

Jesus' Ministry Principles

By examining the principles that guided Jesus' ministry we can learn what our own ministries should look like. Scripture documents the words and actions of Jesus as He engaged with His disciples.

I. The Life of Jesus' Followers

A. What did Jesus intend for His followers to become?

Matthew 10:24-25

Matthew 4:19

Matthew 5:13ff

Luke 10:2

Matthew 13:37-38

B. What can you discover from a verse analysis of John 13:15 about Jesus' desires for the character and attitude of His disciples?

C. Do a topical study of John's use of the word "disciple."

II. The Accomplishments of Jesus' Followers

A. What did Jesus want His followers to do?

John 4:35

John 17:4

Luke 10:2

Matthew 24:14



Matthew 28:19

Acts 1:8

B. Do a verse analysis of John 17:18.

III. Understanding Jesus' Purposes

A. Scope of Purpose

1. What was the scope of Jesus' purpose?

2. How do you see depth in Jesus' purpose?

3. To what degree was Jesus' purpose measurable, specific, and achievable?

4. Was Jesus' purpose challenging? In what ways?

B. Objectives and Assignments

1. What was the predominant assignment Jesus gave His followers?

2. Identify Jesus top five training objectives.

