



# The Nature of Discipleship:

Recognizing The Bar  
John 15:8

**Disciple 250 + times Matt**  
**16:24 Luke 14:27,33 John 8:31**  
**13:35 15:8**

■ **Master 50 + times Matt**  
**19:16 John 13:13-14**

■ **Servant 130 + times**  
**Matthew 25:21**

■ **Work 250 + times Romans**  
**2:6**

**There are  
myths to be  
dispeled.**

# Myths

- **Salvation requires little upon our part**
- **Service in the kingdom is for an elite few**
- **Sacrifice is just an Old Testament ritual**

**We have a  
Master who  
has given  
instructions**

# Instructions regarding:

- **Priority**      **Matthew 6:33**
- **Family**    **Luke 24:26**
- **Service**    **Luke 24:27**
- **Dedication** **Rev 3:15-16**
- **Purpose**     **John 8:29**

**How does the  
concept of  
discipleship  
affect me?**

**What kind of  
church would this  
church be if every  
member were just  
like me?**

# Discipleship involves:

- **Decision**      **Matt 22:37**
- **Debt**            **Rom 1:14-16**
  
- **Duty**             **Matt 5:16**
- **Difficulty**      **Acts 14:21-22**
- **Delight**         **Rom 15:13**

For the true nature of discipleship to reign in my life I must:

- Dispel myths commonly believed
- Listen to the Master as He calls me to my place of service
- Examine myself to see if I truly am a disciple

