

IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

KEY PASSAGE: LUKE 9:18-27

Opening: What truths impacted you most from the sermon/passage?

INFORM THE HEAD / STIR THE HEART

1. What are some current things you hear people say about who Jesus is, and why do you think the crowds didn't recognize that Jesus was the Christ (Messiah, Savior)?

2. After Peter replied to Jesus that he believed Jesus was "the Christ of God," why do you think Jesus told the disciples not to share this with anyone?

3. In vs. 22, Jesus said that He must (1) suffer (2) be rejected (3) be killed (4) be raised on the third day. How does the call that Jesus has for believers in vs. 23 compare with each of those things He said about Himself in vs. 22?

4. At Summit Point, we often say that salvation is not simple, but it's as easy as ABC. Admit you're a sinner in need of a Savior. Believe that Jesus died for our sins and was raised from the dead. Confess Jesus as Lord. In light of vs. 24-26, why is it not enough just to admit and believe?

5. There's a famous statement, "Actions speak louder than words." How do our daily lives functionally display whether we're ashamed of Jesus or proud to be with Jesus?

6. What do you see in this passage about the character of Jesus that makes Him worth following?

CHALLENGE THE WILL

Based on what you learned from the study, or read in the passage, what actions/focus do you need to pursue in order to draw closer to the Lord (i.e. Follow the one who willingly went to the cross for me; Follow the one who offers salvation)?

WEEKLY READING PLAN

Monday, April 12 // Luke 9:27-36

Listen to Jesus

Tuesday, April 13 // Matthew 10:16-39

Follow Him daily

Wednesday, April 14 // Hebrews 1:1-14

Who do you say that I AM?

Thursday, April 15 // Hebrews 2:1-18

Pay close attention to what you've heard

Friday, April 16 // John 10:21-33

Follow the Kind One