

## Disciples Making Disciples

### Scriptures for Week 2

REV 3:15-16 ---I know your works, that you are neither hot nor cold...I wish that you were...since you are lukewarm, I will vomit you out of my mouth.

1 JOHN 2:15-17 Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For everything in the world – the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride in one’s possessions – is not from the Father, but is from the world. And the world with its lust is passing away, but the one who does the will of God remains forever.

TITUS 1:16 – They claim to know God, but they deny him by their works. They are detestable, disobedient, and unfit for any good work.

MATT 7:21-23 – Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord’, will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father in heaven. On that day many will say to me, ‘Lord, Lord, didn’t we prophesy in your name, drive out demons in your name, and do many miracles in your name?’ Then I will announce to them, ‘I never knew you. Depart from me, you lawbreakers!’

LUKE 6:46-48 – “Why do you call me ‘Lord, Lord’ and don’t do the things I say? I will show you what someone is like who comes to me, hears my words, and acts on them. He is like a man building a house, who dug deep and laid the foundation on the rock. When the flood came, the river crashed against that house and couldn’t shake it, because it was well built.”

1 COR 13:2-3 –If I have the gift of prophecy and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith so that I can move mountains but do not have love, I am nothing. And if I give away all my possessions, and if I give over my body in order to boast but do not have love, I gain nothing.

ISAIAH 29:13 – These people approach me with their speeches to honor me with lip-service, yet their hearts are far from me and human rules direct their worship of me.

2 COR 13:5 – Test yourselves to see if you are in the faith. Examine yourselves. Or do you yourselves not recognize that Jesus Christ is in you? – unless you fail the test.

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has passed away, and see, the new has come!” (2 Cor 5:17)

Hebrews 4:16 we are told “Therefore, let us approach the throne of **grace** with boldness, so that we may receive **mercy** and find **grace** to help us in time of need.”

John 14:15 “If you love me, you will keep my commandments.”

1 John 2:3 “This is how we know that we know him: if we keep his commands”

Acts 5:29 “Peter and the apostles replied, ‘We must obey God rather than people.’”

John 15:17 “This is what I command you: Love one another.”

1 John 4:7,8 Dear friends, let us love one another, because love is from God, and everyone who loves has been born of God and knows God. The one who does not love does not know God, because God is love.

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1 John 4:10-11 “Love consists in this: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Dear friends, if God loved us in this way, we also must love one another.”

1 John 3:16-18 “This is how we have come to know love: He laid down his life for us. We should also lay down our lives for our brothers and sisters. If anyone has this world’s goods and sees a fellow believer in need but withholds compassion from him – how does God’s love reside in him? Little children, let us not love in word or speech, but in *action* and in *truth*.”

1 Tim 6:17-18 Instruct those who are rich in the present age not to be arrogant or to set their hope on the uncertainty of wealth, but on God who richly provides us with all things to enjoy. Instruct them to do what is good, to be rich in good works, to be generous and willing to share, storing up treasure for themselves as a good foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of what is truly life.

Phil 3:10 “to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the fellowship of sharing in his sufferings, becoming like Him in His death”?

1 Peter 1:13-16 Therefore, with your minds ready for action, be sober-minded and set your hope completely on the grace to be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. As obedient children, do not be conformed to the desires of your former ignorance. But as the one who called you is holy, you also are to be holy in all your conduct; for it is written, Be holy, because I am holy.”

Matt 16:24-25 Then Jesus said to his disciples, “If anyone wants to follow after me, let him deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life because of me will find it. For what will it benefit someone if he gains the whole world yet loses his life? Or what will anyone give in exchange for his life?”

Luke 14:34 “Now, salt is good, but if salt should lose its taste, how will it be made salty? It isn’t fit for the soil or for the manure pile; they throw it out. Let anyone who has ears to hear listen.”

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Try this test of how well you are reflecting God's love. Read – outloud-- the following, inserting your name in the blanks.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ is patient.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ is kind.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ does not envy.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ is not boastful.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ is not arrogant.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ is not rude.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ is not self-seeking.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ is not irritable.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ does not keep a record of wrongs.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ finds no joy in unrighteousness but rejoices in the truth.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ bears all things.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ hopes all things.

\_\_(Your name)\_\_ endures all things.

1 Corinthians 13:4-7