Following Jesus

STEP BY STEP WITH JESUS

FOLLOWING JESUS VBS · PARENT NOTE

Day 1: Jesus Calls Me

Follow Me! | Jesus Calls the Fishermen (Luke 5:1-11; Matthew 4:18-22; John 1:43-51)

Dear Parents,

Today your child learned that Jesus called fishermen named Peter, Andrew, James, and John, and they left their nets to follow Him (Luke 5:1-11; Matthew 4:18-22). Our memory verse is Matthew 4:19: “Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men.” At dinner, ask: “What did Peter do when Jesus told him to let down the net?” Talk about one way your family can follow Jesus this week.

> Then He said to them, “Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men.”
> **Matthew 4:19 (NKJV)**

Talk about it at home

- What was Peter’s job?
- Why was Peter surprised when Jesus told him to let down the nets?
- What did Peter, Andrew, James, and John leave to follow Jesus?
- What does it mean to follow Jesus at home or at school?

Thank you for letting us teach your child about Jesus this week.

Questions? Contact [PLACEHOLDER: VBS director name and phone].

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