

How To Follow Jesus By Faith

Mark 1:32-39

Jesus is Admired by Many...He's Followed by Few.

To be a True Follower of Jesus, HIS life must make a DIFFERENCE in US.

How Well Do YOU FOLLOW Jesus' Lead?

Today, we find Three COMMITMENTS we need to make in order to Faithfully & Successfully Follow Jesus' Lead...

1. BE DEPENDENT ON GOD IN PRAYER.

- Because Jesus Stayed Connected TO the Father, He was Continually Directed BY the Father.
- Jesus was a Constant Example of PRAYER...(v.35, Luke 5:16, 6:12)
- WE NEED to Develop the Discipline of Prayer.
- We're to PRAY even when we Don't FEEL Like It.
- We need to learn to Be DEPENDENT on God in Prayer... ALL DAY LONG.

2. BE DEVOTED TO GOD IN PRAYER.

- Whatever the Father Wanted is what Jesus DID.
- We're NOT to get our Direction from the Opinions Other People
- We're NOT to be "People-Pleasers," we're to be "God-Pleasers."
- Jesus was DEVOTED to the Father's Will...ARE YOU?

3. BE DELIBERATE FOR GOD IN PRAYER.

- God WANTS US to know about OUR Mission.
- WE must learn to be Focused on the Purpose God has given us. (Matt. 28:19-20)
- GOD IS willing to tell us, IF we're willing to Listen.
- WHEN you Pray Be Deliberate & Ask God to SHOW YOU!
- Are YOU FOLLOWING Jesus' Lead?