

SECTION 3

EFFECTIVE SMALL-GROUP LEADERSHIP

Invest In Your Students

RELEVANT SCRIPTURE

Hebrews 10:23-25

1 Thessalonians 2:1-12

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Growth is the goal

Your students will not grow unless you pour into them.

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God's Kingdom is the focus

Investing in your students will result in God's work being accomplished.

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You must be genuine

Investment in others must come from a genuine heart of service.

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Sacrifice - Prepare - Be vulnerable

Pouring into others requires preparation, sacrifice, effort, and vulnerability.

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Be grounded in The Word

You must invest the truth of Scripture in your students, not the opinions and emotions of your own heart.

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Watch for conviction

Investing in your students will sometimes cause a harsh response from your students.

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Reflect all glory to God

The work of investing must be done without seeking personal gain or glory.

Let's sum it up!

- You must invest in your students.
- Investment requires work and sacrifice.
- Your investment must be based on Scripture.
- Never seek gain or recognition from your work.