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1. What does this story teach me about God or the gospel?
2. What does this story teach me about myself?
3. Are there any commands in this story to obey? How are they for God's glory and my good?
4. Are there any promises in this story to remember? How do they help me trust and love God?
5. How does this story help me to live on mission better?



Unit 19 • Session 5

## JESUS CALLED HIS DISCIPLES

John 1

**WHAT DID JESUS DO TO SAVE US?  
JESUS LIVED A SINLESS LIFE, DIED ON THE CROSS, AND ROSE FROM  
THE DEAD.**

John saw Jesus coming toward him and he said, "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" "This is the Son of God!" John said.

John's disciples heard this and followed Jesus. They said, "Teacher, where are you staying?"

"Come and see," Jesus replied. So they went and saw where Jesus was staying, and they stayed with him that day.

One of the two who followed Jesus was named Andrew. Andrew found his brother Simon and said, "We have found the Messiah!" Andrew brought Simon to Jesus. When Jesus saw him, He said, "You are Simon, son of John. You will be called Cephas" (which is translated "Peter").

Jesus decided to go to Galilee. Jesus found Philip and told him, "Follow Me." Philip went to Nathanael and said, "We have found the Messiah. He is Jesus."

When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward Him, He said, "Here is an Israelite who can be trusted."

"How do You know me?" Nathanael asked.

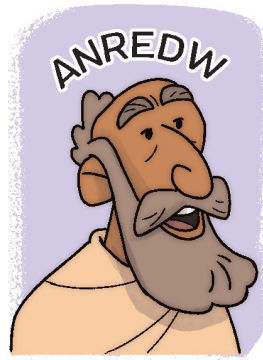
Jesus said, "I saw you, before Philip told you about Me."

Then Nathanael said, "Teacher, You are the Son of God. You are the King of Israel!"

**Christ Connection:** Jesus, the Son of God and true King of Israel, came to earth to show what God is like and to save people from their sins. He called disciples to follow Him. We are Jesus' disciples when we trust in Him. We can invite everyone to come and see the good news about Jesus.

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## Decipher the Disciples | Unscramble the names of the disciples Jesus chose to follow Him. (Hint: Use Mark 3:13-19 for help.)



## Is It True? | Circle the statements that are true from the Bible story. Use the Bible references to help you.

- 1) Simon and Andrew were brothers. (John 1:40)
- 2) Andrew was one of John the Baptist's disciples before becoming a disciple of Jesus. (John 1:37,40)
- 3) Jesus gave Simon the new name Luke. (John 1:42)
- 4) Jesus called Philip in Galilee. (John 1:43)
- 5) Nathanael heard about Jesus from Andrew. (John 1:45)
- 6) Philip said that Jesus was the One the prophets wrote about. (John 1:45)
- 7) Jesus saw Matthew sitting under a fig tree. (John 1:48)
- 8) Jesus told Nathanael that he would see great things. (John 1:50-51)