

ENGLISH TRAINING FOR MISSION



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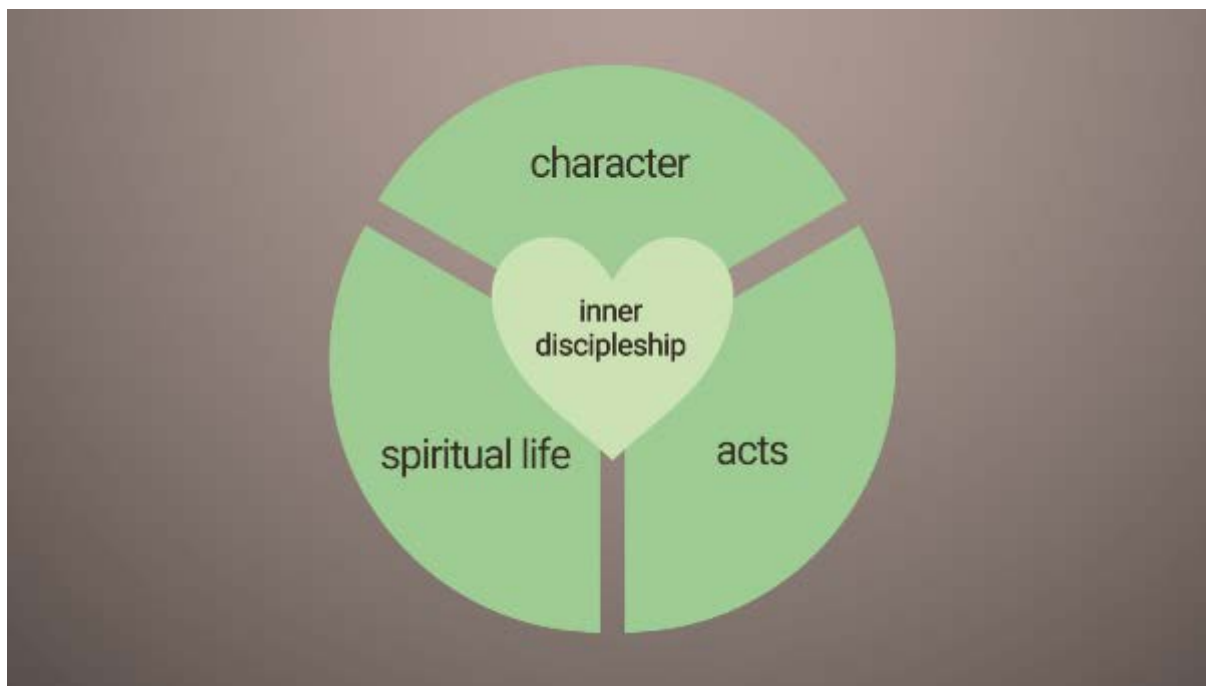
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For every discipleship training lesson, we first need to clarify the following question: Does this lesson require a one-on-one discipleship or can this be done with the whole discipleship group together?

Answer: This eighth discipleship lesson should be taught in the group. Now we go through this lesson according to the pattern of our discipleship scorecard.

The first part of the discipleship training lesson is personal care according to the pattern of the discipleship scorecard

- 1) Questions about personal condition
 - How are you?
 - What did you learn from God this week?
 - How is your relationship with God?
 - How does your prayer life look like?
 - What are your needs?
- 2) Praise and worship
- 3) Accountability questions on following Jesus and the fishing of men
 - How are you obeying the word of God?
 - How did you put the last training lesson(s) into practice?

→ Do you know the **grace of the Lord Jesus Christ** and the **love of the Father** and the **fellowship of the Holy Spirit**?

- Do you do a **Discovery Bible Study** and what has the Lord spoken to you through the word?
 - How is your **prayer** life?
 - Do you have a joyful **assurance of faith** in your heart?
 - How do you experience being continually **filled** with the Holy Spirit?
 - Do you live in regular **community with other followers of Jesus**?
 - Are you a **witness** for Jesus?
- What is **God doing** in your life right now?
 - Are you a **witness for Jesus**?
 - With whom did you share **what you learned**?
 - Are **they training** others?
 - Is there something **I can help you with**?
 - How **many new groups** were started?
 - Retell the **contents of the last lesson**!

