

DESTINY TRAINING LEVEL 1

MODULE 2

CLASS 02

PRINCIPLES OF THE G12 STRATEGY

Biblical Reference: Jesus went up on a mountainside and called to Him those He wanted, and they came to Him. He appointed twelve – designating them apostles... (Mark 3:13, NIV).

I. CLASS OBJECTIVES

The objectives of this class are:

1. To understand God's strategy to reach the world.
2. To understand the characteristics of the G12.
3. To understand the four components of the G12.
4. To implement the principles of successful Leadership, forming twelve.

II. LESSON: THE PRINCIPLES OF THE G12 STRATEGY

What is G12? It is God's strategy for World Conquest in winning souls and making disciples.

A. God's Strategy for World Conquest

Pastor Cesar Castellanos was inspired by the example of Dr. David Yonggi Cho who currently leads the largest church in the world through his cell network in Seoul, South Korea. He began to implement Dr. Cho's teaching on cells and obtained a certain level of success. It was at that time that God gave him an insight regarding the G12 Strategy on multiplication.

The ministry that God has entrusted to Pastor Cesar Castellanos has brought about a modern day revival not only in Bogota, Colombia (his country of origin), but also throughout the nations of the world. Jesus Christ modeled this for us in the gospels and we will refer to it as the G12 Strategy.

Mark 3:13-15 (NKJV)

And He went up on the mountain and called to Him those He Himself wanted. And they came to Him. Then He appointed twelve, that they might be with Him and that He might send them out to preach, and to have power to heal sicknesses and to cast out demons...

Many people often wonder how to effectively put the G12 Strategy into practice. This lesson will provide an in-depth look at the basic guidelines needed to develop it correctly.

1. In this scripture reference, we see that the disciples were to be with Jesus first before they were to heal the sick or cast out devils. This signifies the importance of our personal devotion and relationship with God. It determines the strength of the ministry that we will carry out for the Lord.
2. Jesus was constantly ministering to the multitudes on a daily basis. But one small group of people that was always with him traveling, eating, sleeping, and ministering alongside Him was the twelve. He demonstrated to them how to carry out God's strategy to win the world and multiply their efforts in reaching more people.

Luke 12:42-44 (NKJV)

And the Lord said, "Who then is that faithful and wise steward, who his master will make ruler over his household, to give them their portion of food in due season? Blessed is that servant whom his master will find so doing when he comes. Truly, I say to you that he will make him ruler over all that he has."

B. Characteristics of the G12 Strategy

To clearly develop the Vision for world conquest, the Lord needed to establish twelve "columns" which would be supported by Christ, the Cornerstone. Paul said that we are "built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus Himself as the chief cornerstone" (see Ephesians 2:20).

We find seven characteristics regarding the G12 Strategy.

1. **It is innovative:** We know that God has raised people up with a powerful anointing for miracles. But now, through the team of twelve, God is helping His servants in the pastoral work.
2. **It brings strength to the ministry:** The G12 strategy brings consistency to the ministry from the very moment that you start to implement it. One of the main principles is the character formation of every member of the team of twelve.
3. **It allows a team to be trained.** In the Vision, the twelve are trained so that they can then effectively represent Jesus.
4. **It enables people to be ministered to:** This involves imparting spiritual authority to people, enabling them to receive the victory in their battles, trials and problems.

5. **It bears fruit:** The Lord Jesus speaks about four kinds of soil where the seed falls. Through accountability and mentorship, we help create a culture where every person's heart remains tender before the Lord and submitted to His will.
6. **Every person becomes a winner of souls:** Anyone who wants to multiply must have a strong desire to win the lost. Solomon said, "He who wins souls is wise" (Prov 11:30).
7. **It unites homogeneous groups:** Ministering to men by men, and women by women and youth by youth. Every gender and age group faces different challenges in their walk with God. This type of discipleship structure strengthens each individual so that when they come together as a family they are much stronger.

C. How to Form a Team of Twelve

Luke 6:12-13 (NKJV)

Now it came to pass in those days that He went out to the mountain to pray, and continued all night in prayer to God. And when it was day, He called His disciples to Himself; and from them He chose twelve whom He also named apostles...

1. As a leader, you should involve those who attend your Life Group when forming your twelve. This means that before they begin to assemble their team of 12 and multiply their cells, they should first help you to complete your 12.
2. The forming of this team can often take a year. We can begin the process through the Prayer of 3. Train and teach your Life Group to pray for 3 people that they believe to win to Christ and invite them to your Life Group.

D. The Ladder of Success

Matthew 28:18-20 (NKJV)

All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go therefor and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.

1. The Ladder of Success is broken down into four parts. They are Win, Consolidate, Disciple and Send. These steps are progressive in raising up Disciples for Christ.
2. Win has to do with leading others to a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.
2. Consolidate consists of caring for the new believer until they mature in their faith.
3. Disciple has to do with the formation of the new believer who desires to fulfill and carry out the Great Commission as a servant leader.

4. Send is empowering the disciple to multiply the shepherd's care by repeating the cycle of winning souls and making disciples.

V. CONCLUSION

It is our responsibility to commit ourselves to God, making the decision to be the best multipliers, faithfully reproducing ourselves in others. God has called us to multiply.

