

Journey CHURCH

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Session 1 Viewer Guide

Discuss the video with your group, using these questions.

1. How would you define what it means to be a disciple?
2. Read Matthew 28:19. What does it mean to make disciples? What distinction did Dr. Evans make between Christians and kingdom disciples?
3. A kingdom disciple understands that Jesus is King and that He rules. What's the relationship between discipleship and the authority of Jesus?
4. Jesus wants us to emulate not only His person but also His authority. What happens when we emulate Jesus' person without His authority?
5. Who or what besides Jesus do people look to as the ultimate authority in their lives?
6. Why do we treat the Great Commission like a polite request instead of an authoritative command?
7. Dr. Evans compared the authority of Christ to that of an official controlling a ball game. The problem today is that too many Christians have neglected their God-given authority and joined teams on the field. What are some teams you've joined that threaten your officiating responsibility in God's kingdom?
8. Dr Evans said, "Baptism means more than getting someone wet. It means being identified." What are some other ways you identify with Christ in your daily life?
9. Describe a time when you saw God show up in a powerful way in the process of making disciples.
10. What would change about our community if this group of believers committed to extending Jesus' authority into the world around us?