

Go Fish

A New Agenda

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Jesus went into Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God. "The time has come," he said. "The kingdom of God is near. Repent and believe the good news!"

Mark 1:14b-15 NIV

As Jesus walked beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. "Come, follow me," Jesus said, "and I will make you fishers of men." At once they left their nets and followed him.

Mark 1:16-18 NIV

To Go Fishing . . .

1. Keep following Vesus.

"Come, follow me, and I will show you how to fish for people!"

Mark 1:17b NLT

"The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few." **Matthew 9:37b NIV**

2. Be prepared.

Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have . . .

1 Peter 3:15b NIV

Do your best to present yourself to God as a tried-and-true worker who isn't ashamed.

2 Timothy 2:15a GW

3. Live in the moment.

Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity.

Ephesians 5:15-16a NIV

I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes.

Romans 1:16a NIV

4. Receive Holy Sprit power.

"John baptized with water, but in just a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

Acts 1:5 NLT

"You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And you will be my witnesses, telling people about me everywhere."

Acts 1:8a NLT

Weekend Music: