

Come and See: The Messengers
John 21:1-25

After the Resurrection, Jesus Is as Real as Ever; the Disciples as Human as Ever!

The Manifestation: A Very Real and Very Risen Person - Jo 21:14

- Fully human and fully divine - Jo 21:14

...time and interest for the individual - Jo 21:2

- He comes as Lord - Jo 21:7,12,15,16,21

..."I've got this!"

- He comes as Lover - Jo 21:15,16,17

..."I care for you!"

The Messengers: Equipped to Reveal and Release His Life

- As fishermen - Jo 21:1-11; Mk 1:17

...For the sake of unbelievers

...Each of us telling His story with our lives and our words - Acts 1:8

...Disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ skillfully disguised as _____

- As shepherds - Jo 21:15-17

...For the sake of believers

...Each of us caring for those alongside/coming behind us - Matt 10:8; Ps 23; Heb 5:12

...About a loving relationship, not a legal obligation

- As followers - Jo 21:22

...Always under Jesus' authority

...Each of us in the living oneness of a shared life - 1 Cor 6:17; 1 Jo 1

...Revelation is for lovers - Jo 14:21; II Cor 5:14

- We will be true fishers, shepherds, and followers only as ourselves - Jo 21:22

...inviting others to "Come and See" a unique glimpse of Jesus Christ the Lord!