



**DISCIPLE MAKING:
THE MASTER AND HIS PLAN**

DEFINITION



DEFINITION

1

Unbeliever

2

Seeker

3

Believer

4

Disciple

5

Disciple Maker

Gospels	People	Crowds	The 5000 The 4000	The Three The Twelve The 72	Jesus
1 Jn 2:12-14	Unconceived	Unborn	Little child	Young man	Father
Heb 5:12-14	No food	Milk	Milk	Solid food	Solid food
Jn 15:1-8	No fruit	No fruit	Fruit	More fruit	Much fruit
Mt 25:16-18	No talents	No talents	One talent	Four talents	Ten talents
Mt 13:18-23 Lk 8:11-15	Seed on path	Seed on path	Seed on rock Seed among thorns	Seed on good soil	Seed that produces fruit

MISSION

“And Jesus came and said to them, All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. **Go** therefore and **make disciples** of all nations, **baptising** them in the name of the Father, of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, **teaching** them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

- Matthew 28:18-20

STRATEGY

MOODY'S ADVICE TO YOUNG PASTORS



"It is better to put ten men to work than attempt to do the work of ten men" se

EXAMPLE

Moses and Joshua

David and his mighty men

Elijah, Elisha, and the school of the prophets

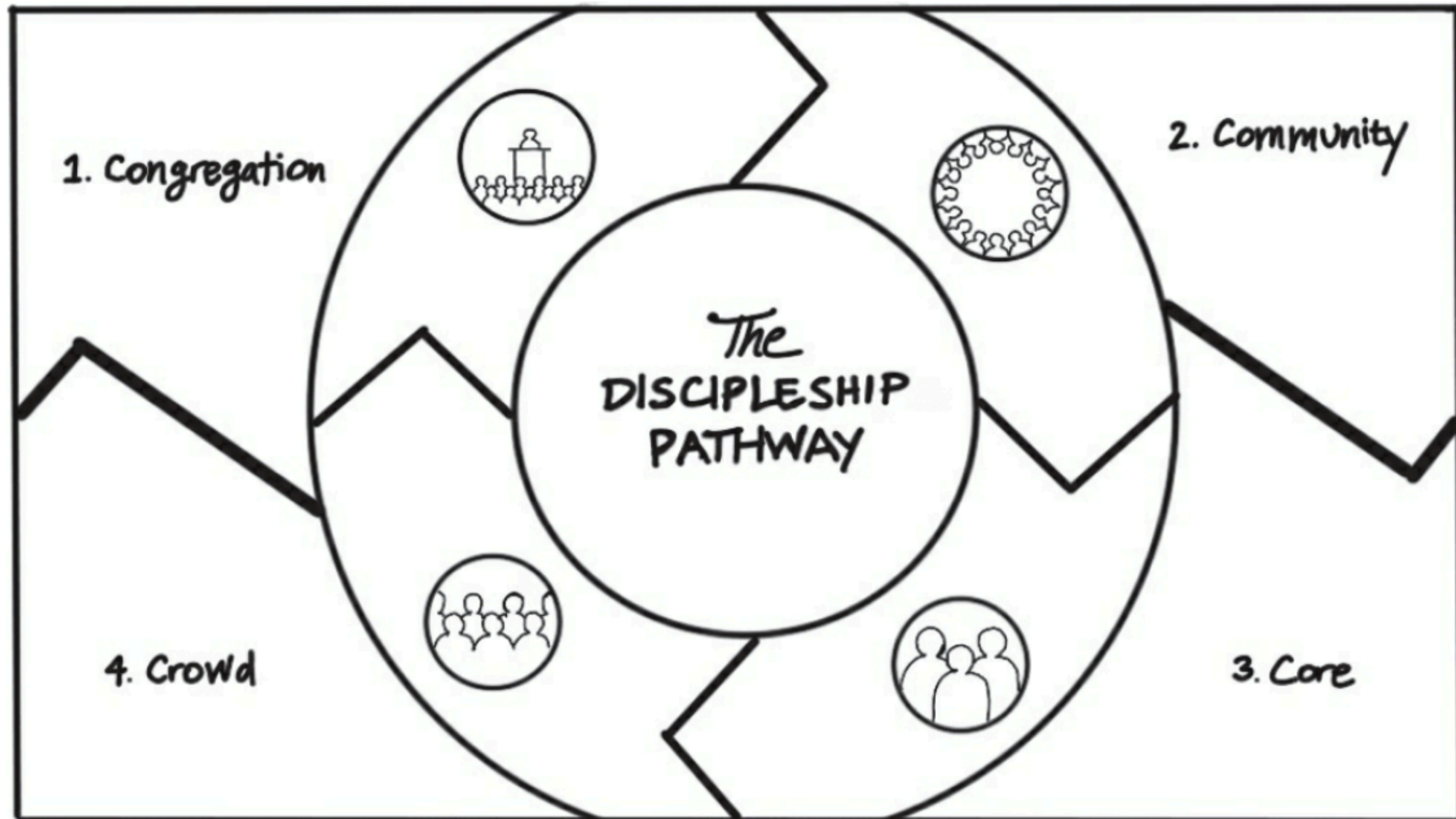
Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego

