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2. What defines a disciple? Do you consider yourself one?
3. The Greek word for “worshiped” in v.17 is the composite for bow and kiss, communicating the idea of reverent love. How is worship motivational for sharing the gospel?
4. V.18: Why does Jesus begin by telling the disciples that “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me”? What are the implications of that statement for believers with regard to the Great Commission?
5. V.19: If making disciples is the objective, what is first necessary to do that?
6. If Jesus is addressing disciples... and they are told to make disciples... what is understood about the kind of followers they should produce? What will be a mark of these new believers? (II Tim. 2:2)
7. What does “all nations” refer to? What does this mean for the scope of the Great Commission? What are ways we can meet that demand?
8. The Great Commission in Matthew 26 has four main verb directives (we’ve already discussed the first in question #5). What are the last three? Which of these do you think is the most important verb? (v.19)
9. Discuss these response questions from the weekend sermon...
  - 1) Where do I need to give Jesus ownership in my life?
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