
STEP FOUR

GO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

NEXT STEPS

Student Manual

***Those who are planted in the house
of the Lord shall flourish in the
courts of our God.***

Psalm 92:13

WELCOME TO STEP FOUR

Our greatest desire is for you to Connect with God, Grow in Community, and Discover your Purpose, so you can Go make a Difference.

We first come to God and then go to others. You can live mission-minded by committing to Reach People and Build Lives so you can make an eternal impact in the lives of people around you.

One day as Jesus was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee, He saw two brothers—Simon, also called Peter, and Andrew—throwing a net into the water, for they fished for a living. Jesus called out to them, “COME, follow Me, and I will show you how to fish for people!” And they left their nets at once and followed Him.

Matthew 4:18-20

GO into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation.

Mark 16:15

GO and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.

Matthew 28:19-20

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INFLUENCE

Influence is our ability to impact others. God invented influence, and He is the ultimate influencer. God chooses to influence and guide us through His Word, godly relationships, and the power and presence of the Holy Spirit.

Our influence is both a responsibility and a gift. Godly influence is not based on position, income, wealth, or education. Godly influence is earned over time as we appropriately utilize our time, talents, and treasure to love and serve others. Being a servant leader is how we use our godly influence to make an eternal impact on people's lives in every sphere of culture.

INVITATION

As we walk in the influence God has given us, we will have the opportunity to make a difference in someone's life by inviting them into a life-changing relationship with Jesus.

Jesus was famous for extending invitations. He invited people into a life they had no idea was available to them. Jesus didn't just see where they were in life, but where they could be. We can follow Jesus' example with the people in our own circle of influence, whether in business, politics, sports, entertainment, or education. In our everyday lives, we can extend an invitation to the people around us that will change everything for them.

One of the best invites you can make is to invite someone to hear the story of what God has done in your life – this is called your testimony. God wants to use your story, your influence, and the power of your invitation to make a difference in people's lives.

The woman left her water jar beside the well and ran back to the village, telling everyone, "Come and see a man who told me everything I ever did! Could he possibly be the Messiah?"

John 4:28-30

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And you will be my witnesses, telling people about me everywhere—in Jerusalem, throughout Judea, in Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.

Acts 1:8

Take what you've learned in your Next Steps journey and use it to make a difference in the world around you. God has big plans for you!

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SHARE AND INVITE

Your personal story is the best story to tell! You can use your influence by being a servant leader in your home, at work, at school, and wherever you go through the example you show of serving others. Encouraging others to attend weekend services and jump into the Next Steps journey is another way to use your godly influence.

HOST A SMALL GROUP

Hosting a small group is a great way to use your influence. Invite your family, friends, and coworkers. Hosting a Small Group allows you to reach people outside the church that might not know Jesus and fulfill the mission!

WEEKLY SERVE TEAM

Serving with a weekly team on the Dream Team is a powerful way to fulfill your purpose and reach people. You can use your God-given gifts to serve our church family and guests by creating an excellent experience with eternal impact.

LOCAL OUTREACH

The Dream Team not only serves at church, but also in the community with local outreach. Second Saturday Serve, a monthly outreach opportunity, is a great way to reach people in your community who are in need.

GLOBAL MISSIONS

Global Missions is an amazing opportunity to GO around the nation and world to use your influence to change lives. You can make a difference globally by going on a trip or by supporting a mission team financially or in prayer.

LEGACY TEAM

The Legacy Team is a group of people at Church of the King who demonstrate the gift of giving through above and beyond offerings. They deeply value and demonstrate our core value ,We Live Generously, through their financial giving.

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KINGDOM BUSINESS LEADERS

Kingdom Business Leaders is a group for owners and executives to come together and learn to run a company God's way. This group is filled with men and women making a difference with their lives throughout the marketplace.

ONLINE CLASSES

Church of the King Online Classes help you learn more about the Bible and teach you how to apply its principles to your life. These convenient classes give you a solid biblical foundation to understand God's Word and how to use it to Reach People and Build Lives.

LEAD COLLEGE

Lead College is fully accredited through Oral Roberts University. Along with a high-level academic classroom experience, students gain valuable, practical ministry experience within our church family.

YOUR NEXT STEPS

- Check out ChurchoftheKing.com/go to learn how you can use your influence.
- Text **My Story** to **822822** to share your story with us.
- Complete Next Steps.

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