Jesus, the Twelve, and the Three

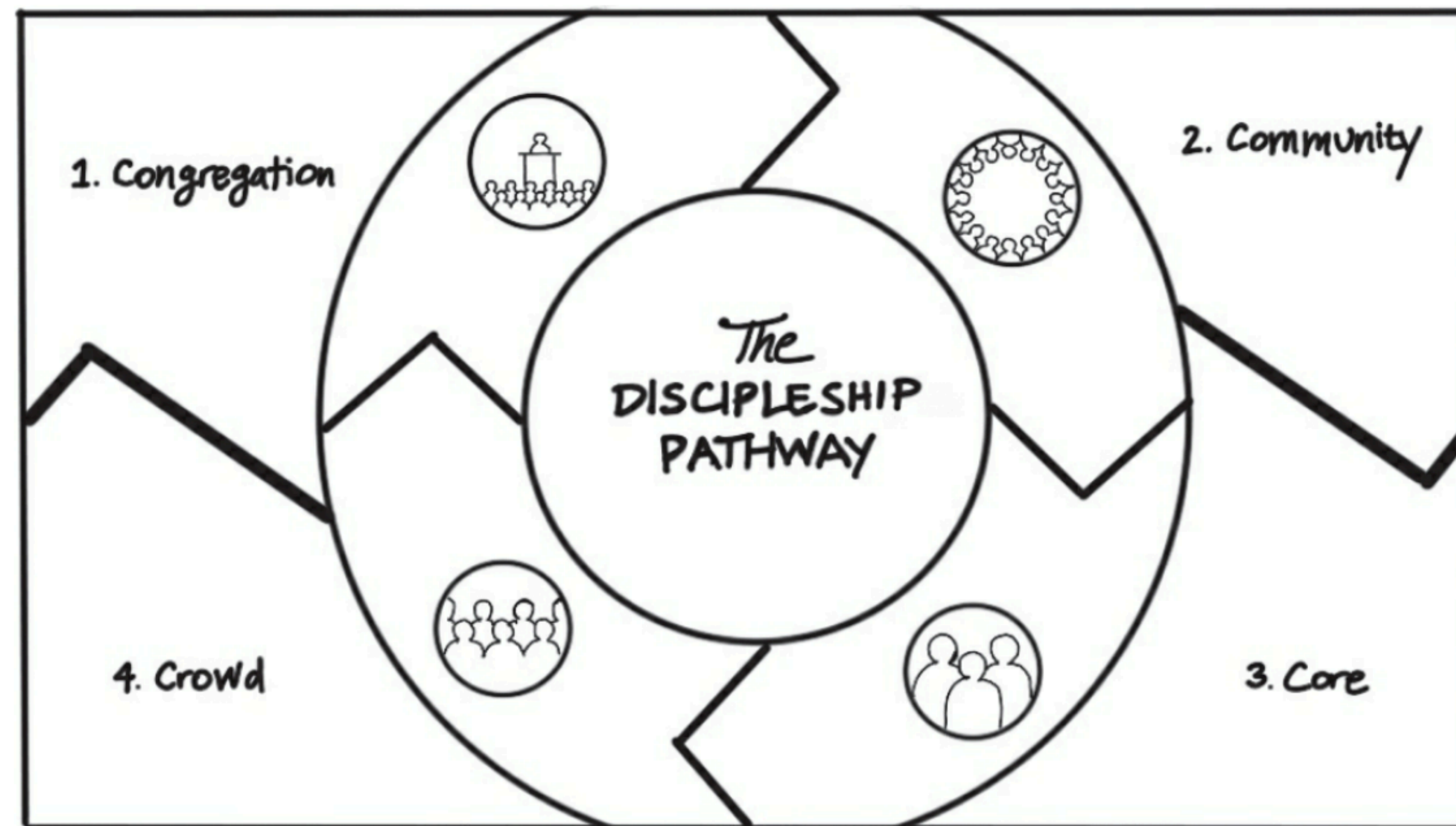
Paul, Barnabas, John Mark, Silas, Timothy, Luke, and others

