

# JESUS' DISCIPLES

- Draw a line from each disciple's name to the phrase that describes him.
- Draw a fish next to the names of the fishermen.

## **PETER**

(Matthew 16:17-18)

a tax collector

## **ANDREW**

(Matthew 4:18)

son of Zebedee and brother of James

## **JAMES**

(Luke 5:10)

also called the Twin

## **JOHN**

(Luke 5:10)

brother of John

## **PHILIP**

(John 1:43-51)

his name means "rock"

## **MATTHEW**

(Matthew 9:9)

betrayed Jesus

## **THOMAS**

(John 11:16)

son of Alphaeus

## **JAMES**

(Mark 3:18)

Peter's brother

## **SIMON**

(Mark 3:18)

he brought Nathanael to Jesus

## **JUDAS**

(Mark 3:19)

a Cananaean (Canaanite)

Bonus: his name was Simon before Jesus gave him a nickname (Mark 3:16)

Bonus: he was also called the Zealot (Luke 6:15)

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## **MORE BONUSES**

(Matthew 10:2-4; Mark 3:14-19; Luke 6:12-16)

How many close disciples did Jesus have?

Which names are missing from the list on the first page?

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# KEY TO JESUS' DISCIPLES WORKSHEET

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(Matthew 16:17-18)

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Bonus: his name was Simon before he met Jesus (Mark 3:16)

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## JUDAS

(Mark 3:19)

betrayed Jesus

How many close disciples did Jesus have? **12**

Which names are missing from the list?

**BARTHOLOMEW/NATHANAEL, THADDAEUS**

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# A WAY TO REMEMBER THE NAMES OF THE DISCIPLES

An easy way to remember the disciples' names is to create a mnemonic. For example, **STAMP** the **T**(oast) with **P**(eanut) **B**(utter) and **4 J**(ams) stands for:

**S**imon

**T**haddaeus

**A**ndrew

**M**atthew

**P**hilip

**T**homas

**P**eter

**B**artholomew

**J**ohn

**J**ames

**J**udas

**J**ames