

Mark 1:16-20 & Luke 14:25-33

International Bible Lesson Study Guide

New American Standard Bible

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
2. What does this verse mean to me?
3. Discuss your answers with the class.

Mark 1:16-20

(Mark 1:16) As He was going along by the Sea of Galilee, He saw Simon and Andrew, the brother of Simon, casting a net in the sea; for they were fishermen.

(Mark 1:17) And Jesus said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you become fishers of men."

(Mark 1:18) Immediately they left their nets and followed Him.

(Mark 1:19) Going on a little farther, He saw James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother, who were also in the boat mending the nets.

(Mark 1:20) Immediately He called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired servants, and went away to follow Him.

Luke 14:25-33

(Luke 14:25) Now large crowds were going along with Him; and He turned and said to them,

(Luke 14:26) "If anyone comes to Me, and does not hate his own father and mother and wife and children and brothers and sisters, yes, and even his own life, he cannot be My disciple.

(Luke 14:27) "Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after Me cannot be My disciple.

(Luke 14:28) "For which one of you, when he wants to build a tower, does not first sit down and calculate the cost to see if he has enough to complete it?

(Luke 14:29) “Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish, all who observe it begin to ridicule him,

(Luke 14:30) saying, ‘This man began to build and was not able to finish.’

(Luke 14:31) “Or what king, when he sets out to meet another king in battle, will not first sit down and consider whether he is strong enough with ten thousand men to encounter the one coming against him with twenty thousand?

(Luke 14:32) “Or else, while the other is still far away, he sends a delegation and asks for terms of peace.

(Luke 14:33) “So then, none of you can be My disciple who does not give up all his own possessions.”

Write out the verse or verses you have been assigned below:

Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Study

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?