

***Portrait of a Fully Committed Follower***  
**“Disciple-Multiplier”**

**GETTING STARTED**

ICE BREAKER: Tell about a successful experience when you were trained, or you were the trainer.

KEY THOUGHT: ***Pass on the baton of faith***

**GETTING THE POINT**

Read 2 Timothy 2:1-2

1. Why is it significant that Paul would talk about being strengthened in grace before he speaks of passing along faith to others?
2. Describe each “generation” of faith that Paul identifies in verse 2.
3. How does the setting (that this is Paul’s final letter and he will soon be martyred) influence your understanding of this instruction to Timothy?

Read 2 Timothy 3:10-11

4. How would you describe the relationship between Paul and Timothy based on these verses?
5. How would proximity to Paul have prepared Timothy for the ministry that lay ahead for him?

**GETTING DEEPER**

Read Matthew 28:19-20

1. How does it underscore the importance of this command that it’s the last one Matthew records?
2. What happens if the command is not obeyed?

**GETTING PERSONAL**

1. Portrait Reflection Questions: Who are you discipling, and what are the challenges? What are the practices you use in spurring others to grow?
2. What would you say to someone who says they are not qualified to disciple others? What qualities are actually needed to be a disciple-multiplier?
3. What are the qualities of an “ideal” disciple?
4. How might you utilize the prayer, “Lord, give me one this year”? What would keep you from praying this?

**PRAY...**

*that we will each take seriously the call to pass the baton of faith.*

***GP Groups: Know ♦ Care ♦ Encourage***