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## Disciples God Makes Into Disciple-Makers

Luke 5:1-11; 9:23-26

*“…Listening to the word of God…”*

# “Because you say so…”

1. An obedient, learner, follower (1-7)

* A disciple is defined by who he/she follows
* A disciple will obey in the face of conflicting advice and evidence

*“Go away from me Lord, I am a sinful man.”*

2. A humble servant (8-10)

* A disciple freely recognizes inabilities, spiritual disabilities and liabilities
* A disciple has the common mark of humility

“*Humility is the elevator to spiritual greatness”* (D. Bock)

*“Pulled their boats up on shore, left everything, and followed him.”*

3. A self-denier (11; 9:23-26)

*Not everyone is called to this level of service,*

*but every disciple is called to this level of living. (D. Bock)*

* A disciple is willing to leave it all behind
* A disciple values no greater prize then people

*God is not hoping he can persuade people to enlist in his mission, he calls disciples, because he has purposed the willingness of disciples as the method for his mission.*