Timothy and his disciples

DISCIPLE MAKING IN THE LOCAL CHURCH



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Congregation: Worship Gathering

Community: Small Groups/Sunday School

Core: Discipleship Groups

Crowds: Missions and Service

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discipleship.org From the book *Discipleship That Fits* by Harrington and Absalom

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DOCTRINAL ISSUES THREATEN PLA PROGRESS

Operational flexibility is critical to meeting military objectives — do PRC commanders have it?

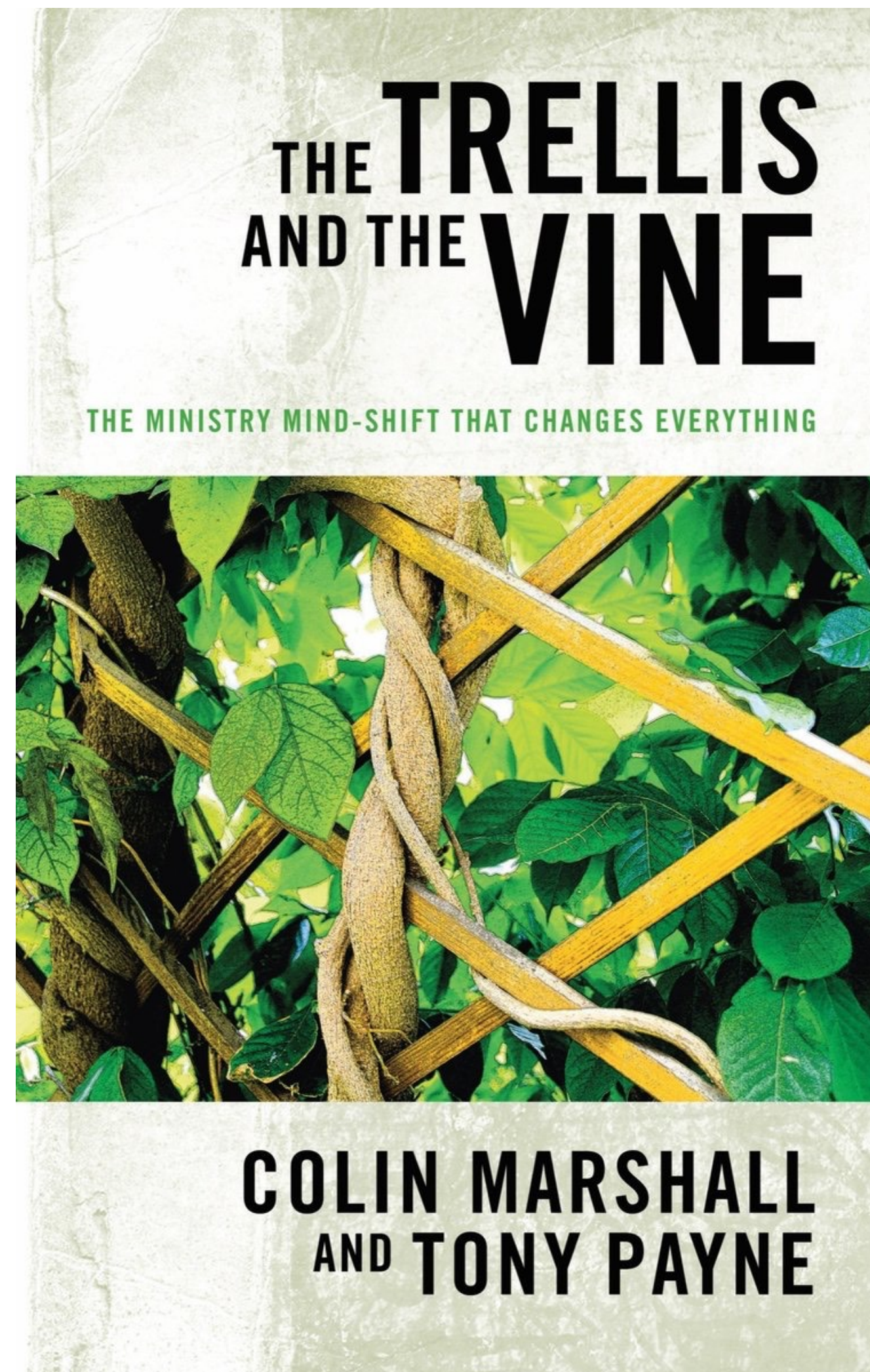
On June 22, the 35th Fighter Wing and the Japanese 3rd Air Wing executed a joint, bilateral “Elephant Walk” at Misawa Air Base. With minimal guidance, commanders were able to execute this under their own authority, validating our doctrine of centralized control and decentralized execution. Accomplished on short notice and under COVID restrictions, it demonstrated agility and our ability to quickly generate airpower.

