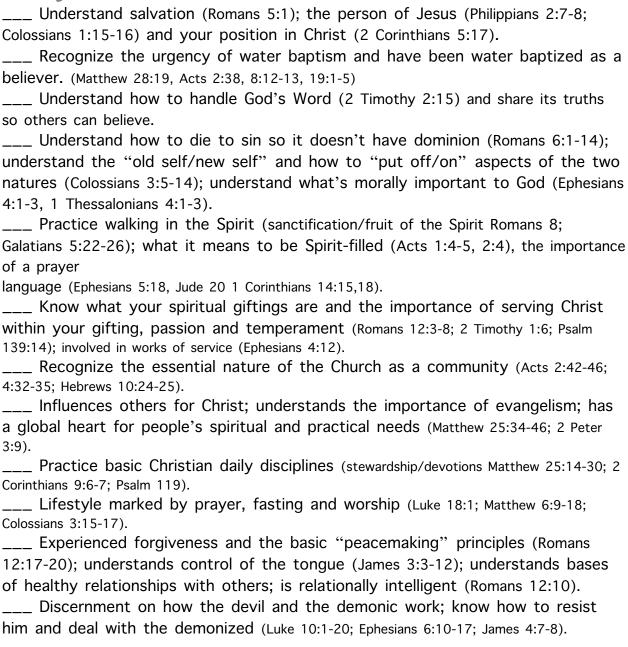
Go Make Disciples

Go through the following items and evaluate yourself: From 1 (undeveloped) to 5 (mature)

Do you...



¹ Gary Matsdorf initially created this "Litmus Test" for the Global Foursquare Church's leaders. Kaj Martin added questions that affect worldview, ethics, and biblical sexuality.

Understand when you have a "besetting" issue in your life that requires extra (sometimes professional) help to determine its origin/diagnosis and healing process (Luke 4:18-19); you have access to resources within the church/community that guide them through healing/recovery Recognize how to do life "by grace and not by works"—both "being with God" and "doing as a result of love for Him"; can model how to grow in Christ (Romans 1-8; 2 Peter 1:5-9) Prioritize giving my tithe to the family that shepherd's your soul and prayerfully give offerings to missionaries and projects that advance the Gospel (Deuteronomy 12:28-29, Nehemiah 10:38-39, Matthew 23:23, 1 Corinthians 16:1-3) Intentionally set aside time to develop disciples. Track record of teaching them to pray, study their Bible, and live out their faith (Acts 2:42) Understand how human vessels are healed—physically, spiritually, emotionally, and relationally. (Luke 4:16-21, James 5:14-16, Matthew 8:14-17) Consider your present state to be emotionally healthy. Former wounds are evidenced as scars. Under stress, you retain Christ-like character. (Psalm 24:3-5, 2 Corinthians 7:1, Colossians 3:12-14)
Can instruct on the Bible's teaching on key life specifics: Marriage/Singleness (Dt 24:1-5; Mt 19:3-12; I Cor 7:1-16, Heb 13:4, 1 Th 4:1-8) (Genesis 1:27; 2:20-25) & human dignity (Psalm 139:14; 8:4-5) Employer and employee roles (Ephesians 6:5-9; Colossians 3:22-4:1) Parental responsibility discipling children (Dt 6:20-25, Eph 6:1-4, Col 3:20-21) Government and being a citizen (Romans 13:1-5; 1 Peter 2:13-17, Acts 4:19-20) Healthy submission to spiritual authority (Hebrews 13:17, Luke 20:19-26) Value of women in the Church (Acts 18:24-26, Romans 16:1, 7) Sanctity of Life (Genesis 9:6, Exodus 21:22-23, Jeremiah 1:5, Romans 1:28-29) Can explain God's "Grand Story" to a child and a seeker (Genesis 12:1-3, 1 Corinthians 10:1-62 Corinthians 5:18-20). Model the posture of a life-long learner (John 3:1-2, 1 Corinthians 9:24-27, Colossians 1:9-10). Spontaneously respond to your enemies with love (Matthew 5:43-48, Luke 23:33-43).
Top Areas of Maturity (Top 5's or 4's) Areas that need addressing to mature as a disciple (Bottom 1's & 2's)