Podcast Episode Notes Season 3 Episode 6: 2021 is Your Great Opportunity

Most of us will agree that the last 12 months have been hard. As we've already witnessed, things did not magically get better when the calendar flipped to January 1, 2021. But three months into 2021, it's not too late for you to seize your great opportunity.

God is up to something. When what God is doing in the world intersects with our obedience to Him, we have a great opportunity. He is shaking everything that can be shaken— our lives, society, idols that we worship, even his bride the Church. We have this window of time right now to take advantage of the opportunity to do what Jesus has asked us to do — make disciples of other people. We get frustrated in society at times when things don't go in a godly fashion. They don't just happen. They happen because people deliberately pour the things into other people's lives that they have learned.

This is your call to action!

First steps:

- 1) Ask yourself "In whose ears are my words great?"
- 2) Find someone who is F.A.S.T. (faithful, available, servant-hearted, teachable)
- 3) Take 10-12 weeks to go through each chapter of the book and discussion questions with someone
- 4) Start a small group with others who are exploring the connection between their faith and their work and who may be interested in discipling someone in their vocational field

Other thoughts:

Be willing if <u>you</u> are approached. The need is there. Young people want to be discipled. Talk to your pastor about young adults and youth who are hungry of heart.

Dave Buehring's new book *The Great Opportunity: Making Disciples of Jesus in Every Vocation* is now available at local bookstores and online at <u>Amazon</u> and <u>Barnes & Noble</u>. You can also get a copy at <u>Lionshare.org</u>

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