The PLAAF is unable to execute an event like this because authorities are held at the highest level and their commanders are not empowered to make decisions like these. [According to RAND](#), the PLA’s “tendency to avoid decision making at lower levels and push decisions up the chain of command restricts the ability of lower-ranked actors to exercise operational initiative.”



U.S. Air Force Col Kristopher Struve, left, 35th Fighter Wing commander, and Koku-Jieitai Maj. Gen. Takahiro Kubota, 3rd Air Wing commander, shake hands in front of aircraft participating in an “Elephant Walk” at Misawa Air Base, June 22, 2020.

DISCIPLE MAKING IN THE LOCAL CHURCH



DISCIPLE MAKING @ CAVY

1

Unbeliever

“Come and see”

Engage

BLESS
The Story
Pray and Go

2

Seeker

“Believe in me”

Explore

Christianity Explored

3

Believer

“Love one another”

Establish

Sunday Worship

4

Disciple

“Follow me”

Equip

Life Groups
Inductive Bible Study
The Forge Dunedin

5

Disciple Maker

“Produce much fruit”

Expand

Disciple Making

SELECTION

Faithful

Available

Teachable

SELECTION

Johnny	Jeff	Dallas	Corey	Robby
Victor	Jeremy	Gary	Ron	Richard
Nathan	Bobby	Ty	Brad	Jim
Kyle	Sam	Bryan	Brandon	Rick
Aaron	David	Jason	Kevin	Monte
Steve	Mark	Jose		Chad
	Corey			

CONTENT

THE FOUR C'S

Conviction

Character

Competence

Connection

METHOD

Step Four

Leave

The disciple-maker leaves to train others.
The disciple carries on with the work.

Step One

Model

The disciple-maker does it.
The disciple observes.

Step Three

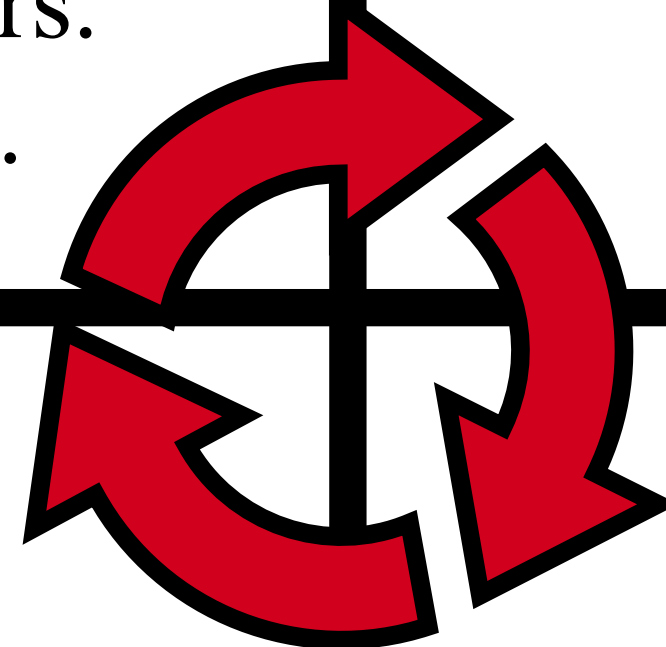
Watch

The disciple-maker watches the disciple
do it and offers feedback.

Step Two

Assist

The disciple-maker and disciple
do it together.



