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2 Timothy 2:1-13- "Think 4!" (Part 2)

"Think 4!" – 4 Generations

Generation #1 – all our Spiritual Ancestors (may include physical) – Paul, Lois, Eunice, our spiritual ancestors

Generation #2 – Timothy, you & me

Generations #3 & 4: those we then train & those our trainees train

Characteristics of a good "Generation 1" Coach:

- Warm: "*You then, my son...*"
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- Encouraging "*...be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.*"
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- Challenging: calling the one being disciplined to  
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*Cf. Matthew 28:18-20*

- Discipling is done best when we meet in 3 main contexts:
1. The Corporate Worship Level where we worship & hear God direct us.
  2. The Small Group Level for encouraging, caring, growing together.
  3. The \_\_\_\_\_ mentoring/discipling/coaching Level of 1:1 or 2:2.

➤ Endurance (3)

➤ Focus (4-7)

What we look for in the one we will mentor to be a mentor: a G3 who is \_\_\_\_\_ (has integrity) who can be qualified to \_\_\_\_\_ G4s. (2:2)

➤ Willing to be Opposed/Suffer for the sake of those God chooses

\_\_\_ I would like to *be disciplined/mentored*. (If you have a specific area of life where you'd like special help, please indicate that.)

\_\_\_ I am interested in *being a discipler/mentor*. (We will meet with you to discover your readiness, specific strengths, and ways we can support you.)

\_\_\_ I am interested in serving on a team to help coordinate this work.

Key: become a discipler; individual; reliable, teach