

**GOING  
NOWHERE!**



*Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you.*

*Matthew 28:19-20*

# Disciple Makers



**JESUS COMMISSIONED**  
**a self-perpetuating forest for Him**





# HOW DO I MAKE A DISCIPLE?



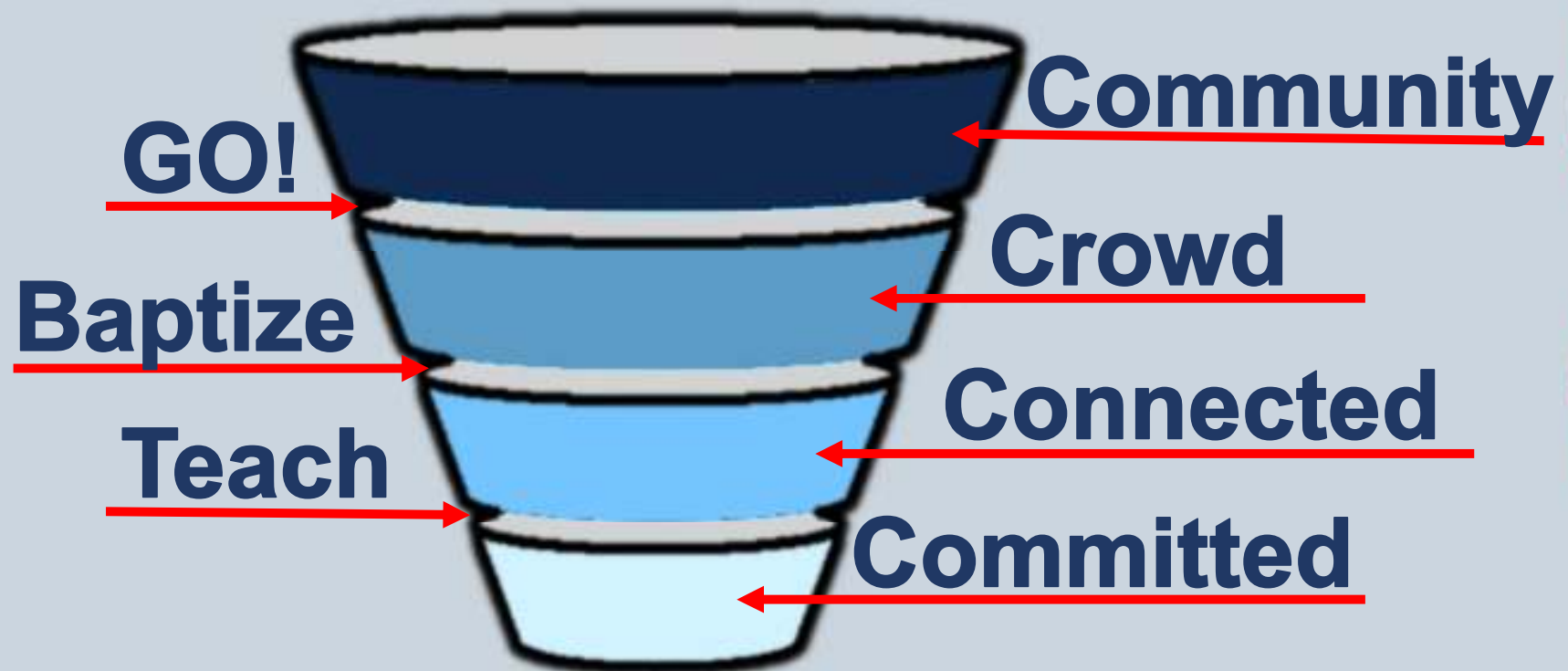
**Community**

**Crowd**

**Connected**

**Committed**

# HOW DO I MAKE A DISCIPLE?



# WHEN ARE THEY A DISCIPLE?

**Most people using these declare you a disciple when you reach the lower middle or the bottom level**

**It fixes one problem because it starts out making following about Jesus and not about church, Plus it encourages genuine outreach but it falls flat in truly understanding discipleship**

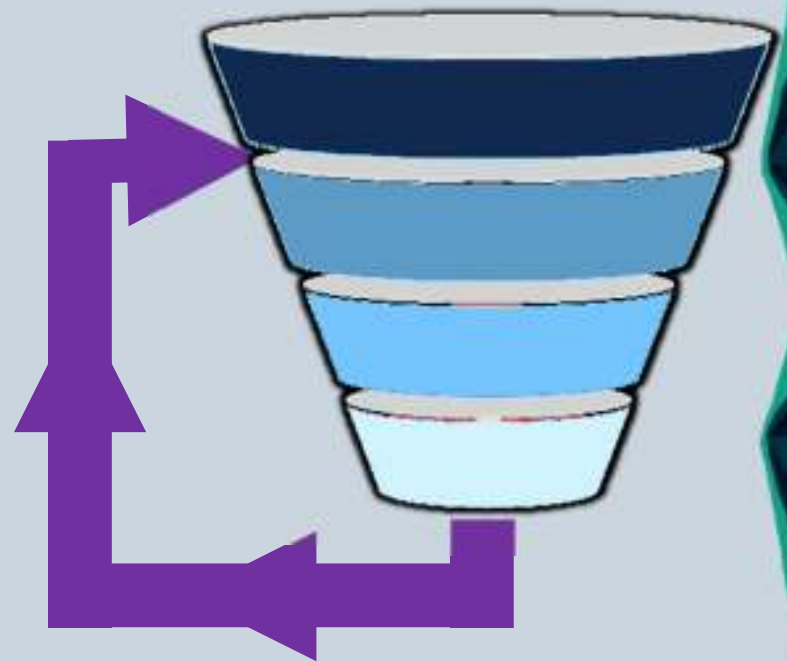
**Something is still missing!**



# THE MISSING PIECE

When you come out of the bottom of the funnel you don't just drop into never, never, land

