

Eastridge Church
Sermon Study Questions

John: As I Have Loved You

Easter Sunday - Week 3: You Will See Angels

Passage: John 1:35-51



Re-read John 1:35-51

We see in verse 35-42 that Jesus first disciples are beginning to be drawn to him. Pastor Dwain highlighted that these men were already looking for something and the fact that all of us are in fact looking for something. *Does thing ring true in your life? Why would God have created us in this way?*

We also see in these verses that the two disciples begin to find their friends and tell them who they have found. *What does it say about God that friendship and community is how he regularly chooses to reveal himself to others? How could God have chosen to reveal himself differently? What does this tell us about what God values?*

The following is an excerpt from a quote that Pastor Dwain used:

“We are Christians because we have been taught; and those that taught us were taught themselves; so the line runs back to Christ and those about Him...” – William Temple

Spend some time thinking through your lineage as a believer. Who taught you and who taught them? How far back are you able to see God’s faithfulness? Who are you teaching now?

In closing, read through Pastor Dwain’s “final thoughts”

Ask Jesus to help you have the backbone and wishbone enough to...

- **Want to be a Christian Friend**
- **Want Christian Friends**
- **Have the courage to be a Christian Friend.**
- **To lead you today to see who yours are, or find new Christian Friends**

What comes to mind as you consider these final thoughts? How have Christian friendships shaped you and how are they shaping you now?

Close your time in prayer. Praise God for how he revealed himself to us in Jesus. Ask God to help you live into and find the kinds of Christian friendships that glorify Him and grow us in Jesus’ likeness.