# 10 Practical Reasons for Discipling

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# **5 Reasons to be Discipled**

1. The joy of true \_\_\_\_\_\_.

#### 2. The joy of growing in Christlikeness.

"But whenever someone turns to the Lord, the veil is taken away. For the Lord is the Spirit, and wherever the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. So all of us who have had that veil removed can see and reflect the glory of the Lord. And the Lord—who is the Spirit—makes us more and more like him as we are changed into his glorious image." (2 Corinthians 3:16-18 NLT)

## 3. The joy of fulfilling your destiny.

"For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago." (Ephesians 2:10 NLT)

"You satisfy me more than the richest feast. I will praise you with songs of joy" (Psalm 63:5, NLT)

# 4. The joy of getting your questions answered.

"Follow my example, as I follow the example of Christ." (1 Corinthians 11:1 NIV)

# 5. The joy of knowing how to \_\_\_\_\_\_ others.

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# 5 Reasons to be a Disciple-maker

1. The joy of \_\_\_\_\_\_ Jesus.

"By this, we can be sure that we have come to know Him: if we keep His commandments." (1 John 2:3 Berean Study Bible)

## 2. The joy of doing what Jesus did.

"At this point, many of his disciples turned away and deserted him." (John 6:66 NLT)

Others "turned the world upside down?" (Acts 17:6)

## 3. The joy of helping others grow \_\_\_\_\_

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# 4. The joy of \_\_\_\_\_\_ by helping others grow spiritually.

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# 5. The joy of making life count.

"Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (Matthew 6:19-20 NIV)

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