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Luke 5:27-32

ENGAGE YOUR WORLD

I. Introduction: Engage Your World

II. Unpacking The Passage:

A. The Calling:

1. Jesus Calls Levi

27] 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," Luke 5:27

2. Levi Follows Jesus

28] and Levi got up, left everything and followed him." Luke 5:28

B. The Celebration:

1. Levi Celebrates With A Banquet

29] Then Levi held a great banquet for Jesus at his house," Luke 5:29

2. Levi's Guest List

".....and a large crowd of tax collectors and others were eating with them." Luke 5:29

C. The Challenge:

1. The Pharisee's Raise Their Complaint

30] But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law who belonged to their sect complained to his disciples, "Why do you eat and drink with tax collectors and `sinners'?" Luke 5:30

2. Jesus Responds With A Challenge

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

III. Conclusion and Application:

1. How is your attitude towards unbelievers?
2. How much time to you spend with the unsaved?
3. How open are you to new and creative ways to reach the lost?