## **BOOK REVIEW**

## NOT A FAN.

## Becoming a Completely Committed Follower Of Jesus. Copyright 2011 by Kyle Idleman

The book was very compelling and well written. I especially like the way the writer is able to convey his message in layman's terms and backs it up with biblical reference (with a little humor to boot).

It's sort of ironic that the general concept of the book (i.e Defining The Relationship we have with Jesus and seeing where we truly stand) is exactly what I would have written and am currently trying to say with my Leap Of Faith movement, except the writer does a much better (and thorough job) of conveying that. There are a few things that made me examine my own status as a "follower" and resulted in changes to my own commitment.

There was however some harshness to the book that sort of left me feeling a little inadequate in my commitment as a follower after finishing the book. Although I think this is exactly what the author was trying to convey, I did not like that negative feeling associated with my love of Jesus. I would have ended the book on more of a positive note. Maybe stating what the reward of being a follower (not a fan) is when we DO give our lives up for HIM. However, overall I liked the book and would give it 4 out of 5 bibles.