

Marks of a Disciple of Jesus Christ

Getting Started

1. When you get some good news, who is the first person you want to share it with? Why?
2. As a child, what would it take for you to believe something your brother or sister told you?

Digging Deeper

Read John 1:29-51

3. What insight, principle, or observation from Sunday's message did you find to be the most helpful, eye opening, or troubling? Explain.
4. In light of verses 30-31, how do you think John felt when his disciples left him to follow Jesus? What does this say about John?
5. What motivated the disciples of John to follow Jesus? What motivated Andrew to tell Simon about him?
6. What does this passage reveal to you about the power of friends inviting friends (or family members) to follow Jesus?
7. Why was Nathanael skeptical of Jesus? How have others in your life expressed doubts about Jesus to you?
8. What was Philip's approach to Nathanael's doubts? Should we take the same approach? What would that approach look like?

Living it Out

9. Who are the people in your life you could invest in for the purpose of bringing to Christ?
10. What specific things are you willing to do to make that investment?
11. How, specifically, can this group help you do those things?

Changing Your Mind

"He first found his own brother Simon and said to him, 'We have found the Messiah' (which means Christ). He brought him to Jesus."
- John 1:41-42