MULTIPLICATION

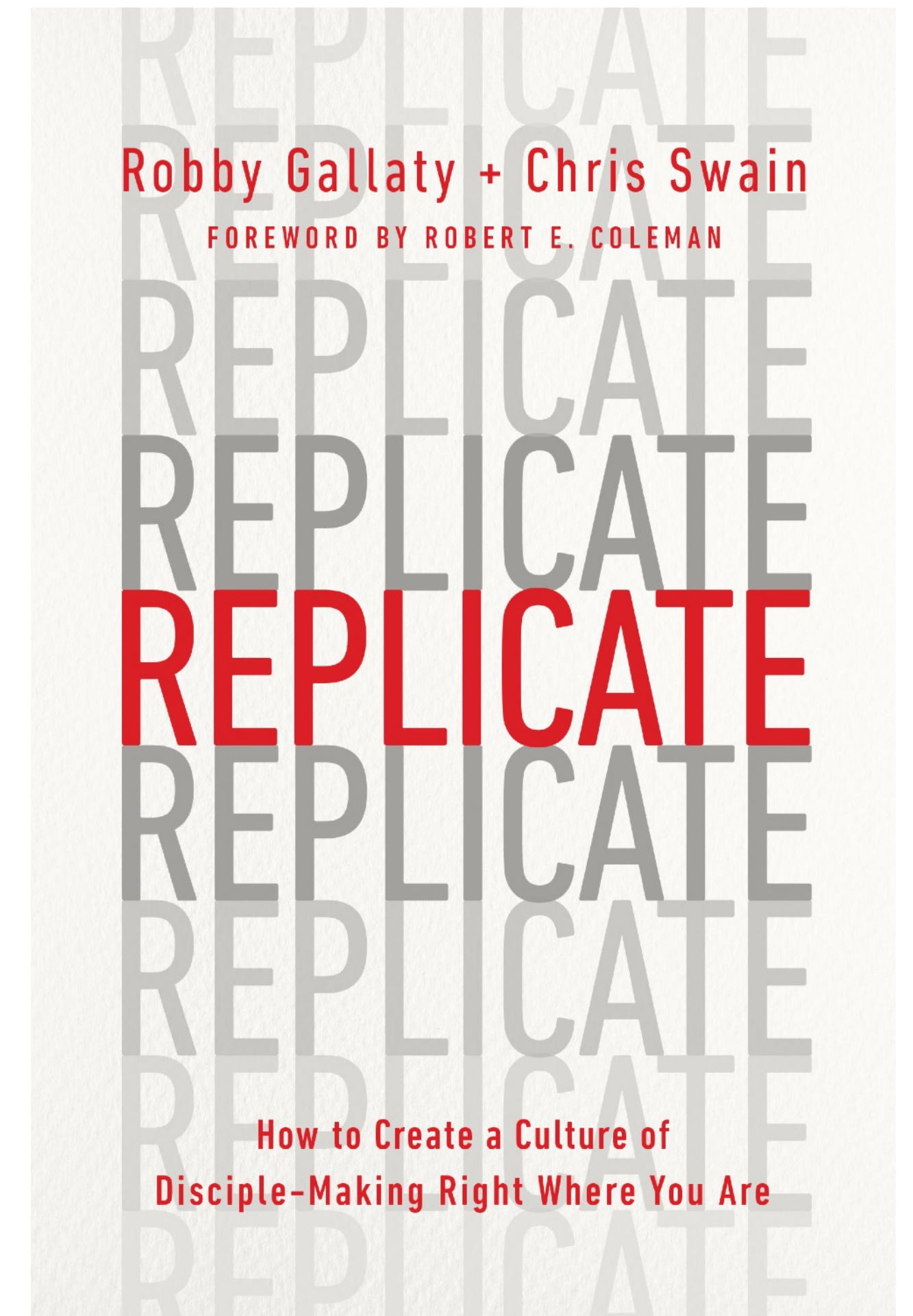
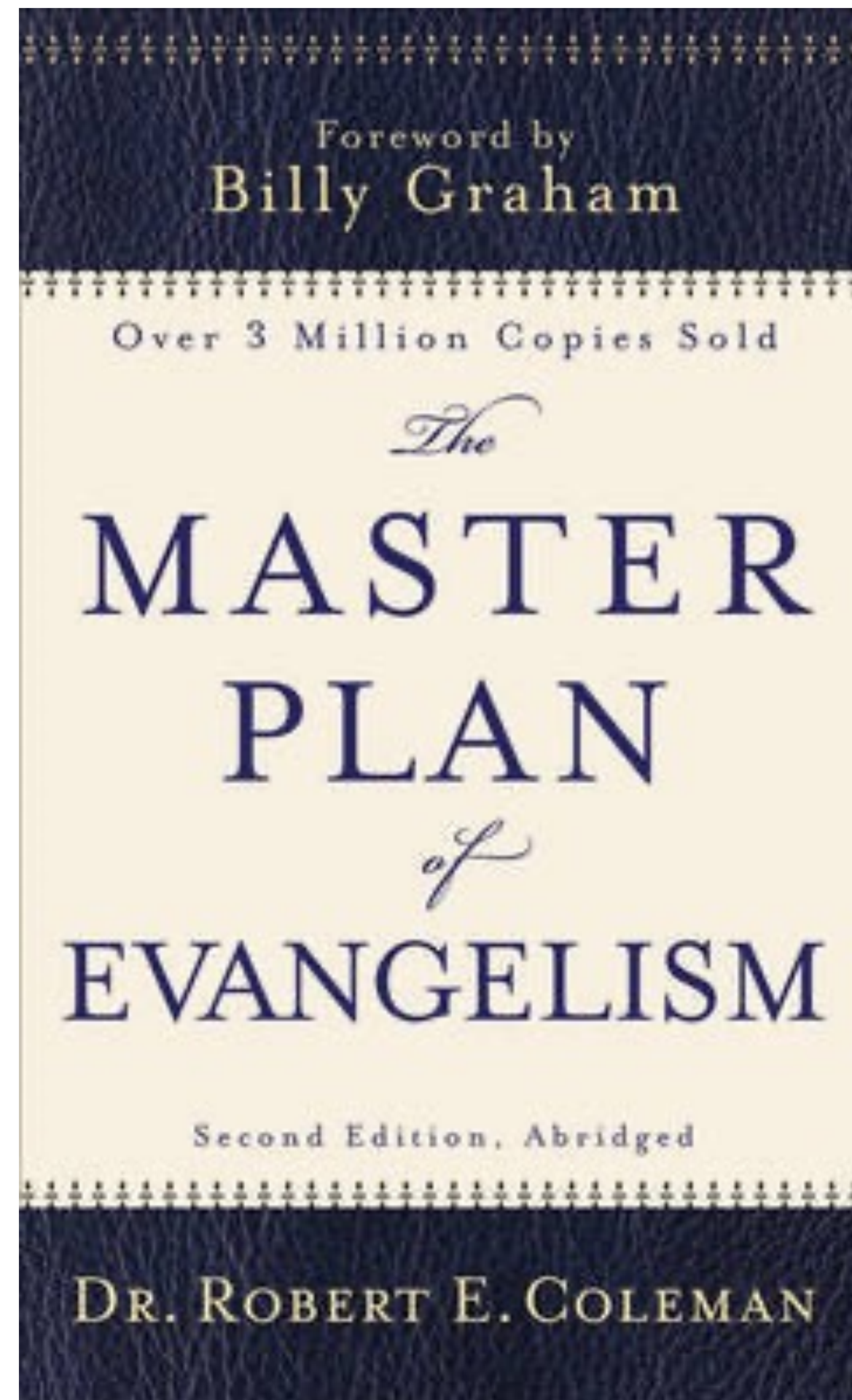
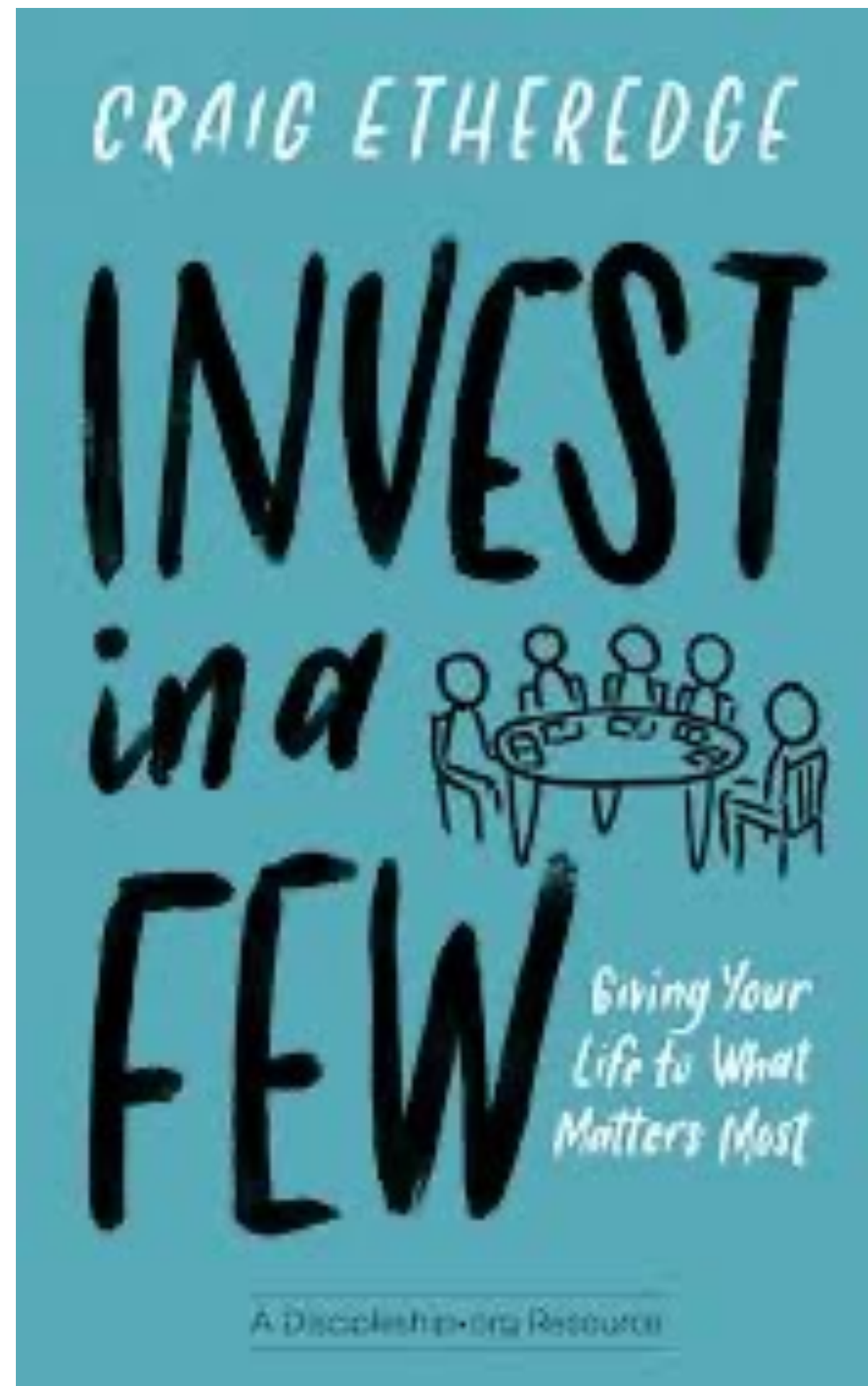
Year	Evangelist	Disciple	D Group of 3
1	365	2	3
2	730	4	9
3	1,095	8	27
4	1,460	16	81
5	1,825	32	243
6	2,190	64	729
7	2,555	128	2,187
8	2,920	256	6,561
9	3,285	512	19,683
10	3,650	1,024	59,049
11	4,015	2,048	177,147
12	4,380	4,096	531,441
13	4,745	8,192	1,594,323
14	5,110	16,384	4,782,969
15	5,475	32,768	14,348,907
16	5,840	65,536	43,046,721

REWARD

“One day, by God’s grace, you could see a movement spread from your influence that could literally change the globe and impact the nations in a way that continues until Jesus returns—that can actually happen!”

- Craig Etheredge, *Invest in a Few*

RECOMMENDED READING



MULTIPLY

AN INDUCTIVE BIBLE STUDY ON DISCIPLE MAKING

Multiply

An Inductive Bible Study on Disciple Making



Caversham Community Church
Dunedin, New Zealand
www.cavychurch.org.nz

NEW TRUSTEES

Nominated by elders and appoint by simple majority vote of members

Based on skills/gifts, good governance, experience

Elected to two-year term

Must be current members

PROPOSED CAVY TRUST BOARD

Current

Jeff Martin

Lindsay Martin

Ed Davies

Allan Ashworth

Pam Martin

Freya Johnstone



Proposed

Lindsay Martin

Ed Davies

Steve Reardon

Jeff Coleman

Pam Martin

Freya Johnstone

Lyndsay O'Brien

Neville Copland