However, you go back as a person trying to gather a crowd to help people make a connection so that become committed and follow

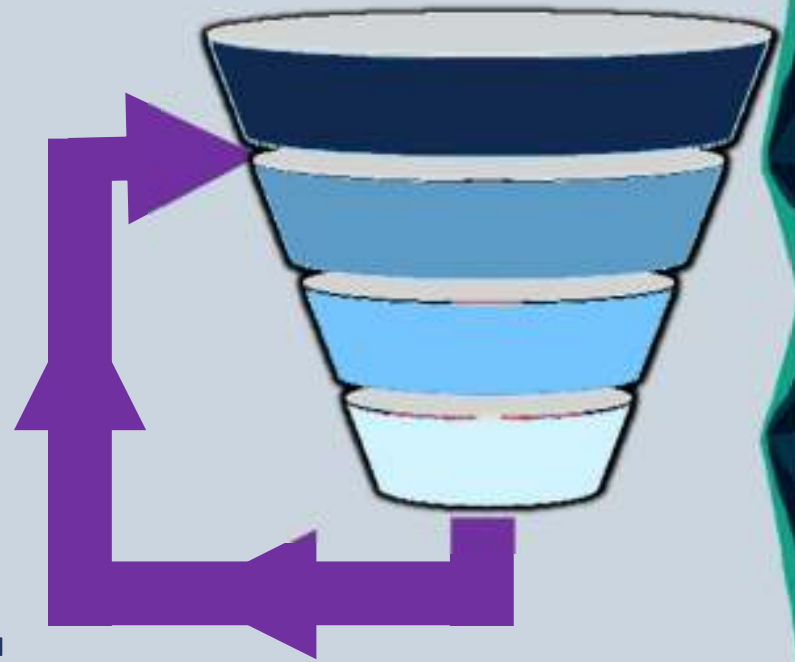


## Self-feeding Fountain



# WHAT IS A DISCIPLE?

A disciple of Jesus becomes one who heard, and believed, chose to follow and is now going







# UNDERSTANDING Go!

Go the adjective: functioning properly. (“All systems go”)

A disciple is not a property manager

When Jesus said go, he did not mean go to a building look and make sure things are working

The idea was not to build a functioning system that we are just in charge of maintaining



# UNDERSTANDING Go!

An attempt or try at something.

**(I thought I'd give it a go)**

Trying to go is not going

Attempting to go is not going

Dreaming about going is not going

If all you going to do is try, attempt or dream about going then you will never actually go because there will always be one more thing you need to do before you can go.



# UNDERSTANDING Go!

A person's turn to use or do something. **(It's your go)**

Go did not mean you only did is once

It does not mean you did your part and now you are done

There is only one kind of disciple that is done going, are those would be the ones that are sitting with Jesus





# UNDERSTANDING Go!

**Move from one place to another: travel, to leave or depart**

**You cannot be a goer and a stayer**

**Go is all about movement**

**In the Jesus model growing is all about going  
(If you never go, you never grow)**



# ON THE Go!

**This does not mean there are not moments you have to sit down and rest**

**It does not mean you go and never come back**

**It does not mean every disciple is what we have labeled a missionary**



# ON THE Go!

**Missionaries are people that are set aside for a specific mission**



While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, “Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them.” So, after they had fasted and prayed, they placed their hands on them and sent them off.

**Acts 13:2-3**



# ON THE Go!

**Disciples are commissioned for the ongoing mission**

**But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”**



**Acts 1:8**

# ON THE Go!

**Who:** Going is for anybody that has received the Holy Spirit



**What:** Going is for anybody that has met and has a relationship with Jesus (**Witness**)

# **BEING A WITNESS**

**Witnessing is not advertising come to church and here our preacher**

**You cannot witness without talking about Jesus**

**You can witness and never quote a single scripture from the Bible**

**Witnessing is telling your story about you and Jesus to somebody that does not have a story**





# IT IS OUR RESPONSIBILITY

We are therefore Christ's **ambassadors**, as though God were making his appeal through us.

2 Corinthians 5:20



**Ambassador:** A person who acts as a representative or promoter of a specified activity

# BEING AN AMBASSADOR

**Where: going is not a destination  
it's about where you go**

**Going, is in your Jerusalem  
(Your Relationships)**

**Going, is in your Judea (People You Know)**

**Going is in Samaria (People You Meet)**

**Going is in Anywhere and Anywhere there  
are people**



*Impact Your World*  
***Prayer  
Time***

