



## **Discipleship Roadmap**

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NOTE: The information in this study is an excerpt from the book **Paul, the Moses of the NT Church** by Apostle Kelvin Godfrey Franklin (Available at https://www.GalileePublishingShop.com or on Amazon, ISBN:978-1-953896-00-1). Contact Kelvin and Ramona at NTChurchMovement@gmail.com or visit our blog at http://NTChurchMovement.com for other Scriptural Studies or to learn about our evangelist outreach. You can learn more about the NT Church Movement Ministry on the last page of this guide.

#### APPENDIX B: DISCIPLESHIP ROADMAP

What should ONE DO after they have accepted JESUS CHRIST? What does GOD require of today's Disciples and Followers of JESUS CHRIST? These are discipleship questions that many have longed to have answered but that are mostly ignored by the Organized Church. Therefore, shortly before publication, the HOLY GHOST had me create the following Discipleship Roadmap in December 2020! This chart provides a systematic, step-by-step structured framework and self-study tool for growing in JESUS CHRIST, just as there is a systematic process to graduation, from elementary through high school.

This chart is a step-by-step guide to enable individuals to grow into spiritual maturity as NT Disciples of JESUS CHRIST. The Apostle's writings contain a framework for growing in JESUS CHRIST. This chart is based on the HOLY GHOST wisdom obtained over my years of ministry and studying the Apostle's writings. This list is <u>NOT</u> exhaustive, but it provides a framework. It was created to fill the discipleship training void that exists today. Most of these topics are covered in the basic and comprehensive book versions. (*NOTE: The comprehensive version includes two additional book sections on these topics along with colorful scriptural training aids in the appendices*).

NO.	SUBJECT	STEPS	DISCUSSION & SCRIPTURES	
	BIRTH	Salvation is the first step to becoming a follower of JESUS CHRIST!		
		Repentance	Everyone must <b><u>REPENT</u></b> to enter the Kingdom of God! <u><b>Repentance</b></u>	
			means <b>confessing</b> and <b>turning from SIN</b> . This step is <b>FIRST and</b>	
			<u>MANDATORY</u> ! (St. Matt. 3:1-8, 4:16-17; St. Luke 13:1-5; Acts	
			2:27-29; Rev 2:5, 16, 21, 22; Rev. 3:3, 19)	
		FAITH	MUST have FAITH in GOD and confess JESUS CHRIST as Savior.	
			Must <u>believe</u> in CHRIST's <u>virgin birth</u> , <u>death</u> , <u>burial</u> , and	
			resurrection! (Rom. 10:8-13; Heb. 11:6; St. Matt. 1:23; St. Luke	
			1:26-38; 1 Cor. 15:1- 20; Rom. 6:1-6)	
	ACTIVITIES SALVATION	Baptism	JESUS CHRIST commanded the Apostles to <b>BAPTIZE those who</b>	
1.			believe. JESUS was also baptized to fulfill all RIGHTEOUSNESS.	
			(St. Matt. 3:11-17, 28:18-20; St. Mark 16:16; Acts 2:37-41)	
		BORN AGAIN	Everyone <u>MUST</u> be <u>BORN AGAIN</u> to enter the Kingdom of GOD.	
			NT Disciples must be <b><u>BORN of the WATER</u></b> and the <u><b>SPIRIT</b></u> ! Being	
			born again is <b>NOT optional</b> . <b>THE ONLY WAY TO ENTER JESUS</b>	
			AND HEAVEN IS TO BE BORN AGAIN! (St. John 3:1-7; Ezek.	
			36:23-27; St. Matt. 16:24-28; 2 Cor. 5:17-21; 1 Pet. 2:1-3)	
		Be filled and	JESUS expects Disciples to be <b><u>FILLED with the HOLY GHOST</u></b> !	
		led by the	Walking in the HOLY GHOST is NOT optional but a commandment	
		HOLY	to those who follow JESUS. (Acts 1:4-8, 2:1-4, 4:31-35, 9:17; Eph.	
		GHOST	5:18; Rom. 8:1-4; Gal. 5:16-25; St. Luke 24:49)	

