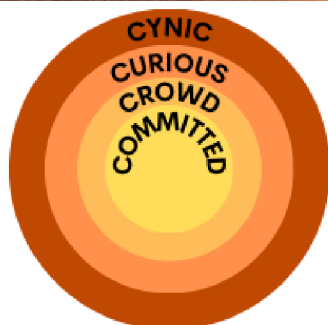


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IT'S MORE THAN A STORY

JOHN 12:12-50



TWO TRUTHS:

#1- Jesus Invites all of Us to
move from _____ to

#2- Jesus Tells us to
_____ others to

TODAY'S CHALLENGE:

#1- Identify which circle you are in when it comes to
your relationship with Jesus

#2- Are you satisfied with your answer to #1?

#3- Who have you invited to take a step closer to
Jesus lately?

1. THE _____ (19)

Luke 18:11- "I am not like _____"

Luke 18:13- "I am a _____"

AM I ONE OF THE CYNICS?

1. Am I focused on building my own kingdom or
God's?

2. Am I living for my own pleasure or for God's glory?

3. Do I give God glory or grasp for my own glory?

2. THE _____ (20-21)

Jesus calls you to _____, not _____

John 5:53-54

Jesus invites all of us to take a _____ closer to

AM I ONE OF THE CURIOUS?

1. Do you find yourself calling out for God's help only when you are in need?
2. Do you walk away from Jesus when He says hard things?
3. Do you walk away from Jesus when following Him becomes costly?

3. THE _____ (12-13, 42-43)

People in the crowd want to _____, not

One key thing separates the crowd and the curious:
_____ that Jesus is who He says He is

Romans 10:9-10

AM I ONE OF THE CROWD?

1. Have I put my faith and trust in Jesus?
2. Have I ever paid a price to follow Jesus?
3. Would my friends describe me as a follower of Jesus?

4. THE _____ (17-18, 22)

The committed are _____ of their
relationship with Jesus

AM I ONE OF THE COMMITTED?

1. Would others describe you as a follower of Jesus?
2. When is the last time you told someone else about Jesus?
3. Do you count it a blessing when suffering comes when you take a stand for Jesus?

We desire to get the _____ of the committed
without paying the _____ of being committed