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MAKING DISCIPLES 101

Cultivating Spiritual Interest, Part 1



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3. The “Question and Bible Answer” method of giving Bible studies is something that _____ gave to His people.
4. When people show a spiritual interest, what they’re hungry for is the _____ of _____.

Inspired Insights

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