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2.	GROWTH	Read Scriptures Daily	Growth <u>CANNOT BEGIN</u> until one begins to READ the Holy Scriptures. JESUS commanded that man should <u>NOT</u> live by bread alone but by <u>every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of GOD</u> ! Peter writes a commandment that newborn babes are to DESIRE the <u>SINCERE MILK OF THE WORD</u> TO <u>GROW THEREBY</u> ! Peter fulfills JESUS' commandment to feed His lambs and sheep when he issues this COMMANDMENT from the LORD. ( <i>St. Matt. 4:3-4; 1</i> <i>Pet. 2:1-3; St. John 21:15-17; 1 John 2:21-29</i> )
3.	ACTIVITIES READ STUDY MEDITATE PRAY FAST	Study Routinely	Disciples are commanded to <u>study the Scripture</u> to grow into maturity. (2 Tim. 2:14-19; Acts 17:11)
4.		Meditate Always	Meditation is where we <u>commune with JESUS</u> . The HOLY GHOST speaks in our <u>HEART</u> to give wisdom! Disciples should always mediate in the Holy Scriptures! Disciples should commune with GOD and JESUS in the <u>THOUGHTS of the IMAGINATION of their</u> <u>HEARTS</u> . ( <i>Psa. 1, 119; Prov. 3:5-6; Phil. 4:8</i> )
5.		Pray without Ceasing	NT Disciples are commanded and cautioned to <b>pray without ceasing</b> . NT Disciples routinely fasted and prayed in the Book of Acts. (1 Thess. 5:17; St. Luke 18:1-8; St. Matt. 6:5-16, 14:23, 26:36-45; Act 12:5; Rom. 1:9; Eph 1:16; Col. 1:9)
6.		Fast routinely	The NT Disciples <b>fasted oft</b> after JESUS ascended into Heaven. Disciples did <u>NOT</u> have to fast when JESUS was on Earth. JESUS explains that some things require fasting and prayer. ( <i>St. Matt. 4:1-2</i> , 6:16-18, 9:14-17, 17:14-21; <i>St. Luke 5:33-39; Acts 10:30, 13:1-4</i> , 14:23; 1 Cor. 7:5; 2 Cor. 6:5, 11:27)
7.	HEART	Allow Scriptures to cleanse and transform your <u>HEART</u>	NT Disciples are commanded to be <b><u>TRANSFORMED</u></b> through the <u>renewing of their minds</u> . JESUS CHRIST sent the <u>Holy Scriptures</u> to <u>cleanse</u> and <u>transform</u> Disciples <u>HEARTS</u> ! ( <i>Eph. 5:25-27; Heb</i> 4:12-13; <i>Rom. 12:1-2; 2 Pet. 1:5-11; Eph. 4:17-32</i> )
8.	<u>WALK</u> UPRIGHT	WALK in Obedience to NT Laws & Commands	NT Disciples are commanded to keep JESUS' Commandments! Disciples are <b>forbidden to live in SIN willfully</b> but to <u>WALK</u> in obedience to the NT <b>commandments</b> through the Apostles' writings. ( <i>Acts 1:1-2; Rom. 6; St. John 14:15; Heb. 10:26-27; 1 Pet. 4:17-19</i> )
9.	HEART & Imagination	Control <u>Imagination</u> & <u>HEART</u>	Disciples <u>MUST start controlling their THOUGHTS</u> ! GOD destroyed the world in the flood because WICKED <u>THOUGHTS</u> filled the <u>IMAGINATION</u> of their <u>HEART</u> ! <u>CHANGE YOUR</u> <u>HEART THROUGH YOUR THOUGHTS</u> ! ( <i>Prov. 4:20-27; Gen.</i> <i>6:5-6; 2 Cor. 10:3-7</i> )
10.	WITNESS JESUS	Spread the GOSPEL	JESUS commanded Disciples to <u>preach, teach, and share Him with</u> <u>others</u> . GOD did <u>NOT</u> call Disciples to change the world! GOD called Disciples to <u>SAVE the world</u> through His SON JESUS CHRIST! We are to witness in every aspect of our life; home, job, travels, friends, etc. ( <i>Acts 1:4-8; St. Matt. 28:18-20; 1 Cor. 2:1-5</i> )
11.	GIFTS & CALLINGS	Seek & Understand your Gift and Calling	The HOLY GHOST gives <b>every NT Disciple spiritual gifts</b> . He calls some to ministry. <b>Disciples were never meant to SIT idly in</b> <b>Organizations as many do Sunday after Sunday</b> . Disciples are called to let their LIGHTS shine and tell everyone about salvation in JESUS CHRIST! ( <i>1 Cor. 12; Rom. 12</i> )

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<u>NO</u> .	SUBJECT	STEPS	DISCUSSION & SCRIPTURES
12.	SELF Examination	Make your calling & election sure	Disciples are commanded to EXAMINE themselves regarding their FAITH! Peter cautions Disciples to make their calling and election sure. (1 Cor. 9:25-27, 11:26-32; 2 Cor 13:5; 2 Pet. 1:5-15)
	FELLOWSHIP	Striving to "PLEASE" GOD	JESUS restored <u>FELLOWSHIP</u> with GOD! <u>ENOCH</u> was the first person to be " <u>caught up</u> " to live with GOD! <u>ENOCH</u> is in Heaven because he " <u>PLEASED</u> " GOD! JESUS knows those who faithfully live in FELLOWSHIP with GOD. <u>These disciples will enter</u> <u>everlasting fellowship with GOD and JESUS in Heaven</u> ! ( <i>Gen.</i> 5:18-24; <i>Heb.</i> 11:5-6; <i>St. Matt.</i> 7, 25:1-13, <i>Rev.</i> 2, 3, 21:1-8)

**Summary:** This chart provides a systematic roadmap for becoming a mature Disciple of JESUS CHRIST! You are encouraged to examine and study the Scriptural Patterns and the associated Holy Scriptures. These patterns will equip you with the knowledge and confidence required to follow JESUS CHRIST and please our Heavenly FATHER!

The book "Paul, The Moses of the New Testament Church" covers all the patterns referenced in this roadmap and provides further insights into living practically as an NT Disciple of JESUS CHRIST! It is available at our **Galilee Publishing Online Store** at https://www.GalileePublishingShop.com, or you may purchase it through Amazon.com.

May you have a blessed and wonderful journey as you seek to walk with JESUS CHRIST!





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