

Jesus Seeks a Sinful Man that Seeks After Him (Luke 19:1-10)

¹ Then Jesus entered and passed through Jericho. ² Now behold, *there* was a man named Zacchaeus who was a chief tax collector, and he was rich. ³ And he sought to see who Jesus was, but could not because of the crowd, for he was of short stature. ⁴ So he ran ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see Him, for He was going to pass that way. ⁵ And when Jesus came to the place, He looked up and saw him, and said to him, "Zacchaeus, make haste and come down, for today I must stay at your house." ⁶ So he made haste and came down, and received Him joyfully. ⁷ But when they saw *it*, they all complained, saying, "He has gone to be a guest with a man who is a sinner." ⁸ Then Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord, I give half of my goods to the poor; and if I have taken anything from anyone by false accusation, I restore fourfold." ⁹ And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he also is a son of Abraham; ¹⁰ "for the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost."

1. Jesus Travels _____ Jericho

¹ Then Jesus entered and passed through Jericho.

2. A Certain Man Is _____

² Now behold, *there* was a man named Zacchaeus who was a chief tax collector, and he was rich.

- a. *His gender*
- b. *His name*
- c. *His occupation*
- d. *His economic status*

3. Zacchaeus Desires to _____ Jesus

³ And he sought to see who Jesus was, but could not because of the crowd, for he was of short stature.

- a. *He was trying to see Jesus*
- b. *He was wanting to know who Jesus is*
- c. *He was not being unable to see Jesus*
- d. *He was being small in stature*

4. Zacchaeus _____ Out a Plan

⁴ So he ran ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see Him, for He was going to pass that way.

- a. *He runs ahead of the crowd*
- b. *He climbs up a sycamore*
- c. *He positions himself to see Jesus pass by*

5. Jesus Has His _____ Plan

⁵ And when Jesus came to the place, He looked up and saw him, and said to him, "Zacchaeus, make haste and **come down**, for TODAY I must stay at your house."

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- a. *Jesus nears the sycamore*
- b. *Jesus looks up*
- c. *Jesus calls Zacchaeus by name*
- d. *Jesus commands Zacchaeus to come down*
- e. *Jesus explains his plan*

6. Zacchaeus _____ Jesus

⁶ So he made haste and came down, and received Him joyfully.

- a. *He comes down*
- b. *He receives Jesus*
- c. *He rejoices ("rejoicing")*

7. The Critics _____ to Jesus

⁷ But when they saw *it*, they all complained, saying, "He has gone to be a guest with a man who is a sinner."

- a. *They saw*
- b. *They were all complaining*
- c. *Their complaint – lodging with a sinner*

8. Zacchaeus Testifies a _____ in Heart

⁸ Then Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord, I give half of my goods to the poor; and if I have taken anything from anyone by false accusation, I restore fourfold."

- a. *He stands*
- b. *He gives half of his wealth to the poor*
- c. *He returns what he defrauded fourfold*

9. Jesus Identifies the _____

⁹ And Jesus said to him, "TODAY salvation has come to this house, because he also is a son of Abraham;

- a. *The timing*
- b. *The event*
- c. *The connection*

10. Jesus Identifies His Own _____

¹⁰ "for the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost."

- a. *His identity*
- b. *His activity*
- c. *His focus*

***Jesus will save the worst of sinners. Will YOU be saved?
Is your life reflecting your salvation?***