

Day 5: People Will Know You've Been With Jesus

Devotional

In the book of Acts, the religious leaders looked at Peter and John, two ordinary fishermen, and were astonished. They had no formal training. They had no credentials. But something about them was undeniable. The leaders recognized that they had been with Jesus.

That is one of the most powerful things that can be said about a person.

Following Jesus is not just about what you believe. It is about who you are becoming. It shows up in how you treat people, how you respond under pressure, how you love, and how you live. Discipleship is not lip service. It is a life that reflects the One you follow.

And here is the beautiful part. You do not have to manufacture that kind of life on your own. Jesus said He would make His disciples into something. The transformation is His work. Your part is to stay close to Him, keep your eyes fixed on Him, and let Him do what only He can do.

When you lose sight of Jesus, your problems grow bigger and your faith grows smaller. But when you stay focused on Him, something changes. Not just in what you do, but in who you are. And the people around you will notice.

Keep following. He is worth it.

Bible Verse

'Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were uneducated, common men, they were astonished. And they recognized that they had been with Jesus.' - Acts 4:13

Reflection Question

If the people closest to you were asked whether your life reflects time spent with Jesus, what do you think they would say?

Quote

The people listening could tell they've been with Jesus. That is so powerful. That should be the testimony of our lives.

Prayer

Jesus, I want my life to be a reflection of time spent with You. Transform me from the inside out so that others can see Your presence in everything I do. Amen.