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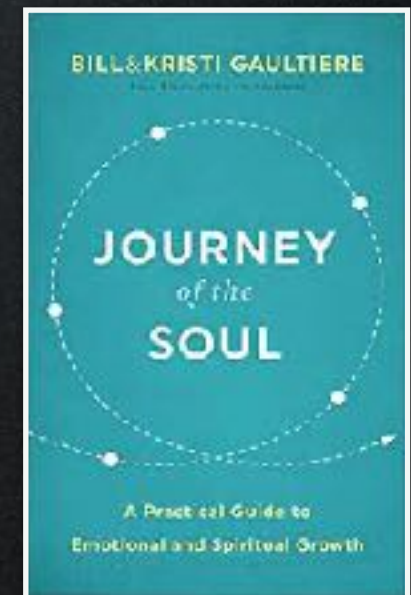
“The Divine Conspiracy Course”

Session 25 of 31

Chapter 8 - “On Being a Disciple or Student of Jesus”



Today's Special Guest
Dr. Bill Gaultiere *
“Becoming a Disciple”

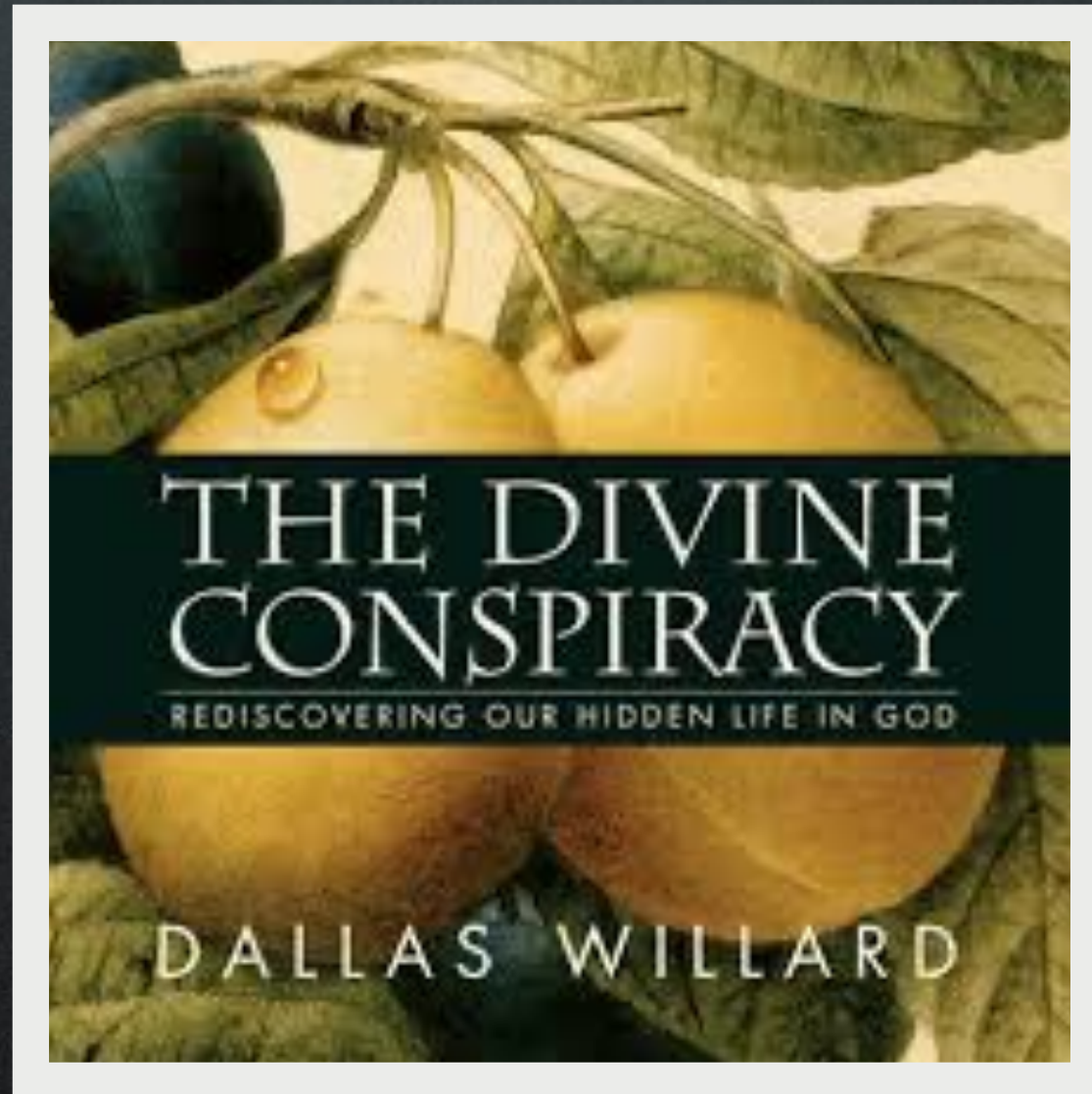


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REVIEW Session 24 - “How to Be a Disciple”

I am learning how to live my life as He would live my life if He were I.

