

THE FORGE BIBLE STUDY
Lesson 4: Investing Like Jesus

Write down the seven verses in the Romans Road in order:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____

Movie Clip: Mr. Moore on the cost of following Jesus

Take a moment to think about what it will cost you in being a disciple-maker?

It will also cost in prayer

Movie Clip:

A major part of disciple-making is creating a culture for disciple-making. To create a culture is to create “community” a place where people can belong to learn about Jesus.

Read the following verses and note the elements God wants to be present in the Christian community:

Acts 2:42-47

Galatians 6:1-2

Hebrews 10:24-25

Colossians 3:12-14

I Corinthians 12:12-26

To create community is a risk, it takes investment. Disciples of Jesus walk and grow with people.

I. Who's In Your Forge

Who's in your forge? Who loves and encourages you, even admonishes you when you need it? Who always points you to Jesus and walks beside you in the battle? Write those names and pray for each of them now.

Ask God to help you identify those you hope to disciple:

What will be the first step to cultivate this kind of community?"

Read Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

How do these metaphors apply to living in community as God intended?

II. Filling in the Gaps

Read Hebrews 11:6

What faith answers are you looking for right now?

Where is God calling you to trust Him in the gap between your questions and His answers?