



When “*teaching them*” does not depend on having the *gift to teach*...

In Matthew 28:19 Jesus says that we *must* “Go and make disciples...**teaching them to obey** everything I have commanded you”.

The question is: Is this something that every disciple will even be able to do?

Not everyone has the *gift to teach*, so how will those people who did not receive this gifting, also be able to “*teach them to obey everything*” and in so doing make disciples of all nations?

And then you realize that *making disciples* and *teaching them to obey everything*, does not depend on someone’s *gifting or ability to teach*, but on getting the *spiritually hungry* people to be **taught by God!** (John 6:45)

And through the *Discovery Bible Study* this is exactly what is happening and we are seeing the fruit of that as more *ordinary people*, with no *gifting to teach*, are *fulfilling the Great Commission* in this way.

We desperately needed a strategy that will free us so that every *believer* can become a **Priest** (Ex. 19:6; 1 Pet. 2:5).

And we found it...

While it may not be *perfect*, it’s *happening*!

Paulina- a Priest in the Priesthood of believers



Sister Paulina and her precious family



Sister Paulina and her Discovery Group

Sister Paulina is one of those people who have become a Priest in God's Kingdom of priests.

While previously struggling with addiction, she was *drawn to Jesus* when she became part of a *Discovery Bible Study* group in her community, that meets once a week at a local filling station.

At the third or fourth meeting she shared with the group how previously she had a serious drinking problem and how it deprived her of sleep at night, but since she started this process of *discovering* who God is and how He wanted her to live, she stopped drinking and is experiencing how He is giving her rest at night.

"It feels like I was REBORN"- was her exact words.

Now she is devoting her live to becoming a disciple of Jesus every day and making more disciples in this way.

When we contacted her this past week, she was already fasting and praying for three days, pleading with God to help her to *tell people about Him* and to *protect His disciples against the evil one*.

Disciple-making being a *leadership-development*



"And what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men, who will be able to teach others also."
(2 Timothy 2:2)

After spending almost, the whole of July in Zambia and Malawi to strengthen disciple-makers, it was a blessing to catch up again with all the other disciple-making leaders in the network, across South-Africa and other parts of Africa, during the month of August.

God makes it possible for us to meet frequently via Zoom or WhatsApp call to *learn, share and grow* together, but during this month we were also privileged to again be able to travel to many of them across South-Africa to meet with them and their teams in person.

We go there to strengthen them, but we always drive away being *strengthened by them*, as they experience so many different *trials and*

tribulations, but their *faith* endures and they keep on bearing *fruit*!

They truly are the “*good soil*” people and the “*mustard seeds*” that has grown to become *trees*, that are becoming *forests*, as they are *multiplying*. I feel privileged to know them and to learn from them.

Together with this, the Lord has also been faithful in further answering our 2 Timothy 2:2 prayer, as He has been raising up more “*faithful men*” like our brother *Naldo*, who have been travelling with us wherever there is an opportunity. And the Holy Spirit has used it to both *convict and convince* him and others, to become disciple-makers themselves!

God's Grace in Ging!



We give glory to God for what He is doing through His disciples' obedience and the tool of the *Discovery Bible Study* that helps everyone grow in it.

Over the last two months, the Lord has opened doors for outreach into many new areas beyond Gingindlovu. Our teams are not only sharing the Gospel but equipping ordinary believers to become disciple-makers where they are.

By His grace, God entrusted us with 8 tons of clothing, which we were able to distribute after our outreaches as a practical expression of His love. Through these outreaches, we ministered the Gospel to over 2,500 children and adults outside our town. We are now praying earnestly for God to help us find *Persons of Peace* in each of these new areas — men and women of influence who will open.

their homes and communities to accelerate the *Disciple-making Movement* there

Here in Gingindlovu itself, God is moving. We now have two Discovery Bible study groups running in our local High school, led faithfully by two learners.

A mother in our community has also started a group with four women every Wednesday at 12:30. And God has opened a remarkable door for us in the “ghetto” — *please continue to pray for our safety and favour as we go there.*

Truly, there has been a great movement in these last two months. We thank God, and we deeply thank *Disciples Go Ministries* for the ongoing partnership and training that continues to sharpen us in making disciples who make disciples.

Abundant Blessings. In His Service.
Sandra Michael Perumal.



Dzaleka Refugee camp- Malawi



As we spent time during July in Malawi to strengthen disciples, we had the privilege of meeting refugees from Dzaleka Refugee camp, who came to meet with us.

After attending some of the training sessions we did, they asked if we could not come to the camp and train up the people in their network, to become labourers in the plentiful harvest that are there.

This past month brother Erick and Luke, who are part of our network, went there and had the privilege of training them in becoming *reproducing disciples*.

We trust that they will now be faithful in putting into practice what they have learned and in so doing bring in the plentiful harvest of the Lord

Thank you to each one who is so gracious in their giving to this ministry so that we can keep on supporting disciple-makers like brother Erick and Luke to go and make more disciple-makers!

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