My actual life is the focus of my apprenticeship to Jesus. I am learning from Jesus how to lead my life, my whole life, my real life.

(283)



“Simon, son of John, do you love me
more than these?”

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Session 25 - “How to Become a Disciple”

Discipleship remains, a distant, if only beautiful ideal....one can be a professing Christian and church member in good standing without being a disciple. There is apparently no real connection between being a Christian and being a disciple.

A disciple of Jesus is one who is with Jesus, learning to be like him. What, we must ask, is the state of the soul that would bring us to choose that condition?

The Field and The Pearl

44 “The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field. When a man found it, he hid it again, and then in his joy went and sold all he had and bought that field.

45 “Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant looking for fine pearls. 46 When he found one of great value, he went away and sold everything he had and bought it.

Matthew 13:44-46



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The only thing these people were sweating about was whether they would, ‘get the deal’. (292)

As long as one thinks anything may really be more valuable than fellowship with Jesus in His kingdom, one cannot learn from Him. (293)



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What Should We do to Become a Disciple?

Ask - “The rule of the Kingdom is to ask.” (295)

Dwell - “Dwell in His words and put them into practice.” “Read the four gospels repeatedly.” (296)

Decide - “I rarely find any individual who has actually made a decision to live as a student of Jesus in the manner discussed in this book.” (297)

Journey of the Soul by **Bill & Kristi Gaultiere**

C - Confidence in Christ

H - Help in Discipleship

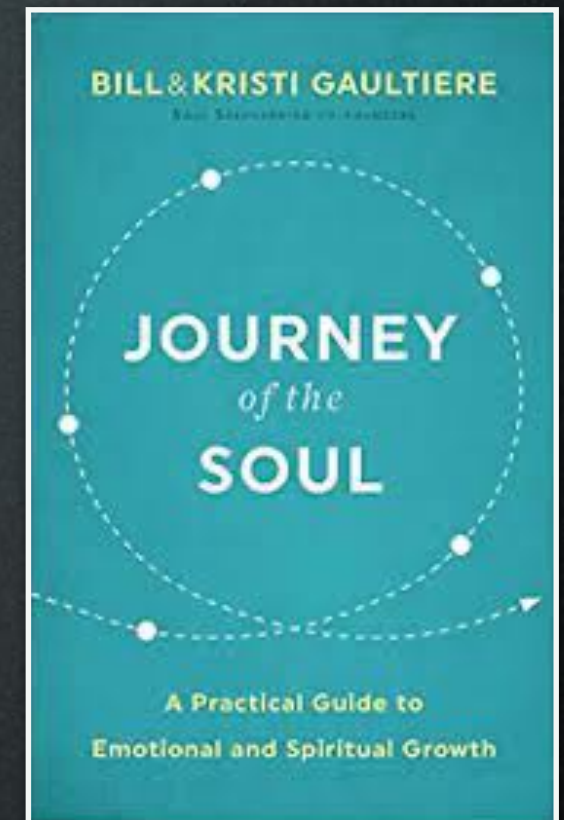
R - Responsibilities in Ministry

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I - Inner Journey

S - Spirit-Led Ministry

T - Transforming Union



Influenced by Dallas Willard, *The Divine Conspiracy*, p. 366-369
“Five Dimensions or Stages of the Eternal Kind of Life”

A Serious Call to a Devout and Holy Life

William Law (p. 56-57)

“For let a man but have so much piety as to intend to please God in all the actions of his life as the happiest and best thing in the world and then he will never swear more. It will be impossible for him to swear whilst he feels this intention within himself as it is impossible for a man to please his prince to go up and abuse him to his face.”

“If you were to stop and ask yourself why you were not as pious as the primitive Christians were, your own heart will tell you that it is neither through ignorance nor inability, but purely because you never thoroughly intended it.”



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Session #5 - "Salvation Confusion"

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Questions or Comments!



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“Imagine groups of people who acknowledged the Lordship of Jesus where the whole purpose was to learn from Him.”

