

Jesus is Calling

Luke 1, Luke 22, Acts 9

Stevie Wonder wrote a song.....

When I think about that song and when I see Jesus in the N.T.
3 different times say to 3 different people more than the normal
I can hear Jesus saying, "I called to say I love you I called to say I care."

Notice 3 things:

- I. Martha, Martha: Jesus is calling to a _____ servant. Luke 10:38-42
Warning for us all --- Don't get so busy.....

Key thought:

Supplication comes before _____ Bible study comes before _____
and we must pray before we _____ !

- II. Simon, Simon: Jesus is calling a _____ saint. Luke 22:31-32

Proverbs 14:14 *The backslider in heart shall be filled with his own ways...*

What does a backslidden Christian, a Christian out of fellowship with Jesus, look like ?

Remember this:

As Christians we can backslide at _____ like we can at home or any other place.

Notice 3 things:

A Christian out of fellowship will be:

1. _____ in their spirit. Galatians 5:22
2. _____ in service.

A Christian who gets out of fellowship with Jesus won't.....

3. _____ toward others.

Ephesians 4:32 *And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.*

Thank God: _____ don't have to be _____ !

They weren't in Simon Peter's life, for we see him in Luke 22 _____ Jesus,
but then in Acts 2 we see him _____ Jesus and then at the end of his life
we see him _____ for Jesus !

- III. Saul, Saul: Jesus is calling a _____ - _____ sinner. Acts 9:4

Paul's salvation experience in Acts 9 can be summed up in 3 lines:

1. Shining _____ v3
2. Saving _____ vs4-5
3. New _____ v6

Only Jesus can turn a bad news sinner like _____ into a good news saint like _____ !

At Calvary where Jesus died for our sins God was..... Hallelujah !!!