

## Fresh Start Pt 5

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John 1:35-51

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How did \_\_\_\_\_ get all this started?

John 1:39-40 -“Come,” he replied, “and you will see.” So they went and saw where he was staying, and they spent that day with him. It was about four in the afternoon. 40 Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother, was one of the two who heard what John had said and who had followed Jesus.

All of our \_\_\_\_\_ at the purest and simplest form is living a life as a Christian and inviting people into that life and relationship with Jesus.

The kingdom of God is largely \_\_\_\_\_

You have more to offer than you think. Those who haven't tasted and seen that the Lord is good are starving for the \_\_\_\_\_ you have.

v41-42 - The first thing Andrew did was to find his brother Simon and tell him, “We have found the Messiah” (that is, the Christ). 42 And he brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, “You are Simon son of John. You will be called Cephas” (which, when translated, is Peter).

\_\_\_\_\_ is a very imperfect person, which gives us hope.

Jesus takes a \_\_\_\_\_ who has made a bunch of mistakes and calls out greatness in him.

v43-45 - The next day Jesus decided to leave for Galilee. Finding Philip, he said to him, “Follow me.” 44 Philip, like Andrew and Peter, was from the town of Bethsaida. 45 Philip found Nathanael and told him, “We have found the one Moses wrote about in the Law, and about whom the prophets also wrote—Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph.”

### "Follow Me"

v46- “Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?” Nathanael asked. “Come and see,” said Philip.

What is it about \_\_\_\_\_ that anyone would want to come and see?

v47-48 - When Jesus saw Nathanael approaching, he said of him, "Here truly is an Israelite in whom there is no deceit." 48  
"How do you know me?" Nathanael asked. Jesus answered, "I saw you while you were still under the fig tree before Philip called you."

Fig tree -

v49 - Then Nathanael declared, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God; you are the king of Israel.

v50- Jesus said, "You believe because I told you I saw you under the fig tree. You will see greater things than that."

v51 - He then added, "Very truly I tell you, you will see 'heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending on' the Son of Man."

Jacob's ladder-

Andrew

John

Peter

Philip

Nathanael