

Jesus Teaches the Cost of Discipleship

Luke 14:25-35

With a great multitude following Him, Jesus _____ and told them something so important He finished with, “He that hath ears to hear, let him hear.” Though salvation is a free gift, following Jesus and being His servant has a _____ to be paid here on earth. When we are unwilling to pay this price, and live in disobedience, we become a _____ disciple.

What is Discipleship!??

Is every Christian a Disciple?

I. The Setting

“And there went _____ multitudes with him: and he turned (Lit. - _____), and said unto them,” Luke 14:25

“great multitudes” –

“turned” –

II. The Cost of Discipleship

1. The Choice of _____ v. 26

“If any man come ____ me, and _____ not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethern, and sisters, yea, and his _____ also, he cannot be my _____.”
Luke 14:26

“hate not” –

“father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethern, and sisters” –

“own life” –

“If any man come to me, and hate not....” → “he cannot be my disciple.”

2. A _____ to be Borne

“And whosoever doth not bear _____ cross, and come _____ me, cannot be my _____.”

Luke 14:27

“bear his cross” –

“come after me” –

“whosoever doth not bear his cross” → “come after me” → “cannot be my disciple”

3. The _____ of All

➤ Cost of Building

“For which of you, intending to build a tower (Lit - _____), sitteth not down, first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it? ²⁹Let haply (Lit. - _____), after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to _____ him,

³⁰Saying, This man began to build, and was not able to finish.” Luke 14:28-32

➤ Cost of Battle

“Or what king, going to make war against another king, sitteth not down first, and consulteth whether he be able with _____ thousand to meet him that cometh against him with _____ thousand? ³²Or else, which the other is yet a great way off, he sendeth an ambassage (Lit. - _____), and desireth conditions of peace.” Luke 14:31-32

“So _____, whosoever he be of you that forsaketh (Lit. - _____) not _____ that he hath, he cannot be my _____.” Luke 14:33

“whosoever he be of you that forsaketh not all” → “cannot be my disciple”

V. The Consequences of the Decision

“Salt is _____ : but if the salt have lost his savor, wherewith shall it be seasoned? ³⁵It is neither fit for the _____, not yet for the dunghill (Lit. - _____); but men cast it out. He that hath ears to hear, let him hear.” Luke 14:34-35

Salt at the time of Christ –

Decision to Give all for Christ:

“salt is good” –

Decision to Withhold from Christ:

“salt have lost his savor” –

➤ “neither fit for the land” –

➤ “not yet for the dunghill” –

➤ “men cast it out” –

Carefully Consider:

“He that hath ears to hear, let him hear.”

Believers’ Application:

*“We must be willing to give up everything – to give up even ourselves, our entire selves – to Him.
For Christ will have all or nothing. He will never divide the human heart with any rival.
If we profess to serve him, we must have him for our only Master and not at all attempt to serve two masters.”*
-Charles H. Spurgeon-

Ladies Studying Jesus

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Read Luke 15. You will find three parables about the love of God for sinners. Enjoy the beauty of Jesus' words...AND be ready for our first quiz of the year next week!! 😊

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BONUS: