

Discipleship Ingredients – David Oliver

1. **He started by saying ‘Follow me’** - Matt 4 v19, 8v22, 9v9.

Where did he engage them tax collectors booth and boats

How do you think He made that connection in the workplace?

2. **He accepted others who followed Him** - Matt 27 v57

Somehow he facilitated a wealthy man’s place in destiny

Helped him provided a context or framework to help him fulfil his destiny

3. **He called them to a purpose** - Matt 4 v19

I will make you . A mans chief want in life is someone to make him do what he can

4. **He lived life with them** - Matt 26 v17-20, Mark3v20, John2 vv1,12, John 11v54, Luke 8v 22-23
(food,alcohol,sleep, boats,travel,wedding. nice places deserts or tough places) -

5. **He withdrew with them** - Mark 3v7

6. **He introduced them to the supernatural** - Matt 10 v 1 ,John1 v51

7. **He equipped them for the supernatural** - Matt10v1

8. **He sent them** - Matt 10v5

9. **He gave them strategy and instructions** - Matt 10 v6-14
(Finance, handling the supernatural, process, downside risk the message, the potential outcomes)

10. **He had feedback & debrief sessions** - Luke 10vv17-20
He got beyond the result – into the under girding lessons & principles

11. **He used the outdoors more than the indoors** - John 18v1 Matt 8v18,9v1,12v1

12. **He encouraged their risk taking** - Matt 14vv28-9

13. **His teaching style was not didactic exegetical or expository** - Matt 16v5/6 v 13, Matt 19v23-4, Mark 8 v27, 9v28, 10v10, Mark 10vv24,26,32, Luke 11v1-2,Luke 18v1, 18v34, Matt 13vv10-11,13,36, John 4 v31-33, 6v60,66-68, John12v16, 13v36,16v17

It was parable, provocation, riddle, hidden truth, interactive, based on the experiences they went through together, truths and the happenings of the day. It produced questions, inquiry, diligent minds, seeking, astonishment and amazement in them. He did not give answers always, often more questions. He rarely gave answers and showed them it only came thru revelation He called them names (children, dull, slow of heart of little faith,& satan)

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14. **He opened doors for them** - Matt 10v5, 14v16

15. **He defended them** - Matt 12 v1-4, 15v2-4

16. **He confronted & challenged them** - Matt 15 v15-17, Matt16v23, Matt20v23-24
Peter thought a bit of revelation had given him the whole Picture!

17. **He expected a price to be paid** - Matt 16v24, Luke 14v25-33

18. **He was the backstop when things went wrong** - Matt 17v16-17

19. **He provided for them** - Matt 17 v25-7

20. **He ensured they didn't get religious titles** - Matt 23v8-10

21. **He commissioned them** - Matt 28v19
Nature of commission? – Disc nations

22. **He gave them privileged time** - Mark 9 v 30

23. **He encouraged them with reward** - Mark 10 v29-30

24. **He shocked them** - Mark 11 v14

25. **He exposed the reality of their own condition** - Mark 14 v 30

26. **He baptised them** - John 4 v1
Or ensured they were baptised

27. **He delegated** - John 4 v2 , John 4 v8

28. **He wasn't afraid to lose them!** - John 6v 65- 66

29. **He loved them so much** - John 15 v2-15
and he communicated openly and at length

30. **He worked with different group dynamics** - Mark 14v33, Luke 9v28, Luke 6v13,17, Luke 10v1, John 13v23 , 1 Cor 15 v6
1,3,12,72,500, crowd

31. **He exposed them to ;**
travel, the sea, storms, demonic, supernatural, accusation, stress, hunger, inconvenience, fear, physical effort
(straining at oars)

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Q When people preach on Sunday's or cell group what is your honest open response? (Disciples gagging for answers, seeking for truth, asking questions over 99 times the question Why appears in the gospels. They were astonished 11 times amazed is used 31 times! They never once said it's boring or too long, they always wanted more and regularly didn't have a clue about what was being revealed!

Q Did Jesus disciple through church meetings? Synagogue 68 but mostly to the religious, lake 35, boat 42, hill 7, garden 5, mount 11, sea 15, villages 27, shore 10, house 89 That is 241:68 or 3.5:1

Q Did He disciple through preaching?

Q What name did He put on His followers? Christian 3x, Born again 3x disciple 284 x (76 in Matt, 57 in Mark, 45 in Luke, 76 in John)