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## Speak Jesus Discipleship

### Introduction

The heart of Speak Jesus Discipleship is to ignite the passion of young men and women as they come to intimately know Jesus Christ. In relationship with Him, emphasis will be on the importance of learning to discern the voice of God with clarity using scripture, prayer, fellowship, and service leading individuals to confidently know and understand the will of God for his/her life.

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### Purpose

The purpose of the Speak Jesus Discipleship is to make disciples through training, fellowship, and strengthening of souls in accordance with the Word of God to follow the way of Jesus Christ, launching each disciple who has come to know God's calling on his/her life, to testify to the gospel of Christ. Focus will be on:

- **The Word of God** sown in the heart to produce fruit for the glory of the Father
  - **Spiritual disciplines** such as prayer, fasting, and meditation to listen to the voice of God for direction
  - **A servant's heart** to support the needs of the community
  - **Humility to walk by faith** into the purpose and calling that the Lord made each individual to fulfill
  - **Sharing** the eternal gift of the gospel truth to the world
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## Areas of Discipline

The disciples will participate in multiple areas of discipline to mature in their faith. These ways of living and habits come directly from God's word for each believer to put into practice for a sure foundation and an abundant life.

### 1. Individual Bible Reading Plan

Enables each disciple to know the truth that sets us free according to the promises of God fulfilled by Jesus Christ.

### 2. Biblical Teaching

Develops faith, which comes through hearing the Word of God, and doctrine that is sound to the teaching of Jesus Christ.

### 3. Daily Fellowship

An essential part of growth comes from community in order to sharpen each other, encourage, and hold accountable to the truth.

### 4. Spiritual Disciplines

Prayer, fasting, meditation, thanksgiving, worship, giving, accountability, confession, and others for growth and maturity in walking in the Spirit

### 5. Spiritual Gifts

The fullness of the blessing of the gospel of Christ is demonstrated through the power of God bearing witness to the spoken Word. The spiritual gifts given through the Holy Spirit are essential in testifying the gospel message.

### 6. Service and Outreach

"It is more blessed to give than receive." -Jesus Christ (Acts 20:35)

This can be accomplished through teaching the word, evangelizing, leading worship, praying for the sick and oppressed, or acts of service for those in need. Disciples aim to be servants for Christ filled with mercy and compassion for all that the Lord places in our path.



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## **Biblical Foundations Outline**

### **Year 1- Foundation**

- The Gospel Message
  - Repentance
  - Redemption- by grace through faith
  - The Kingdom of Heaven
- The Word
  - How to Study the Bible
  - Knowing God through His Word
  - Authority of the Word
  - Power of the Word
- Identity in Christ
  - A New Creation
  - Holy Spirit
  - Kingdom Citizenship

### **Year 2 - Building the House**

- The Story
  - Creation, Fall, Redemption
  - People of the Covenant
  - Spiritual Adoption
  - Eternal Hope
- The Gospels
  - Matthew
  - Mark
  - Luke
  - John
  - Proverbs and Parables

### **Year 3 - Filling the House**

- Kingdom Living
  - Acts- This New Life
  - Laws and Principles of the Kingdom
  - Spiritual vs. Carnal Living
  - Spiritual Discernment
- Walking by Faith
  - Hearing God
  - Leadership
  - Community
  - Vision Development
  - Ministry and Service



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## Outline

The journey of discipleship is a life-long adventure filled with learning experiences to grow and mature in the intimacy and knowledge of God. It is not intended for completion and advancement, rather the intention is to spark passion and fire in the believer that he/she would earnestly pursue God with his/her whole heart for eternity. Our discipleship is modeled after the Biblical standard that Jesus and his disciples display throughout the New Testament.

### Year One:

- Biblical foundations are set both in teaching and study
- Individualized Bible reading plan
- Spiritual disciplines are gradually implemented
- Opportunities to serve are made available in incremental measure
- Community is created for growth, accountability, and support

### Year Two:

- Biblical foundations are expanded upon in teaching and study
- Individual's Bible reading plan is intentionally expanded to promote spiritual growth
- Implemented spiritual disciplines are nurtured while the disciple is encouraged to take practical new steps
- Acts of service are regularly part of the schedule and the disciple participates and/or leads on occasion with assistance
- The discipleship community is challenged to trust and depend on each other's strengths to build fellowship and unity
- Participate in Mission Trip

### Year Three:

- Biblical foundations are expanded upon in teaching and study along with opportunities to share with others
- Individual's Bible reading plan is expanded and tailored to promote spiritual growth
- The individual embraces leadership through discipling someone else
- Participates and leads acts of service in the community
- Discipleship community expands by connecting and supporting other ministries
- Participate in Mission Trip
- Partner with the leadership team to shape the vision God has placed on the disciple's life