

JESUS CALLS A MAN, LEVI

Luke 5:27-32

Key Verse: 5:27

"After this, Jesus went out and saw a tax collector by the name of Levi sitting at his tax booth. 'Follow me,' Jesus said to him...."

Study Questions:

1. Who was the second disciple Jesus called? How were tax collectors regarded? (Lk 5:30; Mk 2:15) Why might a man become a tax collector? In what respect was he selfish? (Jas 1:15)
2. What did Jesus say to Levi? How was Jesus' view of Levi different from others? How could Jesus have hope for such a selfish man? How can we see our sheep as Jesus did?
3. Read verse 27 again. What did it mean to Jesus to invite Levi to "Follow me"? (Rev 3:20)
4. How did Levi respond? (28-30) What did the banquet reveal about his changed life?
5. Why did the Pharisees complain to Jesus' disciples? (31-32; Ro 3:23) How did Jesus answer? What does it mean to repent?