

The  Heart
of Discipleship



It took seven years to complete one's apprenticeship.



Discipleship

Believers Under Construction

This is a life-long process.

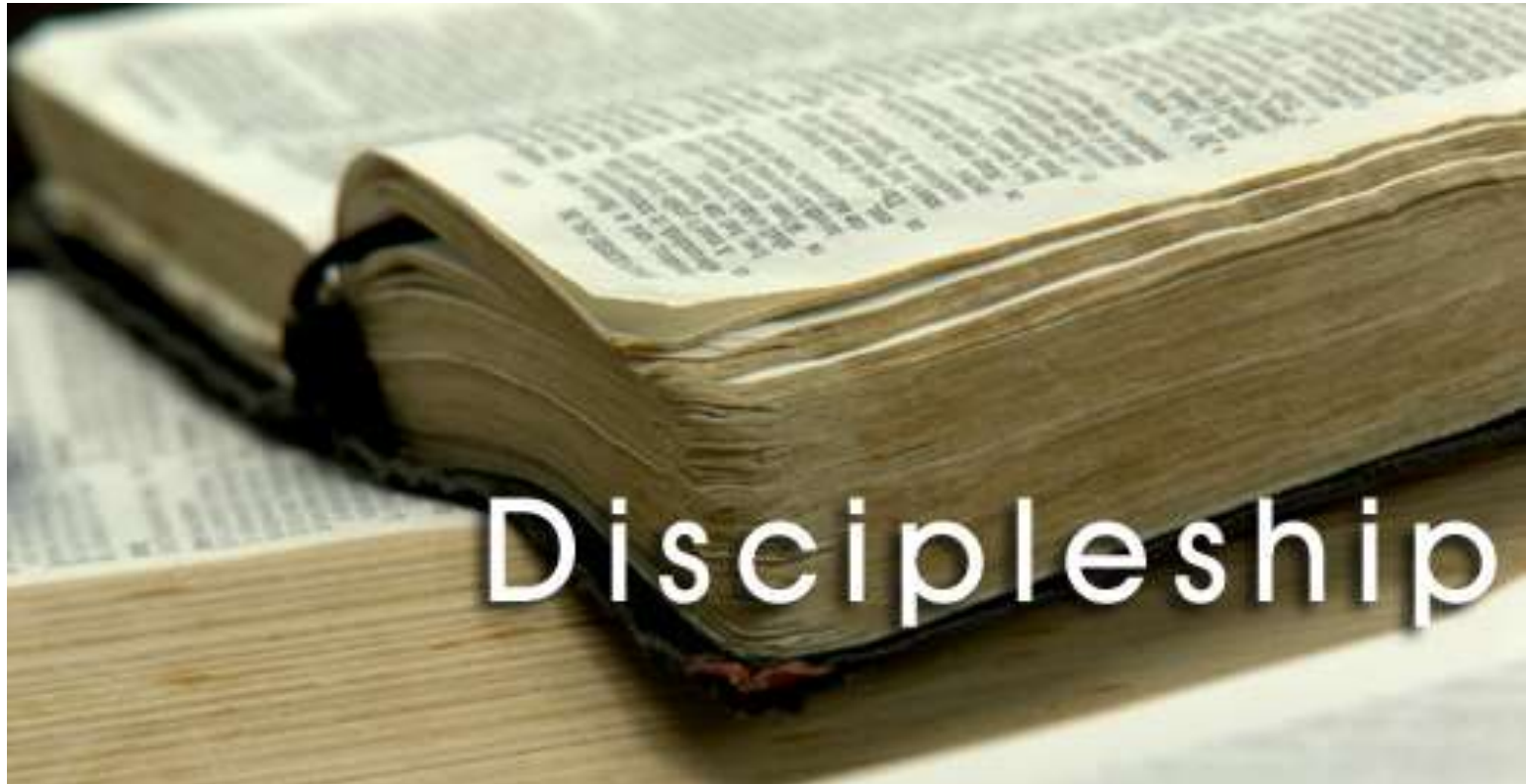
We are travelers on a road.



Are we tourists...



