

DNA of a Devoted Follower of Jesus

**A Vibrant
Worshiper
of God**



**Enjoys Committed
Relationships with
Other Believers**



**A Courageous
Witness to Jesus
as Savior & Lord**



**Matures
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Devoted followers of Jesus are vibrant worshippers of God.

They listen to what God's Word says and submit to the Spirit's leading (Galatians 5:16; 2 Timothy 3:16,17; James 1:22-25).

They experience a reconciled relationship with God and enjoy ongoing communion with Him through prayer (Psalm 16:11; Ephesians 6:18).

They live all facets of life in response to God's calling through risk-taking faith (1 Corinthians 10:31; Colossians 3:23,24).

They employ their resources of time, finances, and abilities generously for the sake of God and others (Matthew 25:1-30; 2 Corinthians 9:6,7).

Devoted followers of Jesus are courageous witnesses to Jesus as Savior and Lord.

They express verbally the truth of the Gospel as they engage the unbelieving world (Colossians 4:3,4).

They demonstrate the transforming power of Christ by displaying changed lives full of joy and hope (Galatians 5:22,23; Titus 2:9-15).

They adorn the truth of the Gospel with deeds of kindness pleasing to their Savior and impactful to unbelievers (Matthew 5:13-16; 1 Peter 2:12).

Devoted followers of Jesus enjoy committed relationships with other believers.

They commit themselves to a spiritual family — a local church — and gather with this family in a manner that demonstrates full participation in church life (Hebrews 10:24,25).

They hold other believers accountable to Christ's mission and receive healthy accountability from others (Proverbs 27:17; Colossians 3:12-17).

They see their own families as the closest circle for the outworking of Christian love and disciple making (1 Timothy 3:4,5; 5:8).

Devoted followers of Jesus mature spiritually and serve others humbly.

They grow in conviction of Jesus' truth, expression of Jesus' character, and competence in Jesus' Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20; 1 Timothy 4:6-8).

They demonstrate grace and love both to believers and unbelievers (Romans 12:17,18; Philippians 2:5-11).

They employ their unique spiritual gifts to build up the Church, Christ's body (1 Corinthians 12:4-31; Ephesians 4:11-16).

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