

Take Up Your Cross

Mark 8:34-38

Central Point:

- Following Jesus will “cost” something = obedience.
 - Requirements of a Disciple:
 1. Repent and Believe
 2. Deny myself
 - Turn away from orienting my life around my self-interest.
 3. Take up my cross and follow Jesus
 - Submitting to the authority I once rebelled against
 - Saying “yes” to God’s will and way