2nd part of the discipleship training lesson

B) Training/teaching from the open Bible according to the following 4-steps-pattern:

1. Reading **core texts** twice
2. **Summarizing** core text(s) with own words
3. Finding the **key elements** in the texts
4. Learning **memory verse(s)** by heart

This is the basic pattern we want to follow:

Teach your disciples to preach

- We looked in detail at “preaching the gospel of the Kingdom of God” in lessons 8 to 12.

Session 8: Preach the gospel of the Kingdom of God

Session 9: The way of salvation “from creation to salvation”

Session 10: Repentance, baptism: water and Holy Spirit

Session 11: The call to repentance and to follow Jesus

Session 12: Methods of evangelism: evangelistic Discovery Bible Study DBS

- Now you can teach your disciples just as you learned it yourself in lessons 8 to 12.
- Proclaiming the word of God and proclaiming the gospel is absolutely central in the Kingdom of God.
- For faith only comes from the proclamation of the word of God.

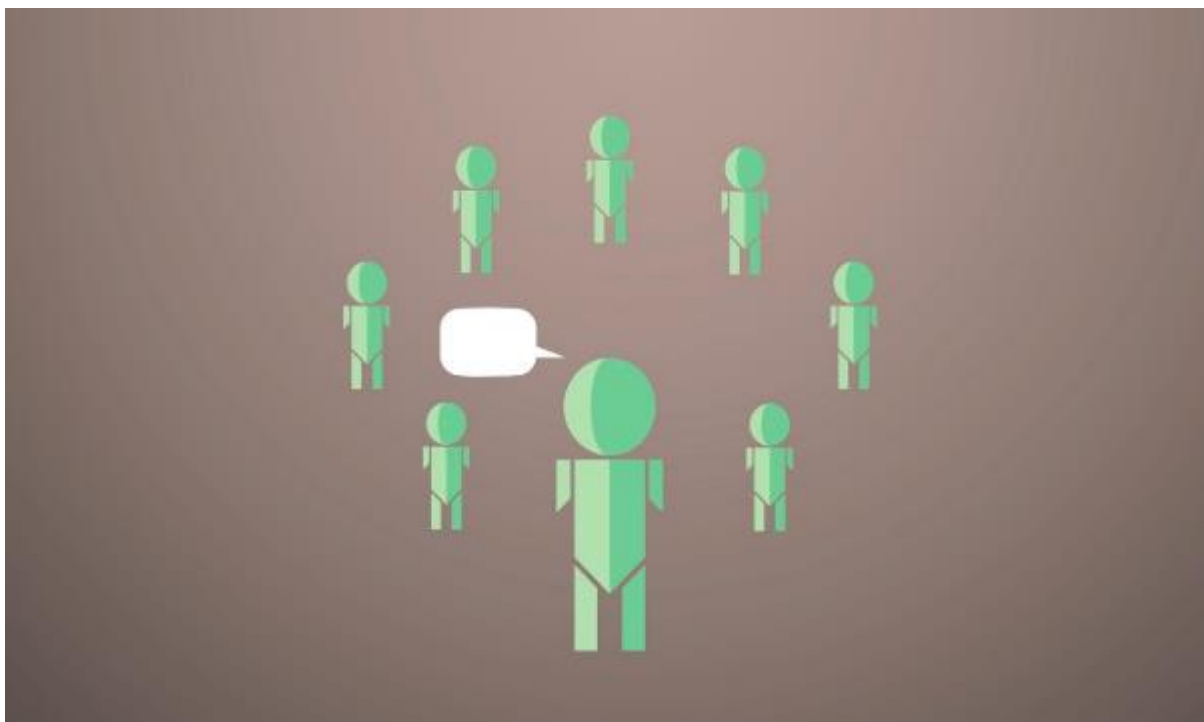
Mark 16:15-20

He said to them, “Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned. And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name they will drive out demons; they will speak in new tongues; they will pick up snakes with their hands; and when they drink deadly poison, it will not hurt them at all; they will place their hands on sick people, and they will get well.” After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat at the right hand of God. Then the disciples went out and preached everywhere, and the Lord worked with them and confirmed his word by the signs that accompanied it.

