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All scriptures are printed verbatim with translations noted.

Part 7: Disciples Refrain

Matthew 28:18-20 (ESV)-And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

DEFINING DISCIPLE

A Genuine Disciple is a BELIEVER, FOLLOWER, WORSHIPPER, and IMITATOR of Jesus Christ.

*Disciples serve lovingly.
Disciples serve willingly.
Disciples serve accordingly.
Disciples serve purposefully.*

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Disciples Refrain

1. REFRAIN FROM SIN

Titus 2:11-12 (ESV)- For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age,

1 Corinthians 6:12 (ESV)-"All things are lawful for me," but not all things are helpful. "All things are lawful for me," but I will not be enslaved by anything.

2. REFRAIN FROM DISTRACTION

Titus 2:11-12 (ESV)- For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age,

1 John 2:17 (ESV)-And the world is passing away along with its desires, but whoever does the will of God abides forever.

3. REFRAIN FROM AIMLESS

Titus 2:13 (ESV)- waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ... a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.

2 Timothy 2:4 (ESV)-No one engaged in warfare entangles himself with the affairs of this life, that he may please him who enlisted him as a soldier.

4. REFRAIN FROM INDEPENDENCE

Titus 2:14 (ESV)-who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.

John 15:5 (ESV)-I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.

Here Is The Point: The sixth principle to discipleship is self control.