



You Will See Greater Things!

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Text: John 1:47-51

Passage Summary: As the Apostle John makes another transition in the opening chapter of his gospel, he begins to shift his focus from the ministry of John the Baptist to the incarnate ministry of Christ!

180 Degree Truth #1: See that as the Apostle John shifts his focus to the incarnate ministry of Christ, he begins with Jesus calling His disciples! (1:47-51)

Application: Recognize that when it comes to the manner in which Jesus calls disciples, it involves...

- An omniscient _____: I _____ you! (v.47-48)

“How do you know me?” Nathanael asked. Jesus answered, ‘I saw you while you were still under the fig tree before Philip called you.’”

John 1:48

Omniscience of God:

“God _____ knows Himself and _____ things actual and possible in one simple and eternal act.”

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“Then Nathanael declared, ‘Rabbi, you are the Son of God; you are the King of Israel.’”

John 1:49

“He had a dream in which he saw a stairway resting on the earth, with its top reaching to heaven, and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it.”

Genesis 28:12

Remember: When it comes to Jesus calling disciples then and now, He breaks through the sin, pain, struggles and mistakes of a dark and lonely world and says, I _____ you; and then with an unapologetic admonition invites you, _____ Me!

- A hope filled _____: You shall see _____ things! (v.49-51)

“Jesus said, ‘You believe because I told you I saw you under the fig tree. You shall see greater things than that.’”

John 1:50

“I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”

John 14:6

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“I would have lost heart, unless I had believed that I would see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living.”

Psalms 27:13, NKJV

Core Conviction to Live By: Resolutely determine in these last days to _____ the course for Christ at a time when so many in the world and in the church seem content to _____ from the course; there is a salvation, and a rest and strength that come through it, for those who maintain an abiding relationship with Christ!

“This is what the Lord says: ‘Stand at the crossroads and look; ask for the ancient paths, ask where the good way is, and walk in it, and you will find rest for your souls. But you said, ‘We will not walk in it.’”

Jeremiah 6:16

“This is what the Sovereign LORD, the Holy One of Israel, says: ‘In repentance and rest is your salvation, in quietness and trust is your strength, but you would have none of it.’”

Isaiah 30:15