...or pilgrims?



**Are we learning about Jesus or
from Jesus?**

“Disciple...says we are people who spend our lives apprenticed to our master, Jesus Christ. We are in a growing-learning relationship, always. A disciple is a learner, but not in the academic setting of a schoolroom, rather at the work site of a master craftsman. We do not acquire information about God but skills in faith.”

Eugene Peterson

**We must look for the
“potholes” in the road.**





Power

Popularity

Possessions

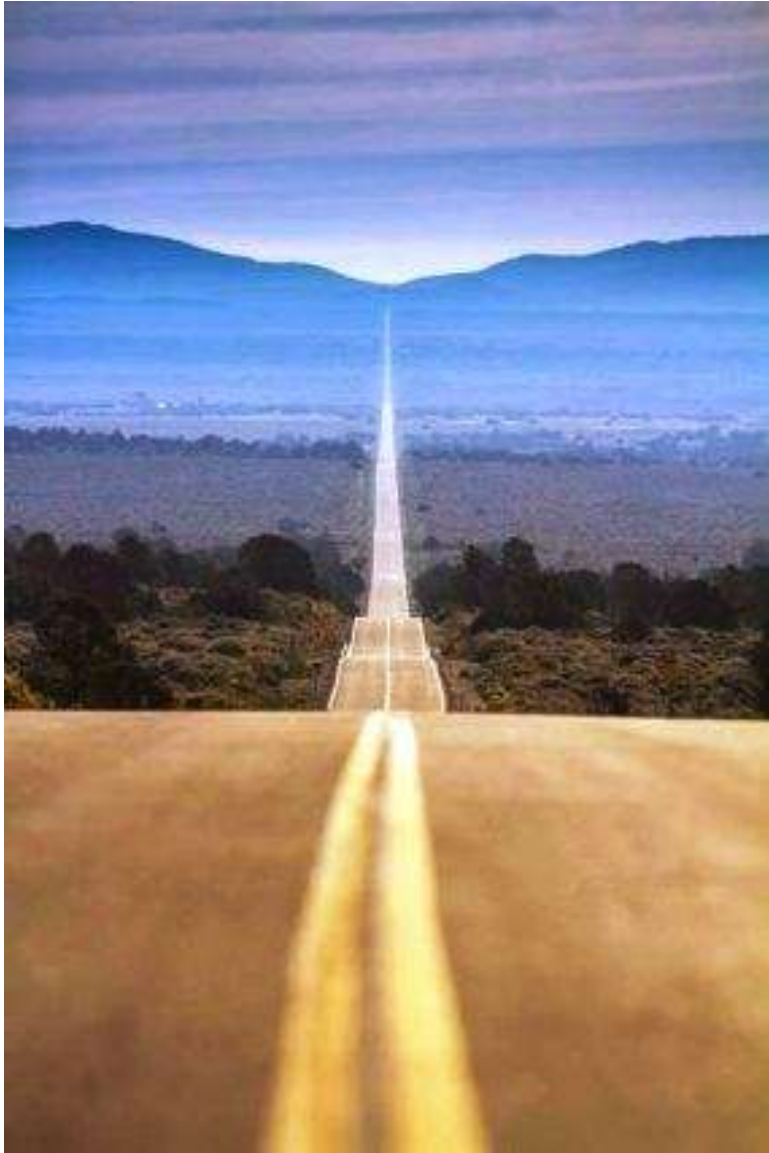
2 Timothy 3:1-5 (NLT)

1 You should know this, Timothy, that in the last days there will be very difficult times. 2 For people will love only themselves and their money. They will be boastful and proud, scoffing at God, disobedient to their parents, and ungrateful. They will consider nothing sacred. 3 They will be unloving and unforgiving; they will slander others and have no self-control. They will be cruel and hate what is good. 4 They will betray their friends, be reckless, be puffed up with pride, and love pleasure rather than God. 5 They will act religious, but they will reject the power that could make them godly. Stay away from people like that!

We must learn the rules of the road.







Right road

Right map

Stay alert

Stay focused

“The journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step.”

So does the journey to heaven.

