



Luke 19:1-9 (ESV) Jesus and Zacchaeus

¹He entered Jericho and was passing through. ² And behold, there was a man named Zacchaeus. He was a chief tax collector and was rich. ³ And he was seeking to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was small in stature.



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4 So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him, for he was about to pass that way. ⁵ And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today." 6 So he hurried and came down and received him joyfully.



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⁷ And when they saw it, they all grumbled, "He has gone in to be the guest of a man who is a sinner." 8 And Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor. And if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I restore it fourfold." 9 And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, since he also is a son of Abraham.

Luke 19:1-9 (ESV) Jesus and Zacchaeus 10 For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."

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1. Jesus noticed Zacchaeus

Jesus noticed Zacchaeus in the tree in spite of all the distraction and noise of people around Him and poses the challenge to us if we're allowing the Holy Spirit to help us "notice" someone that climbed the tree or has a need.

Matt 4:18 (NLT)

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.



Matt 4:21 (NLT)

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.

Matt 9:9 (NLT)

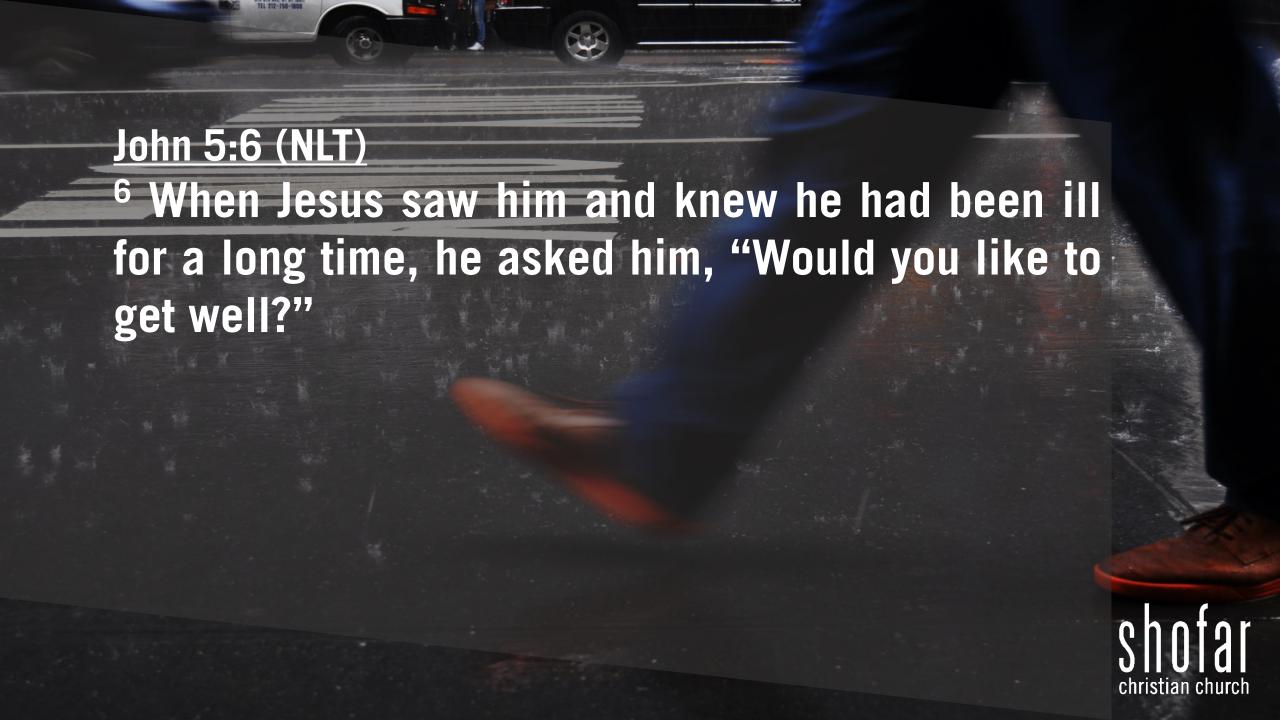
⁹ As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man named Matthew sitting at his tax collector's booth. "Follow me and be my disciple," Jesus said to him. So Matthew got up and followed him.





 Noticing will not help a person if we do not stop there for a moment and engage.





John 7:6-10;14-15(NLT)

⁶ Jesus replied, "Now is not the right time for me to go, but you can go anytime. 7 The world can't hate you, but it does hate me because I accuse it of doing evil. 8 You go on. I'm not going to this festival, because my time has not yet come." 9 After saying these things, Jesus remained in Galilee. 10 But after his brothers left for the festival, Jesus also went, though secretly, staying out of public view

John 7:6-10;14-15(NLT)

14 Then, midway through the festival, Jesus went up to the Temple and began to teach. 15 The people were surprised when they heard him. "How does he know so much when he hasn't been trained?" they asked.



3. Jesus had <u>communion</u> with **Zacchaeus**

 If we have made the time to stop, we can make the time to have communion together, in the end this led to the salvation of not just Zacchaeus, but to his whole household.

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