

Matthew 16:15-16 NIV

“But what about you?” He asked. “Who do you say I am?” Simon Peter answered, “You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.”

Matthew 10:1-2a

Jesus called His twelve disciples to Him and gave them authority to drive out impure spirits and to heal every disease and sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles:

Matthew 10:7-8

As you go, proclaim this message: ‘The kingdom of heaven has come near.’ Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons. Freely you have received; freely give.

References:

John 1:35-42

John 1:44-51

John 14:22

Matthew 10:9-15

Luke 10:4-12

John 16:20-22

Genesis 2:7

1 Corin 15:45

Disciple: pupil who is being taught by another

Apostle: qualified representative sent on a mission

1. The disciples’ _____ would be at their _____ of need, at their _____ of need and _____ what they needed.

Matthew 10:16a

I AM sending you out like sheep among wolves.

Luke 10:1-2

After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them two by two ahead of him to every town and place where he was about to go. He told them, “The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into His harvest field.”

2. If God ain’t in _____, then it is _____.

Luke 10:3

Go! I AM sending you out like lambs among wolves.

Luke 10:16

“Whoever listens to you listens to Me; whoever rejects you rejects Me; but whoever rejects Me rejects Him who sent Me.”

3. When God _____ and _____ is the result, remember _____ is the One being rejected.

Luke 10:17-18

The seventy-two returned with joy and said, “Lord, even the demons submit to us in your Name.” He replied, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven.

Luke 10:20

However, do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.

4. Pride is the _____ sin – the _____ of all rebellion against God.

John 20:19-20

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors locked for fear of the Jewish leaders, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" After He said this, He showed them His hands and side. The disciples were overjoyed when they saw the Lord.

5. Jesus gave us _____ in _____.

6. _____ is a result of the truth that nothing can take away our joy.

John 20:21-22

Again Jesus said, "Peace be with you! As the Father has sent Me, I AM sending you."
And with that He breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit."

The disciples had been reassured

Peace be with you

The disciples had been commissioned

I AM sending you

The disciples had been enabled

Receive the Holy Spirit

Matthew 28:19-20

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, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I AM with you always, to the very end of the age.

Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or terrified because of them, for the LORD your God goes with you; He will never leave you nor forsake you.

Deuteronomy 31:6

References:

John 14:16-17a

John 15:26

John 16:13