

# *iDisciple*

Introduction: The definition of “disciple” (Greek, mathetes): “a learner.” (e.g. Jn. 3.25; 9.28; Mt. 22.16; Lk. 14.26) My commitment to Christ means I identify my life with Him by being an involved disciple who learns from the Master Teacher.

## **I. iLearn Because It’s My Choice**

- A. Not a decision based on a whim. (Jn. 1.35-51; Lk. 5.1-11)
  - 1. Individuals observed Jesus’ miracles & teachings.
  - 2. It was a personal decision prompted by respect, reverence, and appreciation.
- B. Have you made it *your* choice to be an involved disciple?

## **II. iLearn Because of Intrigue & Interest**

- A. “*Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness...*” (Matt. 5.6; Lk. 11.9-10;).
- B. Disciples asked questions. They had a desire to learn. (Lk. 8.9; Matt. 13.10)
- C. Disciples were careful listeners. (Jn. 2.22) Careful listening will increase my level of faith.
- D. Disciples endured lack of understanding. (Mt. 16.5-12)

## **III. iLearn For My Spiritual Development**

- A. “Lord, teach us to pray...” (Lk. 11.1) They sought growth.
- B. Spiritual development includes learning hard lessons.
- C. Be involved! Be equipped! (Eph. 4.11-13; Heb. 10.24)

Conclusion: (Luke 10.38-42) Involve yourself as a disciple by choosing the good part—sit and learn at the Mater’s feet that you may conform to His image.