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TITLE: Changing Your Mind About Discipleship

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Here are three key things to believe and consider about true discipleship...

- 1. If the Church keeps doing what it has been doing for decades in connection to disciple-making, we will continue to see a decline in Christianity in our time. When we began to believe a small gospel that was man-centered and focused on our afterlife in heaven while we attended church and tried not to sin here on Earth, we lost the one true mission of the church: make disciples. There is no better time than today to start changing our minds, changing the church and changing the world!
- 2. **God's eternal purpose has always been to fill the world with his glory-what he is like, his essence and love**. The grand mystery of the ages is that he always planned to do that through disciples of Jesus, filled with his own Spirit, making more disciples of Jesus all over the world. Every nation, every state, every city, every neighborhood, tribe and tongue. We *get to* be a part of the fulfillment of his eternal purpose.
- 3. Talk through these "shifts in thinking" with your church leaders, staff, or community. Decide on what the implications are for you and your people. Remembering that discipleship starts at home—the leaders' home—and moves outward from there. Get into a coaching relationship to learn how to be a disciple-making church or leader. Chances are, you were never discipled in a way that the gospel spoke into and transformed every area of your life. Don't stay stuck, be humble and get some help!

Find out more about being personally coached by Caesar: 123lifeschool.com/coaching

In light of this topic, you might also find this helpful: These 3 Things Are True Discipleship Killers

Thanks for listening... we'll see you in the next episode! *Caesar & Heath*