

Series: Becoming A Spiritual Father

Message Title: *Follow Me, and Become A Fisher of Men*

Primary Texts: Luke 5:1-11

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1. Jesus is _____.

Luke 5:4-11

⁴ When He had finished speaking, He said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch."⁵ Simon answered and said, "Master, we worked hard all night and caught nothing, but I will do as You say *and* let down the nets."⁶ When they had done this, they enclosed a great quantity of fish, and their nets *began* to break;⁷ so they signaled to their partners in the other boat for them to come and help them. And they came and filled both of the boats, so that they began to sink.⁸ But when Simon Peter saw *that*, he fell down at Jesus' feet, saying, "Go away from me Lord, for I am a sinful man!"⁹ For amazement had seized him and all his companions because of the catch of fish which they had taken;¹⁰ and so also *were* James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not fear, from now on you will be catching men."¹¹ When they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed Him.

2. Jesus is _____.

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. Read **Romans 10:9**. What is the heart attitude of a believer at the moment of salvation? Read **1 Corinthians 12:3**. What does this reveal about every true believer's attitude toward Christ? Who causes individual believers to submit to Christ? Read **Philippians 2:11**. What will everyone confess or acknowledge some day? What is your heart attitude about Jesus?
2. Read **Matthew 4:18-22**. What did Jesus tell the four disciples to do? Read **Matthew 8:21-22**. What did Jesus tell a disciple to do? Read **Matthew 9:9**. What did Jesus tell Matthew to do? Read **Matthew 10:37-39**. What did Jesus tell us to do? Read **Matthew 16:24**. What did Jesus tell us to do here?
3. Read **Matthew 4:18-22** and **Luke 5:1-11**. In what ways are these two events different? What does this reveal about the disciples? What does this reveal about Jesus' desire for them? What does this reveal about Jesus' desire for you?
4. Read **Luke 5:8-11**. What did the disciples do after they were amazed with Jesus? What do you think the disciples gave up? Read **Mark 10:28-31**. What did Peter say the disciples did? How does this passage help us understand what the disciples gave up? Read **Luke 18:28-30** and then **Luke 14:33**. What do you think Jesus wants you to be willing to give up?
5. Read **John 21:18-22**. What did Jesus tell Peter would happen to him? Then what did Jesus command Peter to do? What did Peter ask in verse 20? How did Jesus reply and why did He reply this way? What does this mean for you? What does Jesus want you to do? Who does Jesus want you to be concerned about?