

“Jesus Says”: Facilitator Guide

Week 7: Matthew 28:16-20, “Jesus says, “Make Disciples”

Before you meet: Send out a reminder and encouragement to your ‘Ohana Group about attending group. Remind to attend one of the in-person services Fridays at 6:30pm, Sundays at 8:30am or Online Sunday mornings.

Be Prepared: Test out the video from the ‘Ohana Group Webpage by playing it and making sure it is working well prior to meeting. Print out any of the resources you need for the night (discussion questions and facilitator guide). Read through the questions ahead of time. Videos and Material found at hopechapelmaui.com click on ‘Ohana Groups.

Suggested Format:

- Welcome/Fellowship
- Pray
- Watch Video (video 10-20 min)
- Discussion Questions (30-40 min)
- Prayer Requests and Praises (10-20min)

Leader Guide:

Jesus Says— in this series we are focusing exclusively on the words of Jesus as recorded throughout the Gospels that will both challenge us and comfort us in the circumstances we face today!

Please encourage your ‘Ohana to be diligent in reading through the Gospels (Matthew, Mark, Luke & John) throughout the week. This will allow us all to have a better understanding of context and be more familiar with the teachings of Jesus.

As you use this discussion guide, feel free to use as many questions or as little question as you need to facilitate your ‘Ohana Group.

Discussion Guide:

-Read Matthew 28:16-20, out loud.

-PLAY VIDEO

‘Ohana Group Study Questions

(, Matthew 28:16-20, “Jesus says, “Make Disciples” Week 7)

1. In the message from this weekend or the video, what encouraged you, challenged you or spoke to you most and why? What applications for your life did you learn?
2. From this weeks Scripture, what encouraged you, challenged you or spoke to you most and why?

A Deeper Look

3. What are the four "ALL's" we see in this passage, and what are the implications? What is the main command?
4. Do you view the Great Commission as a joy or as a burden? What is the motivation and attitude that we should have as Christians when living out this passage? How can you personally grow in seeing it as a joy?

TAKING IT HOME

5. What does it look like to be a disciple of Jesus? What does it look like to *make* disciples, according to the passage? What are the *observable* ways you are/can be making disciples in your life-- both with nonbelievers and with other believers?
6. Discuss in your group: What is one thing you can do *as a group* to go to the neighborhood and nations? (Ex., praying for a missionary, helping out a neighbor in need, etc.)
7. What things are you already doing that you could make more purposeful for making disciples? Who has God already put in your life that you could disciple, or mentor? Take some time to pray for one another and ask God for opportunities to help someone grow as a disciple of Christ.

HOMEWORK

Spend some time during this series reading the Gospels—Matthew, Mark, Luke and John.

PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES
