

## Disciples GO -- Above and Beyond

"Making and Being Disciples" P.3

Eph. 1:17-21 3:20

### I. Disciples Look Above this World's Perspective.

"I keep asking that...Jesus...may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better . "

- Who is **asking** for you? Praying for your discipleship?
- Get full of His Spirit of wisdom and revelation

"Get to know Jesus and you will get to know what he created you to do" P.J.

*"I pray also that **the eyes of your heart may be enlightened** in order that you may **know the hope to which he has called you**, the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, and his incomparably great power for us who believe."*

- Look for what he has called you to do \_\_\_\_\_ ?

*"That power is like the working of his might strength, which he exerted in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him and seated **FAR ABOVE ALL** rule and authority, power dominion, and every title that can given..." Eph. 1:17-21*

- Look above this world's politics and power structure
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### II. Disciples Look Beyond Human Wisdom, Power and Talent...

*"Who is wise and understanding among you? Let him show it by his good life, by deeds done in the humility that comes from wisdom. But **wisdom that comes from heaven...***

*James 2: 13,17*

*THERE ARE TWO KINDS OF WISDOM*

- *God Wisdom gets me Beyond Envy*
- *God Wisdom gets me Beyond Selfish Ambition*
- *Human wisdom is "earthly , unspiritual and of the devil." James 3:15*

### III. Discipleship that get's You Above and Beyond

#### **"BEING WITH DISCIPLES"!!**

*"They devoted themselves to the Apostles" teaching and to the fellowship , the breaking of bread and to prayer." Acts 2:42*

#### 1. Replace Convenience with Obedience

- Change what I'm devoted to!
- Change who I'm devoted to!

#### 2. Put Yourself in scary situations

#### 3. Believe you can make a difference!

*"Since, then, you have been raised with Christ , set you hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Set you minds on the things above, not on earthly things. For you died , and you life is now hidden with Christ in God. Col. 3:1-3*