

# A Life of Inviting Others

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## Doing What Jesus Did A Life of Inviting Others

### I. Intro

A. Matthew 28:18-20 (NIV) <sup>18</sup>Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup>Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup>and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

1. The message of Jesus is meant to be  !

### II. How Did Jesus Invite Others?

A. Jesus made time for  .

1. Luke 19:1 (NIV) *Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through.*

a. The pace of grace is  and not  .

b. The pace of  is marked by  .

c.  happens in the  .

B. Jesus showed unusual  .

1. Luke 19:2 (NIV) *A man was there by the name of Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was wealthy.*

2. Luke 19:7 (NIV) *All the people saw this and began to mutter, "He has gone to be the guest of a sinner."*

C. Jesus  people into new life.

1. Luke 19:5-6 (NIV) <sup>5</sup>*When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today."* <sup>6</sup>*So he came down at once and welcomed him gladly.*

### III. Conclusion

A. Luke 19:8-10 (NIV) <sup>8</sup>*But Zacchaeus stood up and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord! Here and now I give half of my possessions to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody out of anything, I will pay back four times the amount."* <sup>9</sup>*Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham."* <sup>10</sup>*For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."*

B. Matthew 5:14-16 (NIV) <sup>14</sup>*"You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. <sup>15</sup>Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. <sup>16</sup>In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven."*

C. John 1:5 (NIV) *The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.*