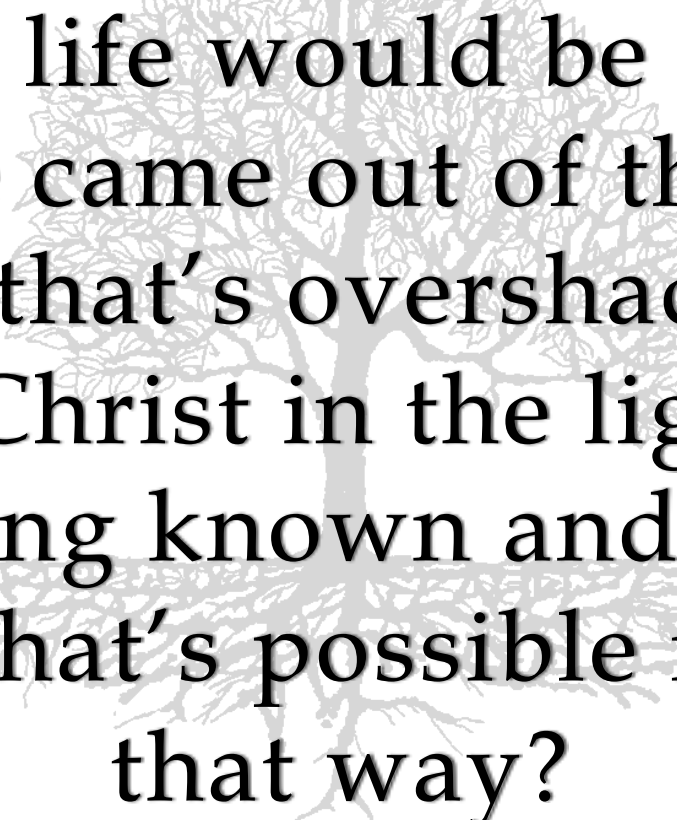


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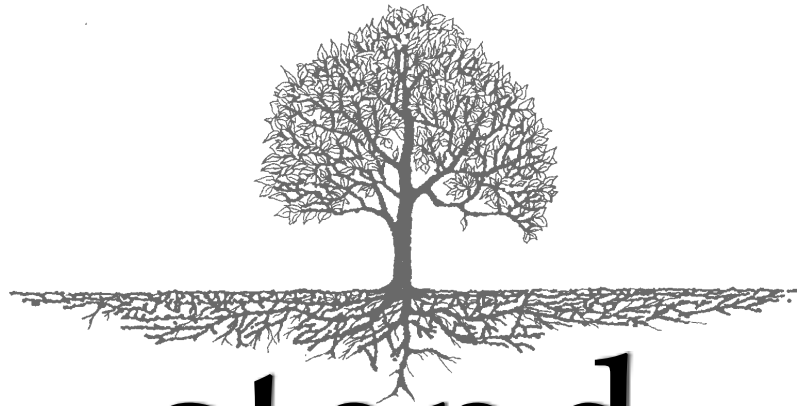
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Imagine what life would be like if we quit  
hiding; if we came out of the shadow of  
whatever it is that's overshadowing us and  
we follow Christ in the light of being  
loved, being known and making a  
difference. What's possible if we all lived  
that way?

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# stand

Christ sees you...and that  
should make you happy.

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# Purpose

- ★ I want us to live a life filled with deep joy and a fulfilling purpose.
- ★ I want us to be a family of healthy families known for integrity and strong character.
- ★ I want us to be a family of empowered families that supernaturally demonstrates the power of God by destroying the work of the devil and doing good.

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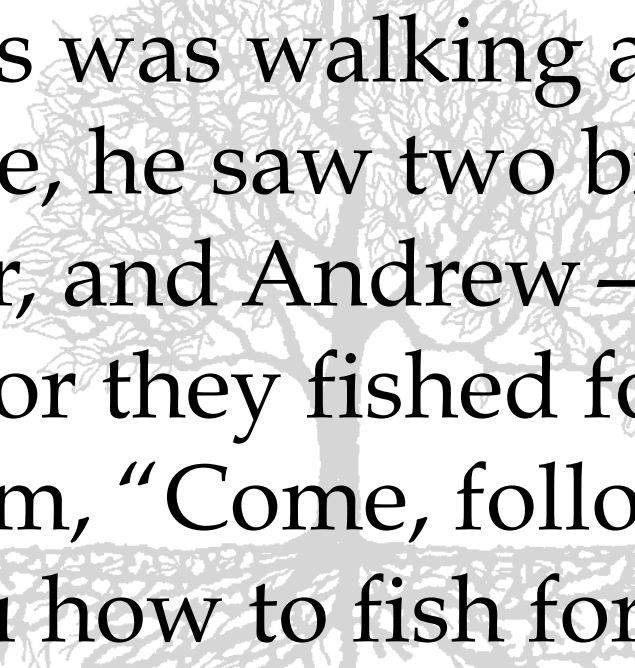
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# Goal

- ★ To understand character and it's process of development so we are carriers of hope, standing joyfully and triumphantly in any situation. (*Ephesians 6:10-14, Romans 5:3-5, Colossians 4:12*)
- ★ I want us partnering with God, by taking risks and believing God will demonstrate His goodness with supernatural power. (*Acts 1:8*)

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“One day as Jesus was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers – Simon, also called Peter, and Andrew – throwing a net into the water, for they fished for a living. Jesus called out to them, “Come, follow me, and I will show you how to fish for people!”

