

The Gospel According to John: The Word Became Flesh

Lesson 3: Jesus Calls His First Disciples
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Review

- * John the Baptizer prepared the way for Jesus. In what ways did he do this?
 - * John was a man of great dedication to God and of great humility. He did his job then stepped aside...
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Jesus Calls His First Disciples - John 1:35-52

► Explore It

1. What did John say when he saw Jesus? (1:36)
- * 2. What did John's disciples do when John identified Jesus? (1:37)
- * 3. What was the first thing Andrew did after he had followed Jesus? (1:41)
- * 4. What did Andrew tell his brother about Jesus? (1:41)
 5. What nickname did Jesus give to Simon? (1:42)
 6. How did Jesus and Philip meet? (1:43)
- * 7. How did Philip respond to Jesus' invitation? (1:44-46)
 8. What did Philip do after he followed Jesus? (1:45)
- * 9. Why was Nathanael skeptical that Philip had found the Messiah? (1:46)
- * 10. What convinced Nathanael that Jesus was the Son of God? (1:47-50)
 11. What did Jesus tell Nathanael he would see? (1:51)

► Get It

- * 12. What does it mean to follow Jesus?
13. What hinders us from following Jesus?
14. How can we spend time with Jesus to get to know Him better?
- * 15. What stereotypes about Christ prevent people from trusting Him today?
16. What convinced you that Jesus was the Son of God?
- * 17. What makes Jesus qualified to rule our lives?
18. How can Jesus' identity as the Son of God inspire your confidence in Him?
19. Why did Jesus refer to himself as "the Son of Man"?

► Apply It

20. How could you introduce Christ to a friend or relative?
 - * 21. What change in your daily routine would enable you to follow Jesus better?
 - * 22. How would you share your faith with a skeptical person this week?
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Related Topics

- * Can you find 10 titles for Jesus in John chapter 1?
- * What is meant by "If you cannot be a Peter, then be an Andrew!"?
- * What kind of men did Jesus choose as His apostles?
- * How difficult might it have been for John the Baptizer to have his disciples leave him and follow Jesus?

Note: Study guides for this series of lessons are available on the Internet at www.howellfamily.us/john.htm