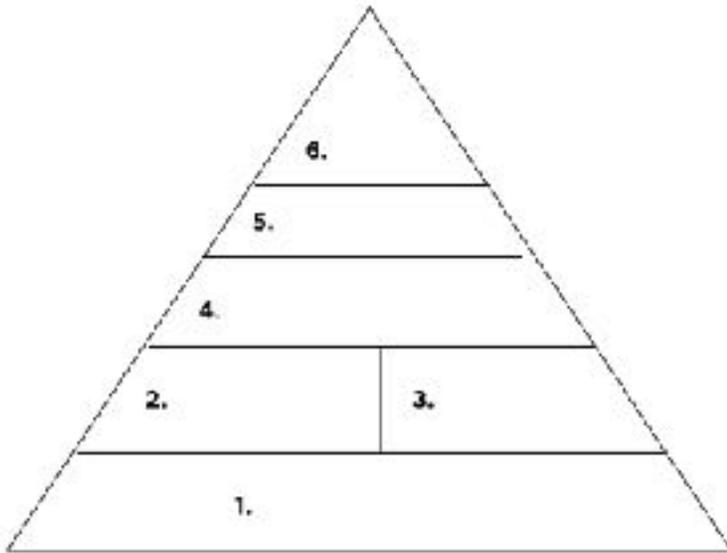


**Big Idea:** Mentoring is a \_\_\_\_\_ friendship.

Mentoring is making the one mentored feel special for \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ not what they do.

### Building Block of Mentoring



### 6 Building Blocks for Mentoring:

1. Mentoring lays a building block of \_\_\_\_\_. (1 Tim. 1:3, 18-19)
2. Mentoring means being a great \_\_\_\_\_. (2 Tim. 1:6)
3. Mentoring is being a good \_\_\_\_\_.

4. Mentoring requires \_\_\_\_\_. (2 Tim. 1:3)

5. Mentoring requires \_\_\_\_\_.

6. Successful mentoring should be \_\_\_\_\_. (2 Tim. 2:2)

### What I've learned...

### Next Steps:

1. Pray about a mentor for your life or about taking on the challenge of being a mentor.
2. Examine those mentoring relationships that you are currently in and measure them by Paul and Timothy's building blocks.

### Discussion Questions:

1. Who is the most influential mentor in your life, besides your parents? What impact did they have on your life?
2. Paul writes to Titus to remind him that older women and men should be teaching younger women and men. When have you experienced this in a church setting? If not, what might this look like?
3. What impact did your grandparents have on you while you were growing up? If you didn't know your grandparents, did anyone else step into that role as a mentor across generational lines?
4. (For parents) While our kids are in our homes, how does the concept of friendship impact our mentoring style? Can you be a friend to your kids and still maintain respect as a parent? Why or why not?
5. Is there someone in your life that you might begin a mentoring relationship with (either as a mentor or "mentoree")? If so, who? What's your next step?
6. How would you define discipleship?
7. When mentoring another believer, do you agree that it is a form of discipleship? Why or why not?

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