



MESSAGE NOTES

Learning to Follow Him

2 Peter 3:18

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1. Salvation Begins with Confessing Jesus as Lord

Acts 2:36; Romans 10:9

- Salvation isn't just believing about Jesus — it's confessing Jesus as Lord.
- It's about a new direction of life — turning from going your own way to following Jesus.

2. Following Jesus Is a Process of Learning

John 13:6–8, 12–15; Luke 9:46–48

- The disciples often misunderstood Jesus — they argued about greatness, missed His meaning. Yet they were still His followers. Jesus didn't dismiss them — He taught, corrected, and restored them.
- Jesus washing His disciples' feet — modeling humble leadership. He says, "You don't understand now, but later you will." (John 13:7)

3. Growing in Grace under the Lordship of Christ

Luke 6:46; 2 Peter 3:18

- Jesus said, "Why do you call me 'Lord, Lord, 'and do not do what I say?'" — True faith leads to growing obedience. The Holy Spirit leads us step by step into deeper obedience and understanding.

The growth pattern of the disciples:

- They left their nets — **obedience**.
- They misunderstood His mission — **immaturity**.
- They denied Him — **failure**.
- He restored them — **grace**. (repentance, and forgiveness)
- They preached boldly — **transformation**.

Conclusion:

Salvation is the start of a new direction — walking with Jesus as Lord.

Colossians 2:6 "So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in him."