

Oikos 3: "Come and See"

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Review:

- Oikos – A group of 8 to 15 people with whom you share life most closely, your sphere of influence.

John 1:29-46

- John's Witness 29-34
 - "Look!" (BEHOLD!)
 - "The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world."
 - Compare w/ Exodus 12 & Isaiah 53:7
 - It's not about John! (See John 3:30)
- The First Disciples 35-39
 - The Repeated Message: "Look, the Lamb of God!"
 - Action: Followed Jesus.
 - Jesus' Invitation: "Come, and you will see." (So, they did.)
- Andrew & Simon Peter
 - Action: Found Simon
 - Message: "We have found the Messiah!"
 - Andrew brought him to Jesus.
 - Jesus' Invitation: Be transformed!
- Philip & Nathanael
 - Jesus' Invitation: "Follow me."
 - Philip's Action: Found Nathanael to tell him!
 - Philip's Message: "We have found the ONE!"
 - Nathanael's Hesitation: "Whatever!"
 - Philip's Invitation: "Come and see."

Keys:

- They simply introduced their oikos to Jesus.
- The message was simple: "Come and see."

Application:

- "Behold" – Where are you pointing?
- "Come..." – Who can you find? (Revelation 22:17)