Disciple 101 – Meeting 3

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Note: Hand out the leader's guide to everyone and have a different person lead each main point so they all get experience in leading (one leads 'How are you?', another leads 'Vision Casting' and so on).

(1) How Are You (30 minutes)

- 1. Before sharing always open with an opening prayer.
- 2. Have each person share:
 - 1. The status of last week's requests
 - 2. What they are thankful for
 - 3. What they are concerned about (want prayer for).
- 3. Pray in one accord.

(2) Loving Accountability (10 minutes)

- 1. Did you meet with Jesus everyday and do the John study?
- 2. Did you send a STAR text every day? Why are we asking for this? Both to help us daily meet with Jesus, to encourage our team-mates and to have something ready for us to share with others.
- 3. In addition to texting your STARs who did you discuss your STARs with? Why are we to do this? So we don't hide what God has shown us. To encourage others and plant seeds.

(3) Vision Casting (5 minutes)

- 1. 2 Timothy 2:1-6
- 2. Is everyone commanded to do v2?
- 3. What will it cost? (verse 3-6)
- 4. Are you willing to do it?
- 5. What will happen to those who don't do it?

(4) Discuss Gospel of John (50 minutes)

- 1. Have each person share how did they do on their one specific application from last week?
- 2. Have each person share for 5 minutes the key "what does God want us to know" and "what does God want us to do" (this includes their STARS).
- 3. Have each person come up with one specific week long application (of what they read this week) to do this week. Needs to be specific enough so we'll know whether it was done or not next week.

- 1. Handout the CD with 2 messages ("Why I believe in the resurrection" and "Easter 2014"). Have them listen to it multiple times so they'll know how to answer people's questions.
- 2. Hand out testimony sheet and have each person come up with first draft and go over it. Tell them to work on it and each one will share theirs next week.

(6) Goals (5 minutes)

- 1. Pick a day and time that everyone can meet.
- 2. Fill in the dates in the reading plan until the next meeting. Always have Review/Do day on day of next meeting.
- 3. Meet with Jesus every day by studying the daily passage with SOS Bible Study method.
- 4. Pray for the people on the "Fishing List" everyday and ask God who to add to the list.
- 5. Listen to the CD enough so you can answer people's questions.
- 6. Pray for 'divine appointments' to give the Gospel of John away and talk about Jesus.
- 7. Look at Long-Term Goals

(7) Long-Term Goals (discussed as part of Loving Accountability)

- 1. Give Life Application Study Bible Gospel of John to at least two people a month. Therefore:
 - 1. Develop multiple non-Christian friendships.
 - 2. Learn to share with people you meet in the course of the day
- 2. Start John groups with a non-Christian. (First try to meet once with them to discuss it, then after they see what it's like then ask them if they want to meet again to discuss the Gospel of John)
- 3. Start an A-Team with Christian(s).

(5) Fishing (25 minutes)