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COLLISION TRAINING MANUAL:

RADICAL LOVE & RADICAL OBEDIENCE

Training Video

- [Click here to watch the video on Lesson 5](#) (ideally as a group)



Looking Back

(20-30 min)

- **Care (10 minutes)**
- Share a meal, snack, or refreshment while doing the following:
- Discuss “Highs and Lows” from the past week.
- Pray for anyone who needs prayer, and care for them after the DMM or throughout the week, if needed.
- Pray for the DMM time and for God’s Spirit to lead.
- Remind everyone, “I am facilitating this DMM now, but the goal is that each of you will eventually be doing this with your own DMM.”



Vision Casting

(5 min)

Vision, Goal, Mission:

- Vision - “We desire to Glorify God by uniting and mobilizing the local church to help fulfill the great commission, so that every student has the opportunity to respond to the gospel of Jesus Christ.”
- Goal: One of the ways we do this is to form discipleship groups called Disciple Making Movements (DMMs). Our goal is that each of you begins and facilitates your own DMM, which is one of the ways that you can fulfill the Great Commission.
- Mission: We do all this through our mission, which is to **UNITE. EMPOWER. SERVE.**



Check-Up/Loving Accountability

(15 min)

- Review the SOAPS Bible study method from Lesson 3.
- Split up into groups of 2-3 and go through the **Accountability Questions** (10 minutes).



LOOKING UP

(10-20 min)

Read and Discuss Scripture:

- Pray and ask God to teach you these passages.
- For EACH Passage, Read & Restate: Have 1 student read the passage, have a 2nd student read the same passage in a different version, have a 3rd student restate what was said in the passage.

RADICAL LOVE & RADICAL OBEDIENCE: Scripture - John 15:9-14

- Ask:
 - What does this say about God's radical love for us?
 - What does this say about our radical love for others?
 - What does this say about obeying God?

PERSECUTION AND SUFFERING:

- Say: "Sharing God's radical love with others with radical obedience may still lead to being misunderstood and put down by others. What does scripture say about this?"



LOOKING UP

(10-20 min)

- **Scripture - John 15:18-20; John 16:22; John 16:33**
 - Ask:
 - What does this say about persecution and suffering?
 - Will being obedient to God always result in an easy life?
 - What does this say about God's protection and comfort while you are in hardship?



LOOKING FORWARD

(10-20 min)

- Discuss as a DMM. How are you obeying what is taught in Matthew 28:16-20? Are you leading a DMM of disciples (your six friends)? If not, what would help you get started? Have you been baptized or made plans to be baptized?



MAWL - MODEL, ASSIST, WATCH, LAUNCH

M - Model

- Model by doing 100% of the leading. Your “trainee’s” job is to watch you from the perspective that they will be facilitating it by themselves soon. Answer any questions after.

A - Assist

- Assist by taking turns leading or letting the trainee lead while you step in and assist as needed. Answer any questions and give feedback after meeting.

W – Watch

- Watch by having the trainee lead 100%. Watch, then answer questions, and give feedback after the meeting.

L - Launch

- Launch by having the trainee take over full ownership and responsibility. But don’t leave them! Check in with them weekly after facilitating on their own for the first few times, check in with them frequently after that, and ask them how training is going for them as they MAWL for others.



OPTIONS FOR MULTIPLICATION

Part of 2 DMMs

- ***This is the ideal scenario*** where you are in one “spiritual family” DMM, being poured into, and then facilitating a second DMM where you’re pouring out what you’ve been learning. You’d encourage those in the DMM you’re leading to do the same, and unlimited multiplication can occur.
- *You can stay with that second DMM long enough to ensure they are trained well and then Launch and support them OR you can stay with them long-term.*

Divide and Conquer

- DMMs may grow to a size that is no longer allows for deep discussion and relational connection (usually larger than 8 students). At this point, identify another facilitator, train them up, and have part of the Movement meet with them. So you multiply from one DMM into two DMMs.



Weekly Challenge

WEEKLY CHALLENGE (There will be a “Check-Up” time next week for accountability.)

- DMM FACILITATOR: For students who want to be baptized, have them get the approval of their parents and tell the students to let their church know they'd like to be baptized. They can also tell their friends, family, and Collision leaders about this decision!
- Continue using what you learned in Lesson 3 about SOAPS and reading the Bible throughout the week using the Genesis through Revelation reading plan. Have students text to the DMM throughout the week about what they are learning.
- ****DMM FACILITATOR**: text the weekly challenges out to the DMM as a reminder of what to do throughout the week. Check in through phone call or text throughout the week as students are reading the Word, praying, and having conversations.



LOOKING IN

(10-20 min)

- Pass out paper and pens. Find a quiet place, turn on your favorite worship playlist, and dim the lights.

Worship

- Spend time praying corporately and invite God's Spirit. Pray for friends and family. Start some worship music and seek God for words of encouragement for others in the DMM. Encourage students to express themselves verbally and on paper.

