

## Fan or Follower Luke 9:23 Outline

"Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven. Many will say to me on that day, 'Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name and in your name drive out demons and in your name perform many miracles?' Then I will tell them plainly, 'I never knew you. Away from me, you evildoers!' Matthew 7:21-23

John 6

## I. Why Are You Here?

The Crowd

"Very truly I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw the signs I performed but because you ate the loaves and had your fill." (vs. 26)

The Rich Man "What must I do to gain eternal life?" Matthew 19: 16

"If you want to be perfect, go and sell all your possessions and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me." But when the young man heard this, he went away sad, for he had many possessions. Matthew 19:20-22

## II. Are You All In?

"Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me." Luke 9:23 "Whoever wants to be **my** disciple..." "...must deny themselves."

"...take up your **cross.**"

"I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me." Galatians 2:20

"and follow me."

## III. Is Your Faith Your Own?

"Whoever wants to be my disciple..." John 9:23 "Come, follow me." Matthew 4:19

"Who do you say that I am?" Matthew 16:15