The Power of Discipleship

I. The relationship between the three men (Philemon 4-7; 13-16)
   A. Paul's Relationship with Onesimus is _____
      and _____ (Philemon 13)
   B. Paul's Relationship with Philemon is _____
      in _____ work (Philemon 4-7; 14)
   C. Philemon's relationship with Onesimus is _____
      and _____ (Philemon 16b)
   D. Philemon's potential relationship with Onesimus is one of
      _____ _____ (Philemon 15-16)

II. Paul's reason for the letter (Philemon 8-21)
   A. To _____ that Philemon to take back
      Onesimus (Philemon 4-12)
      1. Reason Paul was making this request (Philemon 4-7)
         a. Philemon had a _____ for all the saints
         b. Philemon has brought great _____ to Paul
            because he _____ the hearts of the saints
      2. Paul had the right to _____ Philemon to do
         what was right (Philemon 8)
      3. Paul chooses _____ to Philemon for three
         basic reasons
         a. On the basis of _____ (Philemon 9)
         b. On the basis that Onesimus was now Philemon's

            _____ _____ (Philemon 10)
         c. On the basis that Onesimus was now _____
            (Philemon 11-12)
   B. To _____ Philemon to take Onesimus back
      (Philemon 17-21)
      1. Welcome Onesimus as you would welcome _____
         (Philemon 17-19a)
      2. Remember the _____ you had canceled (Philemon 19b)
      3. Refresh my _____ (Philemon 20)
      4. I _____ you will do what is right (Philemon 21)

III. Keys to starting discipleship
   A. We need to show _____ to all our fellow Christians
   B. If needed, _____ our Christian Brothers and Sisters
   C. We need to show great _____
   D. We need to be _____ to be discipled

IV. How do we make disciples?
   A. We do what it takes to _____ the _____ (I Cor 9:19)
   B. We continue to _____ in Christ, and we help others
      _____ in Christ (Col 2:6-7; Hebrews 10:23-25)
   C. We _____ believers for God's work (Eph 4:11-13)
   D. We _____ them (Matt. 28:19b)
   E. We teach them to obey _____ God's Word (Matt. 28:20a)
   F. We _____ them out so they can make disciples (John 20:21)

V. Questions to ponder
   A. Do you need to _____?
   B. Do you need to seek _____?
   C. Are you being _____?
   D. Who are you _____?
   E. Are you looking for someone to _____?