

Group Life 2025

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Best Idea 1

Make Disciples Using

the Five Looks

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The 5 Looks

1. Look Around – Fellowship
2. Look Up – Prayer
3. Look Down – Bible Study
4. Look Ahead – Challenge (Application)
5. Look Back – Accountability



Galatians 4:19

Oh, my dear children! I feel as if I'm going through labor pains for you again, and they will continue until Christ is fully developed in your lives.



What Motivates Us to Change Anything?

1. Lack of effective disciple-making
2. The Great Commission's charge
“teaching them to obey”
3. The 5 Looks is inspirational to others



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Time

Implementing the Five Looks
requires little extra time
in your teaching plan.



Accountability

“Soft” or “Voluntary” Accountability



Accountability

We can't have accountability without a
challenge!



Challenge

Aka Application



Challenge Characteristics

1. From Scripture
2. Selected in advance usually
3. Brief, specific, and measurable
4. “Visualize-able”
5. A realistic step



Good Option

**Based on what we've studied today,
what is God calling you to do?**



5 Looks Story



Closing Tips

1. Start small and simple.
2. Plan your challenge thoughtfully.
3. Introduce it when it shows up.
4. Be willing to do it!
5. Be honest and vulnerable.
6. Cut some content to fit it in.
7. Don't shy away from stretching yourself too!
8. Remind them during the week.

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