

# **What It Means to Follow Jesus**

Text: **Luke 5:27-28 (NIV)**

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## **Introduction**

**John 3:7**  
**Luke 5:27-28**

## **I. Following Jesus Means a Commitment to**

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**Luke 5:28**  
**Mark 8:34-38**  
**Psa. 55:19, ESV**  
**Rom. 3:23**  
**2 Cor. 5:17**  
**John 10:10b**  
**John 8:12**

## **II. Following Jesus Means a Commitment to**

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**Mark 8:34**  
**Eph. 4:11-16**  
**Psa. 139:23-24**  
**Phil. 3:12-14, KJV**  
**Phil. 3:15-16**  
**Matt. 5:1-2, MSG**  
**Isa. 55:8-9**

**III. Following Jesus Means a Commitment to  
Difficult Decisions Because Jesus Has First Place in Our Life**

**Luke 9:57-62**

**Job 1:9-11**

**Matt. 6:33**

**IV. Following Jesus Means a Commitment to**

**Mark 1:16-18, NKJV**

**Conclusion**