

What is an Apostle?

# JESUS ANSWERED ...

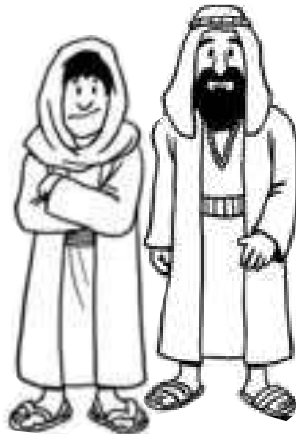
THE APOSTLES WERE SPECIAL FOLLOWERS OF MINE.

WHEN I BEGAN PREACHING, I CHOSE **12** TO BE PART OF A SPECIAL GROUP. THEY WERE THE FIRST LEADERS OF THE CHURCH.

*The word apostle comes from the Greek word apostolos, meaning "person who is sent forth."*



**Peter & Andrew**  
Brothers who were fishermen.



**John & James the Greater**  
Brothers who were fishermen



**Philip**  
from Bethsaida  
a fishing village



**Bartholomew**



**Matthew**  
Tax Collector



**Judas Iscariot**  
the Disciple who betrayed Jesus



**Simon  
the Zealot**



**Thomas**  
the Doubter



**Jude**  
also known as  
Thaddeus



**James the Lesser**  
perhaps called  
lesser because  
he was  
younger or shorter  
than  
James the Greater.