**BIBLE STUDY OUTLINE**

**THEME:**  Go ye and Make Disciples of all Nations

**TOPIC:** A Call to Discipleship

**TEXT**: Matt 11:28-30, Lam 3:27(Amp), Rom 8:29, 1Jn 1:1-2

Aim: at the end of the Study, the Participant should be able to:

1. Understand what the Great Commission is, and

to whom it was given

1. Understand what Discipleship is genuinely about
2. Understand the process and strategies that God might put in Place to take us through DISCIPLESHIP

**INTRODUCTION:**

The Great Commission was a Command given by Jesus himself, to HIS DISCIPLES according to **(Matt 28:19-20)**, it was an Instruction that was given to the Men, who have been with Jesus, who have learned of him, throughout his Lifetime. Therefore it was not given to Unbelievers.

Now looking at the Great Commission, you will understand, that it is God’s desire and heartbeat that Men will not only come to be saved (forsaking of Sin), but that they will also come to take up the Yoke of Discipleship, where they will be made to Conform to the Image of his dear Son, which is the Lord Jesus Christ **(Rom 8:29).** But before any Man answers the great Call to Discipleship, the First Assessment should be, has he had a genuine encounter with the Master? which is the starting point of a progressive pilgrim Walk with God. He must have surrendered his/her life to Jesus Christ and believed in the Finished Work of Christ at the Cross. Indeed genuine salvation is the Intro to accepting the Call to be a disciple.

Discipleship is simply the process of learning to become like Christ. It is a means through which God transforms mere Men to become a great instrument in his hands, through which he can subdue his enemies at the Gate. God cannot and will not use anyhow believer to actualize his purpose here on Earth it must be Men that have been made by him. It is a process that doesn’t have a duration of Completion, is a lifelong Experience of following Jesus daily and learning of Him. Though many Christians Today try to boycott the process or even avoid the process entirely, that is why we have several joking and unserious believers who can be easily tossed to and fro by every wind of Doctrine.

As we go through the Discussion, we will be trusting the Holy Spirit to open our eyes Further to who really can be a disciple, the various forms this process can take in our own lives, and the Consequences we stand to face if this great Commission is omitted in our life, before to others.

**QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION**

1. In Your Understanding, what is Discipleship?

**(Matt 4:18-22, Luke 14:25-27, 9:23)**

1. Why is it necessary that we (believers) should undergo this Process of Discipleship?

**(Gal 4:1-2, 1Samuel 22:1-2, 2Chron 10:6-10,13, Roman 8:28-30, Eph 4:12-16, Isa 52:10)**

1. What are the various forms/Channels, that God can use to bring Discipleship to our lives as Believers? considering the following Scriptures

**(Heb 12:7-8, Gen 15:1-3, 22:1-18, Deut 8:2-10)**

1. Give Examples from the following Scriptures, Men that passed through Discipleship and what can we say about the Outcome of their lives

**(1Kings 19:19-21, Ruth 1:6-19, 4:17-22, Acts 9:26-28, 13:1-3, 16:1-3, 1Tim 1:2)**

1. What are the Consequences of Omitting Discipleship in the life of a believer?

**(2Kings 5:19-27, 1Sam 5:10-34, 2Tim 4:10, Ruth 1:13-15)**

**CONCLUSION:**

it is ever Gods desire to give us rest over Sin, self and Satan, for these reason Jesus Calls all to come unto him and he will give us rest and to take up his yoke and learn of him Discipleship has to become our daily Experience not Just a onetime affair, learning of Christ requires individual Commitment, determination and Discipline. So that we may grow unto maturity. may God help us in Jesus Name Amen