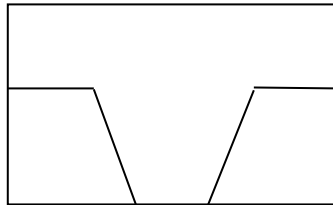
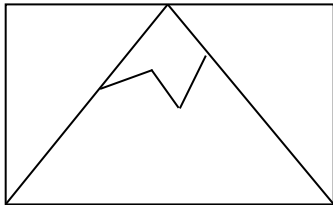
① Pay _____ to where God is _____ working. (Ac 16:6-10)

② Learn to tell _____ stories: _____ & the _____. (Ac 22, 26)

◆ When *telling*, focus on your _____, encounter & _____. (Jn 9:25)

◆ God often uses _____ stories to open doors to tell _____ story.

◆ Christianity says that God _____ out to _____ in His _____. (Jn 3:16)



③ Leave the _____ up to the Lord! (Mt 13:1-23; 1 Cor 3:5-9)

◆ Will I make disciples by _____ the gospel?

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Writing Your Story

① Your "Before"

What type of person were you before you met Christ? On the lines below, write down four to six adjectives that come to mind. (If you came to faith at a young age, consider how you would describe what you were like prior to developing a thriving, more mature relationship with Christ.)

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

From the adjectives above, what is the *one* word in particular that best summarizes your "before" state? Circle it. Then write 1-2 sentences below that describe your life "before" Christ:

② Your Encounter with Christ

Now describe the circumstances that caused you to submit your life to Jesus Christ. What life-stage were you in? What input did you receive that finally triggered your desire to ask Christ into your life? What was the most significant thing about your making this decision?

③ Your "After"

Now, completing the sentence below, note the *primary difference* that Christ has made in your life.

Since inviting Christ into my life, I've become

