

EVIDENCE

- an outward sign that furnishes proof;
one who bears witness

REVELATION 14

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A photograph of a paved road with two yellow lines in the center, receding into a forest. The road is dark asphalt, and the lines are bright yellow. The forest is dense with green trees and foliage. The lighting is bright, suggesting daytime.

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- *In the Tribulation Period*
- *Sealed before the winds of judgment begin*

Revelation 14

The True Jehovah's Witnesses

Revelation 7

- **Jews**
- **“Servants of God”**
- **12,000**
from
each 12
TRIBES

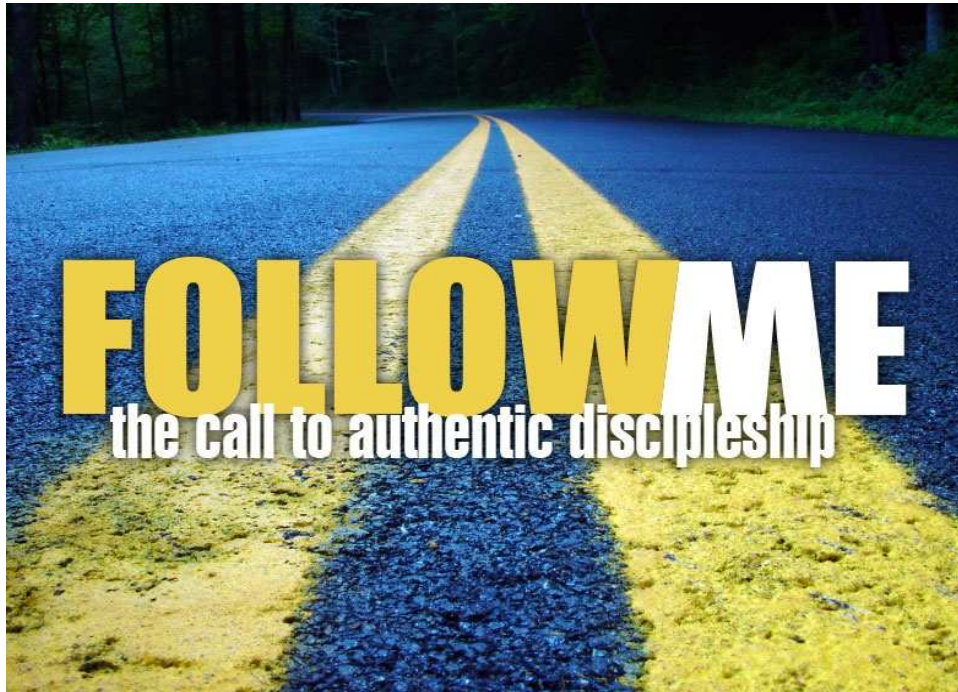
• To mark
God's
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• To
guarantee
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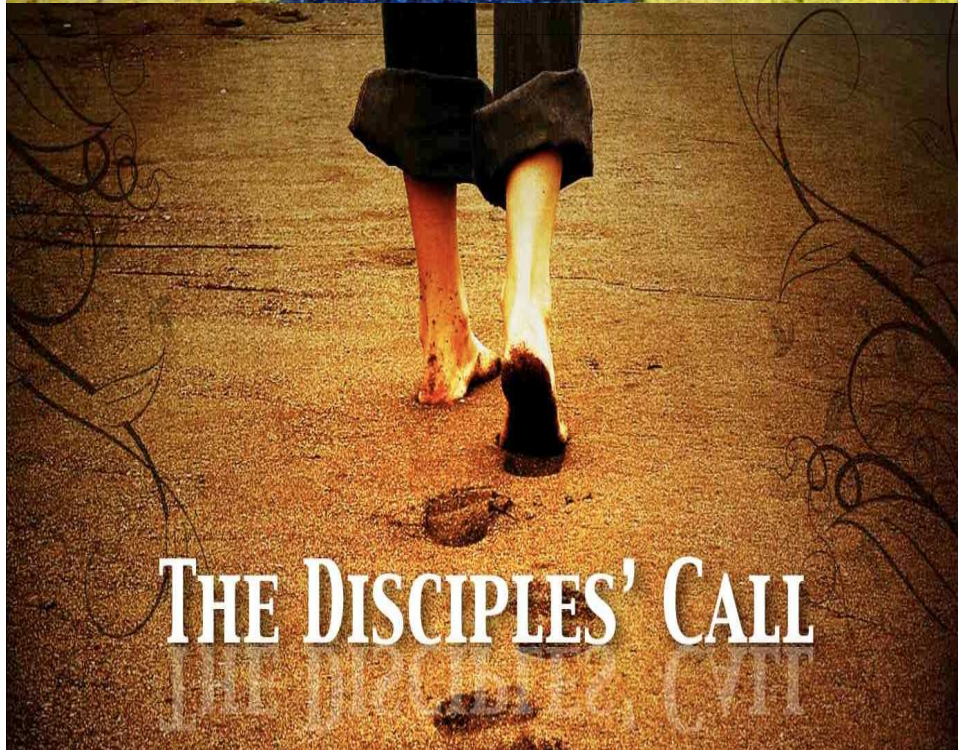
• To fulfill
God's
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PURPOSE

➤ WHY are they
sealed?





