

## **“WHY MAKE DISCIPLES? PART 1”**

### **Titus 2:11-14**

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#### **Why make disciples?**

*“For the grace of God has appeared”  
“bringing salvation to all people”*

- I. Make disciples because God’s \_\_\_\_\_ arrived in \_\_\_\_\_.** (vv. 11)

**John 1:17**

*“training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions”*

- II. Make disciples so people \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ way of doing life.** (vv. 12)

**Ephesians 2:1-3**

*“We look at nothing but the world, till the Lord has drawn us to himself.” -John Calvin*

*“training us ... to live”  
“self-controlled ... upright ... godly”*

- III. Make disciples so people learn how to live to \_\_\_\_\_ God by grace.** (vv. 12)

**Colossians 3:8-10  
Ephesians 4:22-24**

*“Grace not only saves, but undertakes our training.” -Hay Aitken  
“I serve my Savior because I love him, and my love for him is fed by his love for me.” -Tim Chester*

*“waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior”*

1<sup>st</sup> Coming: *Grace* → Present ← 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming: *Glory*

**IV. Make disciples because we're \_\_\_\_\_ for Jesus to come in \_\_\_\_\_! (vv. 13)**

*"Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness"*

**V. Make disciples because Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ us from \_\_\_\_\_.**

*"We are released from the bondage of sin, in order that we may serve the righteousness of God."* -John Calvin

*"to purify for himself a people for his own possession ... zealous for good works."*

**VI. We make disciples because people need to \_\_\_\_\_ how to do \_\_\_\_\_ works. (vv. 14)**

- Exodus 19:5-6**
- 2 Corinthians 5:15**
- Ephesians 2:10**
- 2 Timothy 3:16-17**

2. These good works, done in obedience to God's commandments, are the fruits and evidences of a true and lively faith: and by them believers manifest their thankfulness, strengthen their assurance, edify their brethren, adorn the profession of the gospel, stop the mouths of the adversaries, and glorify God, whose workmanship they are, created in Christ Jesus thereunto, that, having their fruit unto holiness, they may have the end, eternal life. -WCF, XVI

*"We belong to God for his purpose and his glory."* -Paul Tripp

**BIG IDEA:** We make disciples "because God's goal is to glorify His beloved Son in the midst of the people He has rescued and transformed."