

Jesus Calls Us to Discipleship

Luke 9

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Two Major Events

Jesus' Question (v. 18~21)

Jesus' Transfiguration (v. 28~36)

~~ Jesus is more than a prophet

Turning Point (v. 51)

~~ Jesus will suffer rejection

Jesus' Call: "Follow Me" (v. 23, 57~62)

Jesus' Call *Luke 9:23*

1. Deny Yourself

Philippians 2:7

“Disown” self as a primary interest

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2. Take Up Your Cross Daily

Life's ordinary hardships?

Literally? (Colossians 2:23)

Die to self / live for Christ!

I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself up for me.

Galatians 2:20

...persecuted, but not abandoned; struck down,
but not destroyed; always carrying around in the
body the dying of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus
may also be revealed in our body.

2 Corinthians 4:9~10

...and He died for all, so that those who live
would no longer live for themselves, but for Him
who died and rose on their behalf.

2 Corinthians 5:15

...Christ will even now, as always, be exalted in my body, whether by life or by death. For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain.

Philippians 1:20~21

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Where? Doing what?

Unqualified commitment

Luke 5:27~28

WHY?

*The stakes are
your life forever*

(v. 24~25)

Inadequate Discipleship *Luke 9:57-62*

Following Without Knowledge (v. 57-58)

Following Without Sacrifice (v. 59-60)

Following Without Commitment (v. 61-62)

Application

Discipleship is an identity, not a part-time job

Ephesians 4:22-24

We must know and examine ourselves

1 Corinthians 11:28

All discipleship is radical

Luke 9:23