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THE DISCIPLES' CALL

PRESUMPTIONS:


- CHANGE
- SUBMISSION

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PREREQUISITES:

- DENY YOURSELF

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Matthew 24:14 And this
gospel of the kingdom
shall be preached in **all**
the world for a
witness unto all
nations; and then
shall the end come.

- Titus 1:16 **They profess that they know God; but in works they deny him**, being abominable, and disobedient, and unto every good work **reprobate**.
- 2 Corinthians 13:5-6 **Examine yourselves**, whether ye be in the faith; **prove your own selves**. Know ye not your own selves, how that Jesus Christ is in you, **except ye be reprobates**? But I trust that ye shall know that we are not reprobates.

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- *Acts 16:31* And they said, **Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved**, and thy house.
- *James 2:19* Thou believest that there is one God; thou doest well: **the devils also believe, and tremble**.
- *1 John 5:13* These things have I written unto you **that believe** on the name of the Son of God; **that ye may know that ye have eternal life**, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God.

- Romans 10:9 That **if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus**, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.
- Matthew 7:21 **Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord**, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; **but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.**

- John 6:29 Jesus answered and said unto them, **This is the work of God, that ye believe on him** whom he hath sent.
- John 6:39-40 And **this is the Father's will which hath sent me**, that of all which he hath given me I should lose nothing, but should raise it up again at the last day. And **this is the will of him that sent me, that every one which seeth the Son, and believeth on him, may have everlasting life**: and I will raise him up at the last day.

- *John 20:31* But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; **and that believing** ye **might have life through his name.**
- *John 8:29-30* And he that sent me is with me: the Father hath not left me alone; **for I do always those things that please him.** As he spake these words, **many believed on him.**
- *John 8:31* Then said Jesus to those Jews **which believed on him,** If ye continue in my word, **then** are ye my disciples indeed

- John 20:30-31 And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book: **But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name.**

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- *Jude 1:3* Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints.

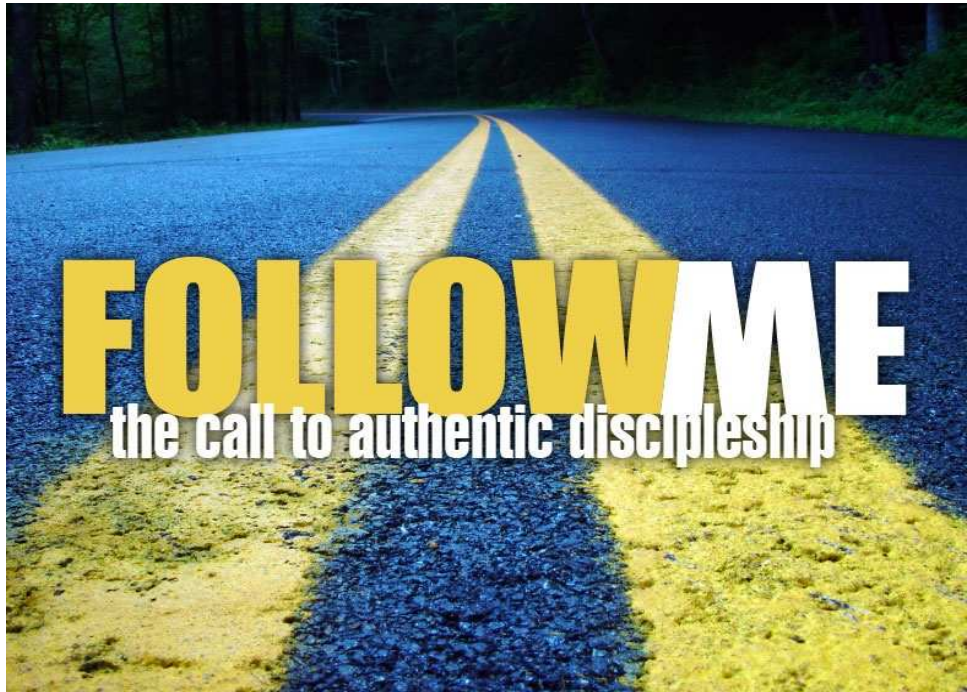
• Mark 1:15 And saying, The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: **repent ye, and believe the gospel.**

• Mark 2:17 When Jesus heard it, he saith unto them, They that are whole have no need of the physician, but they that are sick: **I came not to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.**

