

Journey Through John

John 1 - Evangelism

John 1:6 (ESV)

⁶ There was a man sent from God, whose name was John.

John 20:21 (ESV)

Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you."

GOD HAS PLACED US TO REACH PEOPLE

John 1:7-8 (ESV)

⁷ He came as a witness, to bear witness about the light, that all might believe through him. ⁸ He was not the light but came to bear witness about the light.

WE'VE BEEN SENT TO SHARE

John 1:29 (ESV)

²⁹ The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!"

John 1:35-36 (ESV)

³⁵ The next day again John was standing with two of his disciples, ³⁶ and he looked at Jesus as he walked by and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God!"

PROCLAIM JESUS TO PEOPLE

John 1:35-37 (ESV)

³⁵ The next day again John was standing with two of his disciples, ³⁶ and he looked at Jesus as he walked by and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God!" ³⁷ The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus.

PROCLAIMING JESUS TO PEOPLE PROMISES THAT SOME WILL FOLLOW

John 1:38-39 (ESV)

³⁸ Jesus turned and saw them following and said to them, "What are you seeking?" And they said to him, "Rabbi" (which means Teacher), "where are you staying?" ³⁹ He said to them, "Come and you will see." So they came and saw where he was staying, and they stayed with him that day, for it was about the tenth hour.

JESUS NEVER REJECTS THOSE WHO SINCERELY SEEK HIM

John 1:40-41 (ESV)

⁴⁰ One of the two who heard John speak and followed Jesus was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. ⁴¹ He first found his own brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which means Christ).

FOUND PEOPLE FIND PEOPLE

- We come to Christ and then go out for Christ to find people.**

"You're either a Missionary or an Imposter."

Charles Spurgeon

John 1:40-42a (ESV)

⁴⁰ One of the two who heard John speak and followed Jesus was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. ⁴¹ He first found his own brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which means Christ). ⁴² He brought him to Jesus.

BRING PEOPLE INTO ENVIRONMENTS WHERE THEY CAN MEET JESUS

John 1:42 (ESV)

⁴² He brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, "So you are Simon the son of John? You shall be called Cephas" (which means Peter).

WHEN WE BRING PEOPLE TO JESUS DESTINIES ARE UNLOCKED

John 1:43-44 (ESV)

⁴³ The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." ⁴⁴ Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter.

JESUS NEVER ASKS US TO DO SOMETHING HE HASN'T PERFECTED

John 1:45-46 (ESV)

⁴⁵ Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the Law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." ⁴⁶ Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?"

John 1:46 (ESV)

⁴⁶ Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see."

INVITE PEOPLE TO COME & SEE JESUS

John 1:47-50 (ESV)

⁴⁷ Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom there is no deceit!" ⁴⁸ Nathanael said to him, "How do you know me?" Jesus answered him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." ⁴⁹ Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" ⁵⁰ Jesus answered him, "Because I said to you, 'I saw you under the fig tree,' do you believe? You will see greater things than these."

JESUS CAN TURN SKEPTICS INTO SONS & DAUGHTERS

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