

# I Witness

*“Come, follow me,” Jesus said, “and I will send you out to fish for people.”*

~Matthew 4:19

## The DNA of a Disciple

### **1. EXPERIENCE IS THE BASIS OF MY WITNESS.**

*“Come, follow me,” Jesus said.*

Isaiah 6:7-8 “Your guilt is removed, and your sins are forgiven.’

Then I heard the Lord asking, ‘Whom should I send as a messenger to this people? Who will go for us?’

I said, ‘Here I am. Send me.’”

John 1:40-45 “Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother, was one of these men who heard what John said and then followed Jesus. Andrew went to find his brother, Simon, and told him, ‘We have found the Messiah’. Then Andrew brought Simon to meet Jesus. The next day Jesus found Philip and said to him, ‘Come, follow me.’ Philip went to look for Nathanael and told him, ‘We have found the very person Moses and the prophets wrote about! His name is Jesus, the son of Joseph from Nazareth.’”

### **Disciples make Disciples!**

John 4:28-29 “The woman left her water jar beside the well and ran back to the village, telling everyone, ‘Come and see a man who told me everything I ever did!’”

1 John 1:1-4 “We proclaim to you the one who existed from the beginning, whom we have heard and seen. We saw him with our own eyes and touched him with our own hands. He is the Word of life. This one who is life itself was revealed to us, and we have seen him. And now we testify and proclaim to you that he is the one who is eternal life. He was with the Father, and then he was revealed to us. We proclaim to you what we ourselves have actually seen and heard so that you may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ. We are writing these things so that you may fully share our joy.”

- The eternal God has come to us through His Son Jesus Christ
- Jesus has come to bring us eternal life as we are reconciled to the Father
- Jesus has come to bring us abundant life as we are reconciled to others