Further texts: 1 Timothy 2:3-4; Matthew 24:14; 2 Timothy 4:1-5

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- Proclaiming the gospel means proclaiming a person: Jesus
Compare this to the ten characteristics of Jesus in Acts 10,36-48
- Way of salvation: from creation to salvation
- 4 doors: faith, repentance, baptism, receiving the Holy Spirit
- Call to repentance and to follow Jesus
- Evangelistic proclamation as a process: evangelistic Discovery Bible Study DBS

Memory verses to learn by heart:

Mark 16:15

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3rd part of the discipleship training lesson

C) Implementation in the training room

1. As **disciple makers** we **tell** about our experiences and **demonstrate** the things learned in a **role-play**.
2. Divide the **discipleship group** into smaller groups of 2 to 3 persons. **Every group** should do a role-play.
3. Retelling and repeating the teaching.
4. **Setting a goal**: what they want to share with someone in the coming week.
5. **Encouragement**, to share the lesson with one's own (spiritual) family)
6. **Prayer together with the disciples**: Praying for the needs of the people they want to share their testimony with.

7. Praying that friends of the disciples would be open for Jesus and make a decision for him.
8. **Praying together with the disciples:** for those they want to share the training lesson with.
9. **Prayerfully listen with your disciples: which goals** they want to reach until the next meeting.
10. **Praying together with the disciples:** for every trainee and for their ministry of sending

So far the basic pattern we want to follow:

- During **this training lesson**, we as disciple makers want to show how and where we preach the gospel.
- Then we want to think about how to proclaim the gospel together with our disciples and preach them the gospel. The disciples listen while we preach the gospel and explain the way of salvation.
This is an extensive training part. Every step requires a lesson each (1st lesson: Introducing Jesus, 2nd lesson: way of salvation, etc.).
We also lead an evangelistic Bible Study for demonstration purposes.
- The disciples should share in groups, preach the gospel to each other and lead each other to faith in a role-play (repentance, baptism, receiving of the Holy Spirit).
- Then someone from the group retells the teaching in his own words.
- Goal setting: whom will they share their testimony with in the coming week?
- Encouragement to share this lesson with one's own (spiritual) family.
- Prayer together with the disciples for those they want to share their testimony with.
- Prayerfully listen with your disciples what the goals of this lesson are for the coming days.
- Prayer for every trainee and for the sending.

4th part of the discipleship training lesson

D) Implementation in the field

1. We go and **show/practice it** – the disciples watch and learn.
2. The **disciples practice** and we watch (and correct if necessary)
3. **The disciples demonstrate it** to their disciples who watch them...
4. It may be necessary to **demonstrate** some parts **several times (10, 20, 50 times)**.

Demonstrating, training, practicing and repeating the following:

- We meet the disciples again and go out with them to preach the gospel.
- We go out together, the disciples preach while we watch and correct.
- We do this together until they can do it on their own.

Part II: Application

a) Someone from the group summarizes this teaching in his own words. If anything is missing, the others can add to the summary.

b) Group discussion

c) Write down personal insights from the teaching

d) Share with the group who exactly you want to train in this lesson

Regular prayer (4 to 6 hours/week), going and preaching (4 to 6 hours/week), discipleship (4 to 6 hours/week).

1. PRAYER:
 - A) Prayer walk with a partner or the team ☐
 - B) From now on pray 1 hour for your disciples before every discipleship meeting ☐
2. GO: to the unreached you have a heart for ☐
3. Look for persons of peace ☐
4. PREACH: the gospel of the Kingdom of God ☐
5. EXPLAINING: the way of salvation ☐
6. Evangelistic Bible studies with interested people ☐

- 7. Share your personal testimony with five other people ☐
- 8. Call to repentance and to follow Jesus ☐
- 9. FAITH, REPENTANCE, BAPTISM AND RECEIVING THE HOLY SPIRIT ☐
- 10. Pray for sick people during an outreach ☐
- 11. Raise a dead person if you are led so ☐
- 12. Seek to hear God's voice and the guidance of the Holy Spirit ☐
- 13. Pray for the 200 million persecuted Christians in the world, pray for your "persecutors"
and bless those who are cursing you. ☐
- 14. Continue to teach this eighth lesson to the discipleship group ☐

BEsent is a training - without practice it is almost useless!