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TITLE: **Discipleship Is Spiritually Re-Parenting People**

So many people have never been taught basic life skills, and certainly not how to view all of life through the lens of the Gospel. Discipleship, the way that Jesus did it, was completely holistic and touched all areas of his disciples' lives.

Here are three things to believe and consider about discipleship seen as re-parenting others:

1. **God calls and empowers us to be spiritual parents to others.** Just like we needed human parents to guide and train us for life (though not perfect), we also need parenting for life in God's family. (Which we will also not do perfectly.) Will you allow God to bring people into your life who need re-parenting in light of the Gospel and our Father's good household? Will you love and guide them for His glory rather than their opinion of you?
2. **Teaching, modeling, and sharing the love of God and his grace with others is our highest calling!** In Christ, we have been given a new identity, we share in his authority here on Earth, and we have inherited great privilege as sons and daughters of the King. Walking in light of all of this and teaching younger siblings (in both age or maturity) how the gospel speaks into and transforms all of life is a privilege and part of Jesus' great co-mission to us all.
3. **Who specifically has God placed in your life that needs re-parenting in the Kingdom and family of God?** This may seem new or even a little weird at first, but I want to encourage you to start embracing your re-parenting role in the lives of those you are discipling as you help them experience the full inheritance and life that Jesus came to give us! Just like in human parenting, you'll need to trust the Spirit and you will get better at this as you go along. God is with you!

You might also find this post and video helpful: [The Best Parenting Advice I Ever Got](#)

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