



#5 The King's Mission!

Matthew 4:18-25 (ESV)

**WHO IS THIS KING OF GLORY? THE LORD OF HOSTS,
HE IS THE KING OF GLORY! PSALM 24:10**

Matthew 4:18 While walking beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon (who is called Peter) and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea, for they were fishermen.¹⁹ And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men."²⁰ Immediately they left their nets and followed him.²¹ and going on from there he saw two other brothers, James the son of Zebedee and John his brother, in the boat with Zebedee their father, mending their nets, and he called them.²² Immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him.²³ And he went throughout all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction among the people.²⁴ So his fame spread throughout all Syria, and they brought him all the sick, those afflicted with various diseases and pains, those oppressed by demons, epileptics, and paralytics, and he healed them.²⁵ And great crowds followed him from Galilee and the Decapolis, and from Jerusalem and Judea, and from beyond the Jordan.

Three Phases of Jesus' Ministry

Year One – **OBSCURITY**

Year Two – **POPULARITY**

Year Three – **INCREASING HOSTILITY**

Jesus Proves He is the King

- Jesus proved Himself to the **RELIGIOUS LEADERSHIP** who rejected Him
- Jesus proved Himself to the **PEOPLE WHO WOULD BELIEVE** Him
- Jesus proved Himself to the **MEN WHO WOULD CARRY HIS MESSAGE**, His disciples

Jesus Calls His Followers to Join His Mission

- Jesus is the one **CALLING**
- Jesus **KNEW** who He called
- Jesus knew **WHY** He called them
- Jesus called them **RIGHT WHERE THEY WERE**

– Are you living for King Jesus as He carries out His mission?

– How has He proven Himself to be King in your life?

– Where is God calling you to follow Him?

“LOVEWorks”

Self-sacrificial acts of kindness,
offered to those we cross paths with,
in hopes of pointing them to our glorious God,
offered with no strings attached,
not out of guilt or duty, or to somehow obligate God,
but rather motivated by gratefulness for Christ's sacrifice
and prompted by the Holy Spirit
as we entrust the results to the Lord.

Bible Reading Plan

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday: Deuteronomy 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday: Deuteronomy 14 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Monday: Deuteronomy 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> Friday: Deuteronomy 15 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday: Deuteronomy 12 | <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday: Deuteronomy 16 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday: Deuteronomy 13 | <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday: Deuteronomy 17 |

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