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“The Divine Conspiracy Lectures” Session 5

1. Am I an apprentice of Jesus?
2. Am I intending to do all and be all the high things I profess to believe in?
3. When have I clearly decided to do them? How am I implementing my decision?



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“Help Others Become Disciples”

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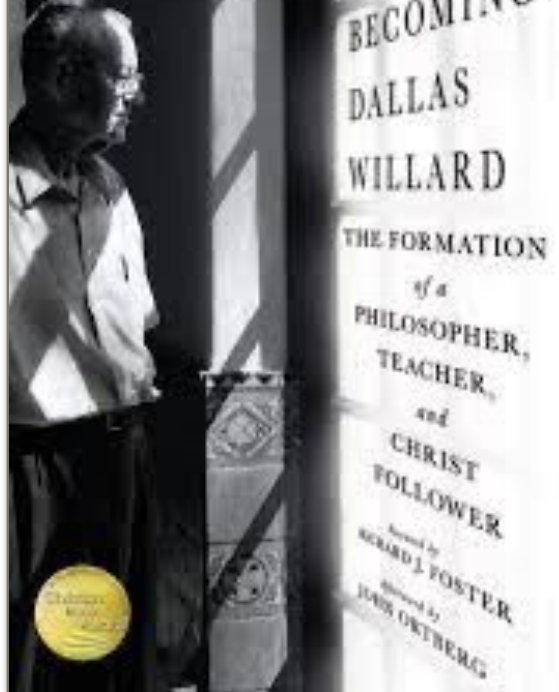
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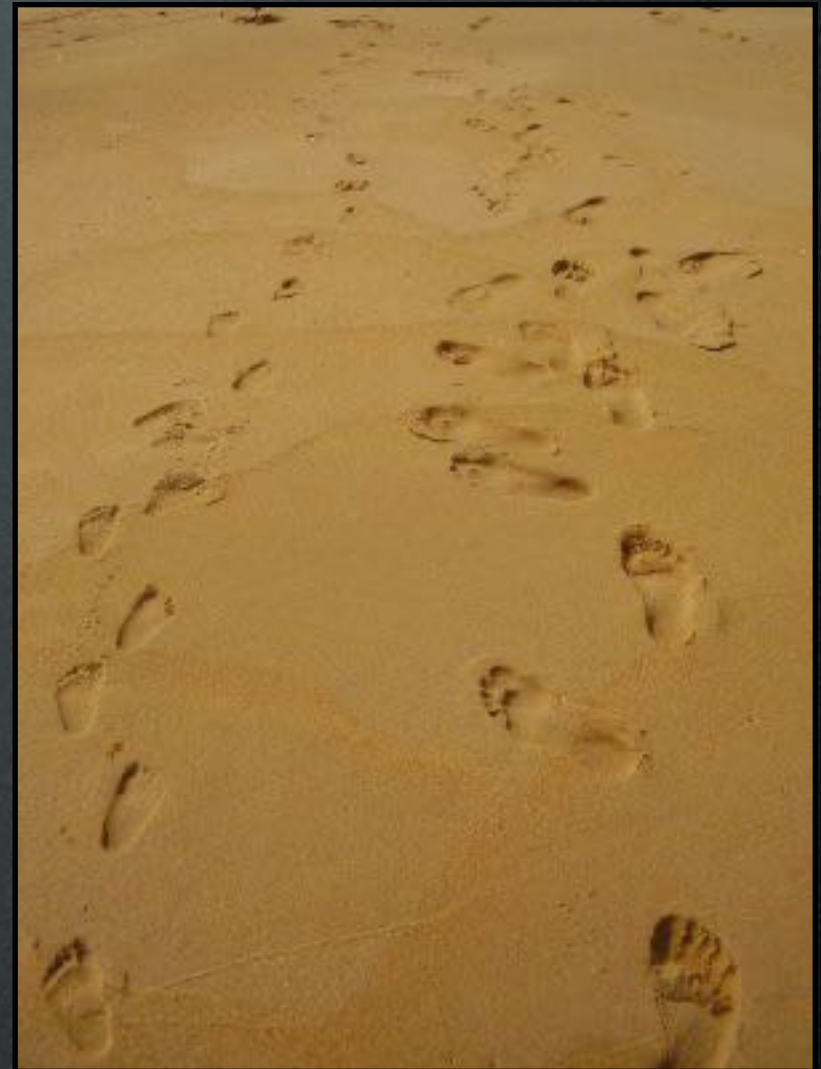
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