

7. **I FULFILL GOD'S GLOBAL MISSION**...investing time, talent and treasure to spread the Gospel to the ends of the earth, showing compassion to the poor, and shepherding others to do the same.  
(Matthew 25:31-46; Matthew 28:18-20; Luke 24:36-49; Acts 1:8)

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**I will invest in God's global mission by taking the following action steps:**

8. **I MULTIPLY DISCIPLE MAKERS**...developing believers through a reproducible relational model, coaching and deploying them to do the same.  
(2 Timothy 2:2)

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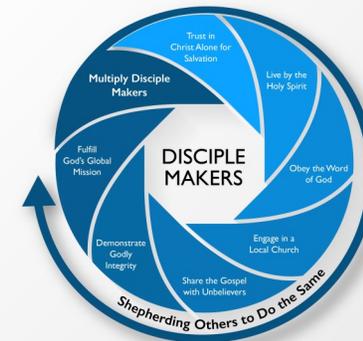
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**I will take the following steps to multiply my life into the lives of others where I live, work and play:**

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## Spiritual Journey Assessment Eight Characteristics of a Disciple Maker



**Purpose:** Midland Free's mission is to *Make, Mature and Multiply Disciple Makers of Jesus*. The purpose of this assessment is to help you determine where you are on your own spiritual journey toward the church's mission. The intent is not to make you feel inadequate or judged in relation to anyone else. What God is doing in and through you is between you and God; however, we believe it will be beneficial to share this assessment with another Christian with whom you have a close relationship (i.e., a mentor, trusted friend, or someone in your Life Group)\*. This assessment is simply a snapshot in time to help you assess where God may be leading you to rely on Him for His strength and equipping where the eight characteristics of a disciple maker are concerned. Note that true, authentic life changes take place only in the heart and within the community of believers. Jesus alone changes hearts and transforms lives.

**Before you begin:** In preparation for taking this assessment, choose a time when you will not be interrupted and find a quiet spot where you can concentrate. Let your heart be fully open to the Holy Spirit. Humble yourself before the Lord, trust in His deep love for you, and seek His leading and guidance in establishing a plan for your disciple-making journey—all for His glory!

**Instructions:** Read each characteristic of a disciple maker, along with the corresponding scripture references. Indicate on a scale of 1 to 5 where you currently stand regarding each statement. Then, address the "I will" statements related to each characteristic by writing a brief comment in the space provided.

*\*Note: You will not be asked to hand this in to anyone. This assessment is only between you and the Lord, unless you choose to share your results with a Christian friend.*

1. **I TRUST IN CHRIST ALONE FOR SALVATION**...repenting of sins and relying solely upon the atonement of Jesus Christ.

(Acts 4:12; Romans 3:21-27; Romans 10:9-10)

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**I will take the following steps to pursue a relationship with Jesus Christ:**

2. **I LIVE BY THE HOLY SPIRIT**...being filled and empowered by the Holy Spirit, pursuing a life of holiness, bearing the fruit of the Spirit in relating with others, and shepherding others to do the same.

(Romans 12:1; Hebrews 12:14; 1 Peter 1:15-16; Galatians 5:14-26; Ephesians 5:18-20; John 15:1-17)

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**I will take the following steps to pursue a life surrendered to the Holy Spirit's leading on a daily basis:**

3. **I OBEY THE WORD OF GOD**...living out biblical truths received through study and prayer, loving God and people, and shepherding others to do the same.

(Mark 12:30-31; Luke 6:46-49; James 1:22-25)

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**I will take the following action steps in order to obey the Word of God more fully:**

4. **I ENGAGE IN A LOCAL CHURCH**...worshiping in community, contributing financially, exercising spiritual gifts to serve, upholding the doctrines, submitting to the appointed leadership, pursuing unity, and shepherding others to do the same.

(Hebrews 10:25; Luke 21:1-4; Acts 2:37-47; Romans 12:6-8; 1 Timothy 4:16; Hebrews 13:17; 1 Corinthians 1:10-17)

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**I will make the following changes in my life in order to more fully engage in the life of my local church—Midland Free:**

5. **I SHARE THE GOSPEL WITH UNBELIEVERS**...making the most of every opportunity to evangelize and leading others to do the same.

(Mark 16:14-20; Colossians 4:5-6; 1 Peter 3:15)

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**I will walk through the following doors that God opens to be salt and light of the gospel where I live, work and play:**

6. **I DEMONSTRATE GODLY INTEGRITY**...living a life of moral and sexual purity and reflecting consistency between belief and behavior, private and public life, words and deeds, and promises made and kept.

(James 1:21; 1 Corinthians 6:18-20; 1 Thessalonians 4:3-6; Matthew 5:33-37)

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**I will add the following spiritual disciplines/boundaries to my life in order to live a life of Godly integrity:**