

not a fan.

becoming a completely. committed. follower.

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Fan or Follower?

DTR: _____ the _____

²³ Then he said to the crowd, “If any of you wants to be my follower, you must turn from your selfish ways, take up your cross daily, and follow me. Luke 9:23 (NLT)

Are you a _____ or a _____ of Jesus?

Fan - An enthusiastic _____.

Follower - One who goes with Jesus:

- wherever he _____
- whenever He _____
- whatever the _____

Three Questions

1. Why are you _____?

²⁶ Jesus answered them, “Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. John 6:26 (NRSV)

2. Are you _____ _____?

¹⁸ One day as Jesus was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers—Simon, also called Peter, and Andrew—throwing a net into the water, for they fished for a living. ¹⁹ Jesus called out to them, “Come, follow me, and I will show you how to fish for people!” ²⁰ And they left their nets at once and followed him. ²¹ A little farther up the shore he saw two other brothers, James and John, sitting in a boat with their father, Zebedee, repairing their nets. And he called them to come, too. ²² They immediately followed him, leaving the boat and their father behind.

Matthew 4:18-22 (NLT)

²⁴ “No one can serve two masters. He will hate the first master and love the second, or he will be devoted to the first and despise the second. You cannot serve God and wealth.” Matthew 6:24 (GW)

3. Have you made it _____ _____?

²⁶ “If anyone comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters—yes, even their own life—such a person cannot be my disciple. Luke 14:26 (NIV2011)

My Next Step Today Is To:

- Go all in by becoming a follower of Jesus.
- Join a Life Group so that I can explore more deeply what it means to be a follower of Jesus.
- Clarify in my own heart that I have turned from my selfish ways, have given myself fully to God and am determined to follow Jesus wherever it takes me.
- Memorize and/or meditate on Luke 9:23