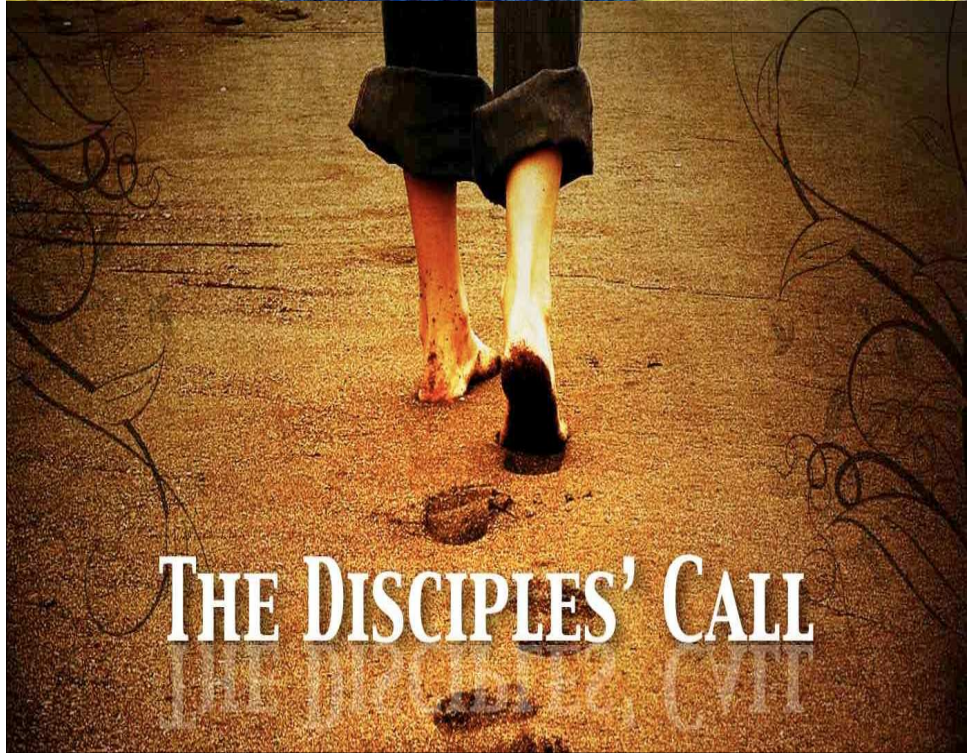
• 2 Peter 3:9 **The Lord** is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but **is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.**

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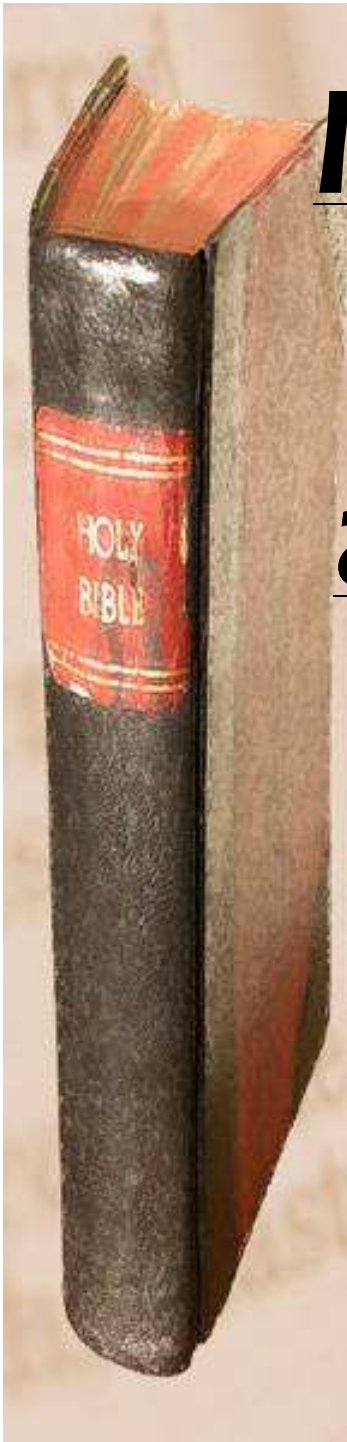
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- *Acts 16:30-31* And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved? And they said, **Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved,** and thy house.

• Zephaniah 3:2 She obeyed not the voice; she received not correction; she trusted not in the LORD; she drew not near to her God.



Isaiah 53:6 **All** we like
sheep have gone
astray; we have **turned**
every one to his own
way; and the LORD
hath laid on him the
iniquity of us all.

- Acts 17:30 And the times of this ignorance God winked at; **but now commandeth all men every where to repent**

- 1 Thessalonians 1:8-9 For from you sounded out the word of the Lord not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but also in every place your faith to God-ward is spread abroad; so that we need not to speak any thing. For they themselves shew of us what manner of entering in we had unto you, **and how ye turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God;**

- Colossians 3:4 When **Christ, who is our life, ...**”
- 1 Corinthians 6:19-20 What? know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and **ye are not your own**? For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's.

- *Ephesians 2:5-6* Even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by grace ye are saved;) And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus:
- *Galatians 2:20* I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me.

- Colossians 3:1-3 **If** ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth. For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God.

- 1 John 2:15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. **If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.**

- Matthew 6:19-20 Lay not up for **yourselves treasures upon earth**, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: **But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven**, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal:

- Matthew 6:24 **No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other.** Ye cannot serve God and mammon.

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