

# Message Notes

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*The Life of Christ*  
The Call of Levi  
Luke 5:27-32  
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## Called by Jesus

After this, Jesus went out and saw a tax collector by the name of Levi sitting at his tax booth. "Follow Me," Jesus said to him, and Levi got up, left everything and followed Him. **Luke 5:27-28**

### A. The Life of a Tax Collector—

### B. The Call of Jesus (vv. 27-28)

◆ A Christian is someone who has been \_\_\_\_\_:

1. Called to follow a \_\_\_\_\_ not an \_\_\_\_\_. (Mt 10:38; 16:24)
2. Called to \_\_\_\_\_. (Lk 5:11; 9:57-62; 14:25-35)
3. Being called results in \_\_\_\_\_ life- \_\_\_\_\_. (Mt 13:1-23; Col 1:6)

## Extending the Invitation

### A. Levi's Party (v. 29)

### B. Party Crashers (v. 30)

### C. The Mission of Jesus (vv. 31-32)

Jesus answered them, "It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance."  
**Luke 5:31-32**

◆ The \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus was to hang out with those who \_\_\_\_\_ Him.

◆ \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ can I extend Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_ to follow Him?