

Kingdom Leadership Foundations

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Welcome - Leading by Example: Concentric Leadership

The foundation of effective leadership is **trust**. Leaders inspire and mobilize others through **integrity, consistency, and humility**.

A. Leading by Example and Living Out Values Consistently

- Trust is the **currency of leadership**—without it, people will not follow.
- Integrity builds trust; **leaders must practice what they teach**.
- John Maxwell: "People do what people see."
- Humility acknowledges that **leaders are still growing**—this builds authenticity.
- Leaders **increase their influence** by demonstrating commitment to their vision.

B. Leaders Fail Just Like Anyone: Humility and Repentance is the Key

- Leadership does not mean **perfection**—it means **owning mistakes**.
- People are more likely to **respect a leader** who admits faults than one who pretends to be flawless.
- Leaders lose credibility when they **cover up mistakes or act superior**.
- The best way to regain trust is through **humility, transparency, and genuine repentance**.

C. Your Example is Your Message

- 1 Corinthians 11:1 – "Follow me as I follow Christ."
- Paul led boldly because he was **secure in his identity** and walked in **integrity**.
- Leadership is not just about **teaching principles**—it's about **modeling them**.
- Leaders reproduce who they are, not just what they teach.

D. Concentric Leadership: Leading Through Generations

- Leadership is about **multiplication, not just addition**.
- Leaders should develop **others who will develop others**—this creates **generational impact**.
- **Example:**
 - A leader directly mentors their **core team** (first generation).
 - The core team trains the **next level of leaders** (second generation).
 - The second generation trains others (third generation), and so on.
- Leaders should **focus on integrity** and **impart their vision clearly** so the DNA of the mission is sustained.

E. Jesus and Paul Modeled Concentric Leadership

- Jesus' leadership circles:
 - **Inner three:** Peter, James, and John.
 - **Twelve disciples:** His primary team.
 - **Seventy-two:** Trained and sent out.
 - **120 in the Upper Room.**
 - **500 followers after the resurrection.**
- Paul's leadership model (2 Timothy 2:2):
 - Paul → Timothy → Faithful men → Others (four generations of leadership).
- **Key lesson: Focus deeply on a few who will multiply the vision further.**

Reflection Questions:

1. Do you actively practice the things you encourage others to do?

2. Do you act the same way in private as you do around those you lead?



3. Do others trust you to follow through on your commitments?

4. Have you offended a team member and not resolved it yet?

Activation:

Step 1: Reconcile Any Leadership Conflicts

- Pray and ask God if you have unresolved issues with anyone.
- Call or meet with individuals to ask for forgiveness and bring reconciliation.

Step 2: Develop Your Primary and Secondary Teams

- Plan how often you will meet with your **core leaders**.
- Write down strategies to **help each team member fulfill their calling**.

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Leadership influence extends beyond one person—it grows through multiplication. Build trust, live with integrity, and invest in others for generational impact!

