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**“I WANT TO FOLLOW JESUS!”**

(Mark 8:34)

Big Idea: This is what it takes to follow Jesus.

**INTRODUCTION**

*\* 2024 RHBC Theme: “Making and Growing Disciples”*

 *\* “The Prerequisite: Being a Disciple*

**I. A DISCIPLE IS SELF-DISCIPLINED**

 **A. The Discipline of Time**

 **B. The Discipline of Mind**

 **C. The Discipline of Treasure**

 **D. The Discipline of Pleasure**

 **E. The Discipline of Communion**

 **F. The Discipline of Surrender**

**II. A DISCIPLE IDENTIFIES WITH THE MASTER**

 **A. The Identity of Faith**

 **B. The Identity of Compassion**

 **C. The Identity of Doctrine**

 **D. The Identity of Suffering**

**III. A DISCIPLE FOLLOWS THE MASTER**

 **A. A Single-Minded Focus**

 **B. A Continuous Obedience**

**CONCLUSION**

 \* Why? “For My sake and the Gospel’s” (Mark 8:35)