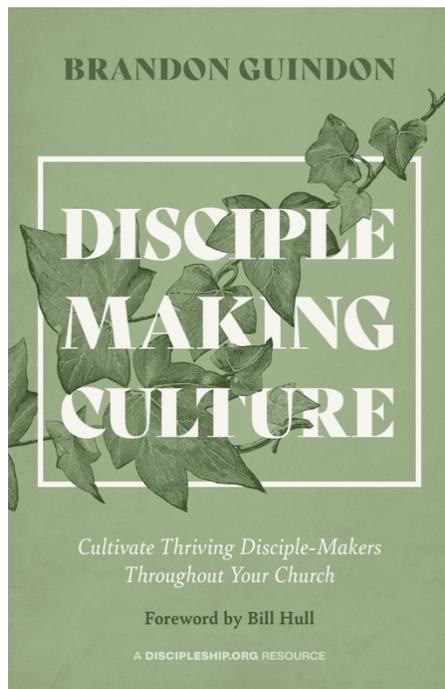


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IS DISCIPLE-MAKING “WHAT WE DO” OR “WHO WE ARE” AT YOUR CHURCH?

If disciple-making is really going to take root in our culture, it must be *who we are*, not just *what we do*. But many churches don't have the tools need to create a culture of disciple-making. *Disciple-Making Culture* will help you cultivate thriving disciple-makers throughout your church.



A PRACTICAL GUIDE TO HELP YOU CULTIVATE
HEALTHY CHURCH CULTURE

Church leaders who focus on programs, strategy, and curriculum can easily miss what ties them all together: *culture*. Cultivating culture is the difference between churches who flourish and those who flounder at disciple-making. Leaders must cultivate a healthy disciple-making culture. But how?

Author Brandon Guindon's book *Disciple-Making Culture* provides a how-to guide for cultivating a healthy disciple-making culture throughout your church. He walks readers through key components of healthy culture, which he has uncovered over the course of his more than

twenty years of disciple-making in various contexts. Using time-

tested principles, he answers a challenging question: "How do we actually live out the Great Commission—as a church?"

Learn a relational method for making disciples at your church that is built upon how Jesus and the early church made disciples. Gain the tools needed to transform your church's culture. Walk away with a reproducible model that's

been successfully implemented by thriving disciple-making churches around the world. Allow the pages of Scripture to become not only words—but also real-life experiences.



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Endorsements for *Disciple Making Culture* by Brandon Guindon

“*Disciple-Making Culture* inspires us to develop disciples and brilliantly shows us how to do it.”

— **Dave Ferguson**, Author of *Hero Maker*

“If you want to grow in your understanding of a disciple-making culture, you need to read this book.”

— **Jim Putman**, Lead Pastor, Real Life Ministries, Post Falls, Idaho

“This book is my new go-to book when I recommend resources to church leaders who want to create a disciple-making culture. Every church leader should read it.”

— **Bobby Harrington**, Point Leader, Discipleship.org and Renew.org

“This book bears the seed of a movement. Systems and strategies cannot beget culture. Culture is born from a wedding of intentional purpose and sometimes painful experiences. Brandon weaves these together in a biblical way that focuses on highly relational factors. The result is an infinitely reproducible culture.”

— **Ralph Moore**, Hope Chapel Founder, Author of *Making Disciples*

“God has used Brandon over the last few years to coach the church I serve as we embrace a seismic shift in our culture. On our transformational journey toward creating a disciple-making culture, Brandon has loved us, helped us, grieved with us, celebrated with us, and, most importantly, disciplined us—using the very concepts he writes about in this book. Your application of this book will change the trajectory of your church as it has changed the trajectory of ours.”

— **David Garison**, Lead Pastor, Northside Christian Church in Spring, Texas