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And they left their nets at once and followed him.

A little farther up the shore he saw two other brothers, James and John, sitting in a boat with their father, Zebedee, repairing their nets. And he called them to come, too. They immediately followed him, leaving the boat and their father behind.”

Matthew 4:18-22

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# 1. What does he {Jesus} see?

1. People to save. (Luke 19:10)

2. People to serve. (Mark 10:45)

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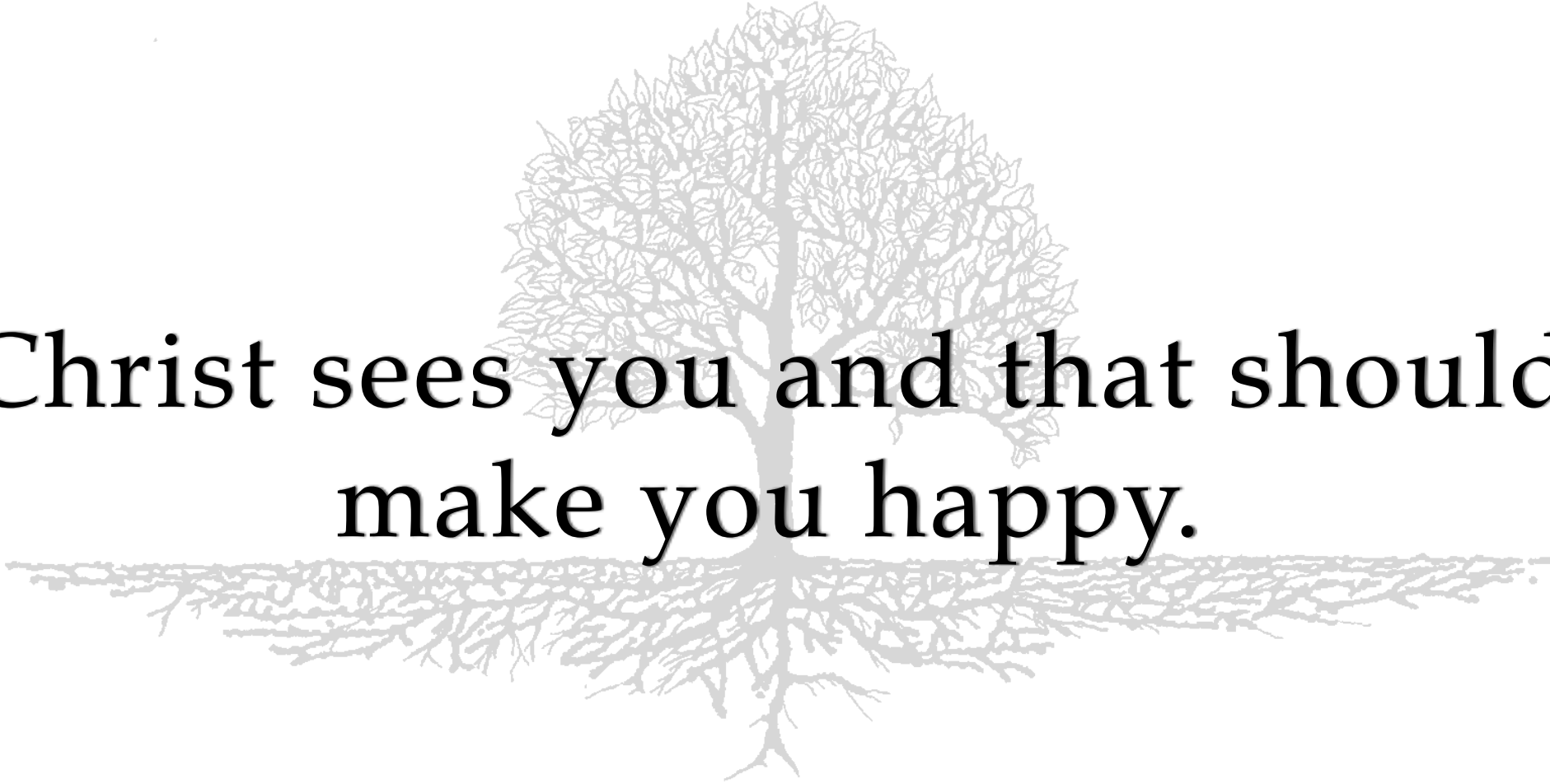


## 2. What does he {Jesus} do about what he sees?

- a. He identifies. (John 1:42)
- b. He calls. (John 6:44)
- c. He consecrates. (Matthew 4:19)
- d. He empowers. (Matthew 4:19)
- e. He commissions. (Matthew 4:19)

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# What do we do?



1. Be honest with God about your heart (good and bad) and if you're hiding, come out.
2. Ask God if you are holding onto "nets" and if so, what must you let go?
3. Join a peer-to-peer discipleship group, marriage legacy group, furnace group, be discipled and disciple others.
4. Be happy about being seen.

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