



Countercultural Practices

Week 7: Four Characteristics of a Disciple | Teacher: Libin Abraham
Sermon Questions for 8.10.2025

Opener

Who is one person who has poured into your life and shown you Jesus?

Read

Acts 2:42-47; 1 Peter 2:2;

Main Points

1. Out of devotion to Jesus, there were four characteristics that the early Christians were marked by: (1) Learning Truth, (2) Caring Relationships, (3) Serving Others, (4) Knowing God.
2. The early church grew because of the service of their good news and because of the good news of their service.
3. In general, most people gravitate to one or two of the four, and struggle with or disregard the others.
4. There four categories are all connected with each other, and it takes all four for us to be transformed into being people of love.

Engage with God in a Group

- How have you been discipled? What has that looked like?
- Which of the characteristics of a disciple do you sense God wanting to grow you in right now?
- Which of these do you feel hesitant about or resistant to?
- Has God put anyone in your life that he may lead you to disciple?

Bottom Line

Deep transformation happens when we are marked by these four characteristics.