March 11

Following Jesus / Discipleship

TODAY'S TREASURES

Then he said to the crowd, "If any of you wants to be my follower, you must give up your own way, take up your cross daily, and follow me." ~ LUKE 9:23 (NLT)

When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." ~ JOHN 8:12 (NIV)

My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me.
~ JOHN 10:27 (NIV)

If anyone serves me, he must follow me; and where I am, there will my servant be also. If anyone serves me, the Father will honor him. ~ JOHN 12:26 (ESV)

And anyone who does not carry his cross and follow me cannot be my disciple.
~ LUKE 14:27 (NIV)

For God called you to do good, even if it means suffering, just as Christ suffered for you. He is your example, and you must follow in his steps.
~ 1 PETER 2:21 (NLT)

You became imitators of us and of the Lord, for you welcomed the message in the midst of severe suffering with the joy given by the Holy Spirit.
~ 1 THESSALONIANS 1:6 (NIV)

Apart from me you can do nothing…This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples. ~ JOHN 15:5b,8 (NIV)

MORE TREASURES

Matthew 4:19-20; 10:38-39; Romans 6:1-18; 12:1-2; 1 John 2:3-6;
Philippians 3:7-11; 1 Corinthians 11:1; 1 Peter 1:14-16

PRAYER

Lord, thank You for giving me the desire and the power to follow You.
I could never do it on my own! Even still, I fail so often and I appreciate Your grace to forgive me! I rely on You totally!
In Jesus' Name, Amen!