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DISCUSSION GUIDE

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Read Matt. 11:1. When Jesus had finished giving instructions to His disciples, what did He himself do? What do we learn about making disciples from this and how is it connected to Jesus' giving of the great commission in Matthew Chapter 28?

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Matthew 11:1-6

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- Read Matt. 11:2-3. What would cause John to now send a message to Jesus with the question, "are you the Messiah?"
- Read Matt. 11:4-5. What can we learn from Jesus' answer? Why does Jesus not answer directly with a "yes" or a "no"?"
- Though he was a good and strong man, John was not immune to bouts of discouragement. Do you ever have doubts or questions about what God does or doesn't do? If so, what can you do about it? (Read James 1:6, Matt. 21:21, and Proverbs 3:5-8).
- Pastor Larry in his message spoke on how we are vulnerable to doubting God when we are going through some hardship. Read John 16:33. How can this verse help to comfort us in our times of hardship?
- Questionings are not failures of faith but tests of faith and can be answered in the John the Baptist's way. When he had questions of faith, who did he ask to answer those questions and why?

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