



OBSERVE & REFLECT

This weekend we talked about what has been called "The Great Commission". Discuss in your group why it has been given that title, and if your group was to come up with a different title for this passage of scripture what would it be?

READ Matthew 28:16-20

- Read the text at least twice. Try reading the text from two different translations.
- What do you observe in the text? What jumps out at you and grabs your attention? What questions do you have from the text? Pay attention to any action words or phrases and observe what the implications are.
- Reflect on the sermon from the weekend regarding this passage. What aspects or truths from the sermon left an impression on you and why?

INVESTIGATE & APPLY

(This section focuses on what the scripture has to say as we dig deeper into the Word. It is oriented to create discussion on the scripture)

- Why do you think there were still some people that were doubting?
- What does it look like for you to be a disciple or "follower" of Jesus?
- What does it look like for you to be a disciple maker?
- Why would Jesus call the disciples to go make other disciples, and why is He calling us?

Verse to Consider:

Matthew 16:24

Then Jesus said to the disciples, "If anyone wants to be a follower of mine, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me."

NEXT STEPS

(This section is how to 'put the rubber to the road' so to speak, and is created for us to grow deeper with each other as we process the implications of the text)

- How have you sensed Christ fluttering over your life and what is He encouraging you to do?
- What commitments have you made to being a disciple maker, and how will you stay on track?