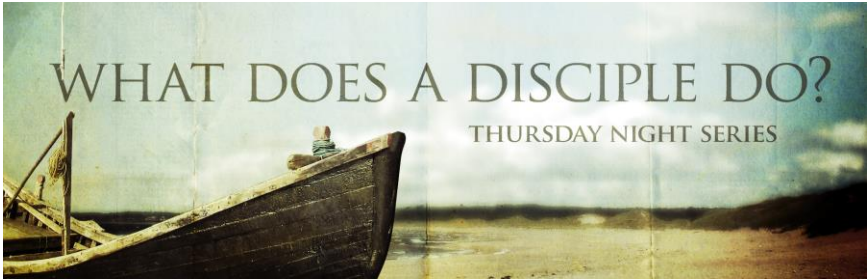


## LESSON #14



### Disciples Step Up Pt. 12

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**Luke 14:27** And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.

- **Our Step #1 is Loving God.**
  - Salvation and baptism.
  - Devotion.

#### **1. Start with Salvation**

#### **2. Grow through Devotion**

- **Our Step #2 is Loving Others.**
  - Adult Bible Classes.
  - Church membership.

#### **3. Connection to others**

#### **4. Commitment to the Church**

- **Our Step #3 is Serving God.**

- Discipleship.
- Giving.

## 5. Personal Discipleship

## 6. Practical Giving

- Step #4 is Serving Others.
  - Serving.
  - Soul Winning.

## 7. Serving Others in the Church

*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.**

*Mat. 5:14-16* Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid. 15 Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house. 16 Let your light so shine before men, **that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.**

## THIS WEEK'S LESSON

a. God \_\_\_\_\_ us to \_\_\_\_\_ Him.

*Titus 2:13-14* Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ; Who gave himself for us, that he might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto himself a peculiar people, **zealous of good works.**

*Eph. 2:5-10* Even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by grace ye are saved;) 6 And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus: 7 That in the ages to come he might shew the exceeding riches of his grace in his kindness toward us through Christ Jesus. 8 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: 9 Not of works, lest any man should boast. 10 For we are his workmanship, created in

Christ Jesus **unto good works**, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them.

- **If you are not serving others in some way in the church, you are not \_\_\_\_\_ one the purposes for your life after salvation.**

b. *Those who serve are those who are \_\_\_\_\_.*

*Acts 20:35* I have shewed you all things, how that so labouring ye ought to support the weak, and to remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he said, It is more blessed to give than to receive.

*Acts 20:24* But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that **I might finish my course with joy**, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God.

c. *God has \_\_\_\_\_ you to serve Him.*

**Rom. 12:4-8** For as we have many members in one body, and all members have not the same office: 5 So we, being many, are one body in Christ, and every one members one of another. 6 Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, whether prophecy, let us prophesy according to the proportion of faith; 7 Or ministry, let us wait on our ministering: or he that teacheth, on teaching; 8 Or he that exhorteth, on exhortation: he that giveth, let him do it with simplicity; he that ruleth, with diligence; he that sheweth mercy, with cheerfulness.

- How can we do this;
  - \_\_\_\_\_ your gifts and talents.
  - Find \_\_\_\_\_ best to use them.
  - Don't shy away from using them in the \_\_\_\_\_.

d. *Serving helps you to be \_\_\_\_\_ in.*

**Tit. 3:8** This is a faithful saying, and these things I will that thou affirm constantly, that **they which have believed in God might be careful to maintain good works**. These things are good and profitable unto men.

- Serving will help you to get plugged in.
  - **You're not just \_\_\_\_\_, your serving.**
  - **You get more \_\_\_\_\_ with others.**
  - **You become more \_\_\_\_\_.**

*e. Serving others is serving \_\_\_\_\_.*

*Matthew 25:40 And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.*

*f. No one is \_\_\_\_\_ from serving*

*1 Tim. 6:17-18 Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not highminded, nor trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God, who giveth us richly all things to enjoy; 18 That they do good, **that they be rich in good works**, ready to distribute, willing to communicate;*

*g. Do what you need to do so you \_\_\_\_\_ serve.*

- What are the basics?
  - **Must be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.**
  - **Become a \_\_\_\_\_.**
  - **Go through our \_\_\_\_\_ class.**
  - **Find your \_\_\_\_\_.**
  - **Meet the \_\_\_\_\_.**

**8. Sharing \_\_\_\_\_ in the World**