

Discipleship is Like....

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The goal of the Gospel is to create disciples. This is because disciples glorify God, and disciples receive the inheritance. If I put on discipleship, what is that like? What mindset am I applying? In 2 Timothy 2 Paul reminds Timothy how important it is to remain faithful in all things. His point is that disciples will need to “wear many hats”, so to speak. In that chapters he describes 3-4 similes of being a disciple.

1. The Mind of an Athlete - 2 Timothy 2:5, 1 Corinthians 9:25-27

- a. According to rules
- b. Mindful of the prize
- c. Discipline of the body

2. The Mind of a Farmer - 2 Timothy 2:6, Mark 4

- a. Trusting in God that the seed will produce
- b. Working hard with the crops in mind

3. The Mind of a Soldier - 2 Timothy 2:3-4, Ephesians 6:15-17

- a. Enduring Hardship
- b. Focused on the battle
- c. Properly equipped

4. The Mind of a Servant - 2 Timothy 2:24-25, 1 Corinthians 4:1-2

- a. Patient, gentle, teaching others in humility
- b. Faithful with their charge