



LIVING

This message teaches us how to unclutter our souls through forgiveness.

OPENING QUESTIONS - Use one or both of these questions to connect with others in your group:

1. What is something you said "yes" to that you regret?
2. What is something that you are happy you said "yes" to?

KEY POINTS – take a minute to review the key points from this weekend's message

- We calm the chaos in our lives by simplifying what we're living for.
- First century Rabbi's invited successful people to "follow me" using the Greek words, "Lech Acharai".
- Jesus sees you as you are AND as you should be.
- Jesus pursues people... all people... (those the world considers successful and those who are not) to invite them into relationship with him.
- The things of this world may satisfy your taste buds, but they will not quench your thirst.
- Jesus is looking at you... pointing at you... and calling, "Lech Acharai."
- Simplify your life... simplify what you are living for... and follow Him!

SCRIPTURES USED IN THIS MESSAGE: Luke 5:27-32. Luke 5:31-32: John 4:14

RESPOND

Talk about a thought, phrase, or moment from this weekend's message that stuck with you. Give a brief reason for why these things stuck with you.

Was there a point in your life where you realized Jesus was calling you to follow him? If so, share what you remember of the process?

Rate yourself on a scale from 1 to 10 (1=low and 10=high). Consider yourself before you became a Jesus follower or where you are now if you are still deciding. How qualified would you consider yourself to be chosen as a follower of Jesus? Why did you choose the rating you chose?

If you are still seeking God, what would it take to convince you to become a follower?

If you consider yourself a follower of Jesus, what attitudes or actions demonstrate your faithfulness as a follower?

APPLY

What can you do this week to be a better follower of Jesus?

PRAY