

CASTING YOUR NET, pt.1
GET THE NET IN THE WATER
Matthew 5:1-16
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When we follow Jesus, our lives will make people curious about our God.

People who are blessed by God, in the way Jesus describes blessing, become people through whom others can see God.

What do we need to know about fishing for people?

1) We must _____ How God _____ people.

Matthew 5:1-12

- ✓ God blesses people who _____ their _____ for Him.
- ✓ God blesses people whose _____ reflects _____.
- ✓ God's blessing does not always mean we are _____.

2) God's _____ are meant to _____ the way we live.

Matthew 5:13

- ✓ Salt must _____ with what needs its influence.
- ✓ Salt must _____.
- ✓ Salt makes a difference without becoming the _____.

3) God's Blessing Should Help _____ in our lives.

Matthew 5:14-16

- ✓ A light is meant to be _____.
- ✓ Our good works should point _____.
- ✓ We must remember where the _____.

GET THE NET IN THE WATER!

Matthew 4:19 & 5:1-16

We follow Jesus! – We recognize our need for Him and trust His grace.

Jesus changes and shapes our lives! – We grow in humility, mercy, purity, etc.

Our lives influence others – We become Salt in a world that needs God's influence.

Our actions point people toward God – We shine as lights so that others may see and glorify our Father.