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## Luke 5:1-11 (NIV)

One day as Jesus was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret, with the people crowding around him and listening to the word of God, he saw at the water's edge two boats, left there by the fishermen, who were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little from shore. Then he sat down and taught the people from the boat.



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When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into deep water, and let down the nets for a catch."

Simon answered, "Master, we've worked hard all night and haven't caught anything. But because you say so, I will let down the nets."

When they had done so, they caught such a large number of fish that their nets began to break.



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So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them, and they came and filled both boats so full that they began to sink.

When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at Jesus' knees and said, "Go away from me, Lord; I am a sinful man!" For he and all his companions were astonished at the catch of fish they had





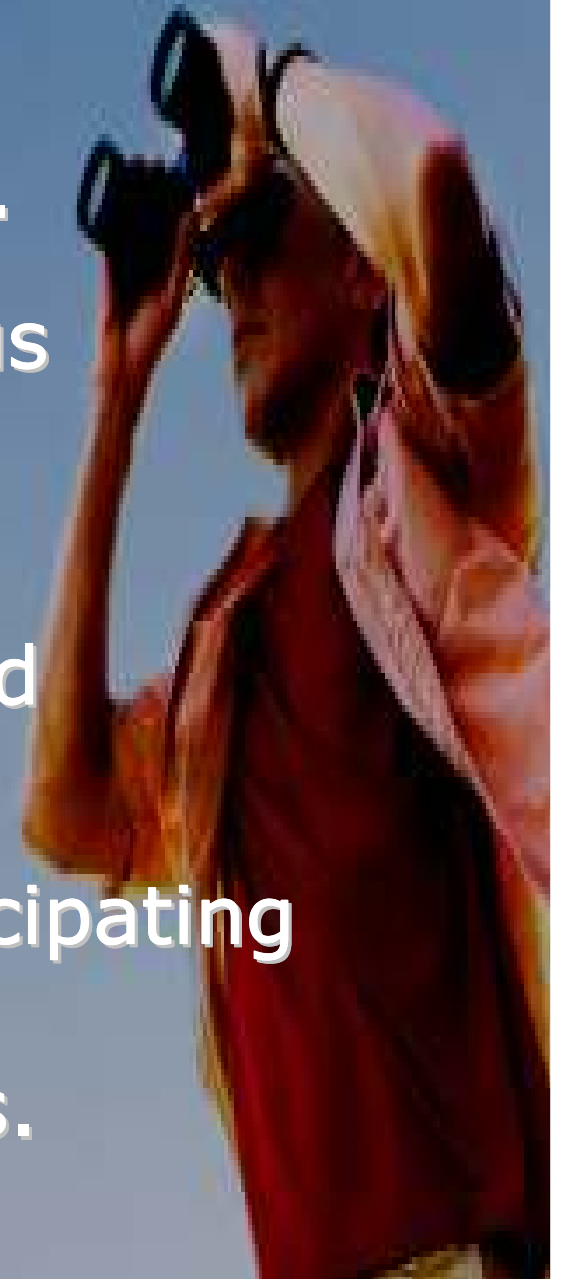
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taken, and so were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, Simon's partners.

Then Jesus said to Simon, "Don't be afraid; from now on you will catch men." So they pulled their boats up on shore, left everything and followed him.

# observations

1. Jesus chooses to invite us to participate in what He's doing.
2. Even though we are busy Jesus still ask us to join His cause.
3. Jesus reveals the difference between working with Him and working for self.
4. The amazing result from participating with Jesus is NOT due to our goodness or greatness but His.



# observations

5. Jesus asks us to use what we do have – not what we don't.
6. Jesus models team-effort as His strategy to accomplish His revolution.





# application

1. I'm not good enough.
2. I don't have the right abilities.
3. How at this life-stage can I do that?
4. What's in it for me?

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