

DISCIPLINE IN THE CHURCH
(Matthew 18:15-20)

- I. The Person _____ Discipline (Matt. 18:15a)
 - A. Is to be treated as a _____
 - B. Is in _____ of discipline because he _____

- II. The Person _____ Discipline (Matt. 18:15b)
 - A. Is the person _____ by or _____ of the _____
 - B. Is commanded to _____ to the _____
 - 1. To _____ him about the _____
 - 2. To be _____ in _____

- III. The _____ of the Discipline (Matt. 18:15c; cf. Prov. 11:30)
 - A. Not to _____
 - B. But to _____

- IV. The _____ of Discipline (Matt. 18:16-17)

- A. Confront _____ with one or two _____
 - 1. To witness the _____ of the confrontation
 - 2. To evaluate the _____ and the _____
- B. Present the _____ before the _____
- C. _____ from the _____ of believers
 - 1. Presumes he is an _____ (1 Cor. 5:9-13)
 - 2. Implies future _____ if _____
(2 Cor. 2:5-8)

V. The _____ for Discipline (Matt. 18:18-20)

- A. Disciplinary action is _____ by _____
(18:18; cf. 16:19)
 - 1. Not to bend _____ to

 - 2. But to _____ our _____
- B. The Father _____ our _____ discipline
(18:19; cf. Jn. 20:23)
- C. Christ _____ our disciplinary
action (18:20; cf. 28:20; Jn. 17:22-23)