

A disciple is not above his teacher, but everyone when he is fully trained will be like his teacher. Luke 6:40 (ESV)

Like You

What does that mean? **What does what mean?** What does it mean when your word says that I will not be above you? **What do you think it means?** If I were sure, I wouldn't have asked you. **You must have some ideas of what it means when my word says that you would not be above me.** I do. **Tell me what you think it means.** You want me to live a life that is like yours. I should expect that my life will end up looking a lot like yours if I am truly one of your disciples. **In what ways do you think I want your life to look like mine?** I think you want me to think like you thought. **What did I think?** You thought what your Heavenly Father wanted you to think. You thought of yourself as a servant. I should think of myself as a servant. **Who did I come into the world to serve?** You came into the world to serve your Heavenly Father. You came into the world to serve others. You humbled yourself in your service to both your Heavenly Father and to others. **That's right.** I want to humbly serve you and others. **That is very good.**

What else? I think you want me to speak like you spoke. **What kind of words did I speak?** You spoke words that your Heavenly Father gave you to speak. You spoke words that were kind and loving and gracious. You spoke words of healing and restoration. You spoke words of faith and hope and love. You spoke life giving words that lifted others up, rather than put them down. **Yes, I did.** I want you to speak your words through me. I want my words to give life and lift others up. **That is very good.**

What else? I think you want me to do what you did. **What did do?** You relied on your Heavenly Father to guide your life. You followed His instructions. You went where He led you. You did what He asked of you. You accomplished His purposes. You fulfilled His plans. **Yes, I did.** **What plan have you been given to fulfill?** It is your plan that I bear fruit for your kingdom. It is your plan that I will bring glory to your name. You want me to be a light and a witness in the world for you. You want me to go and make disciples. **Yes, I do.** **Will you be like me in all your thoughts, words and deeds?** Yes Lord, I will. **That will be very good.**

Lord, I want to be like you. I want to think the kind of thoughts you thought. I want to speak the kind of words you spoke. I want to do the kind of deeds you did. In every way, I want to live the life you lived. Work in and through me to make this possible. Amen

Discipleship *Like His Teacher*

A student is not above his teacher, but everyone who is fully trained will be like his teacher.

NIV Luke 6:40

Discipleship *Like His Teacher*

A disciple is not above his teacher, but everyone when he is fully trained will be like his teacher.

ESV Luke 6:40

Discipleship *Like The Teacher*

Students are not greater than their teacher. But the student who is fully trained will become like the teacher.

NLT Luke 6:40

Discipleship *Like His Teacher*

A disciple is not above his teacher, but everyone who is perfectly trained will be like his teacher.

NKJV Luke 6:40

Discipleship *Like The Teacher*

A disciple is not above the teacher, but everyone who is fully qualified will be like the teacher.

NRSV Luke 6:40

Discipleship *Follow As Your Teacher*

An apprentice doesn't lecture the master. The point is to be careful who you follow as your teacher.

MSG Luke 6:40

Discipleship *Like His Teacher*

A pupil is not superior to his teacher, but everyone [when he is] completely trained (readjusted, restored, set to rights, and perfected) will be like his teacher.

AMP Luke 6:40

Discipleship *Learn As Much*

How can a student know more than his teacher? But if he works hard, he may learn as much.

TLB Luke 6:40

Discipleship *Like His Teacher*

"A pupil is not above his teacher; but everyone, after he has been fully trained, will be like his teacher.

NASB Luke 6:40

Discipleship *Like The Teacher*

A student is not better than the teacher, but the student who has been fully trained will be like the teacher.

NCV Luke 6:40

Like His Teacher

Year _____ Week _____ Day _____ Date _____

Discipleship – Luke 6:40

In Context: *Read Luke 6*

Begin With Prayer:

Here I am Lord. I Am Listening.

Meditating On God's Word: (*What is God speaking to your heart?*)

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Considering The Words: (*What words speak to your heart?*)

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Praying The Scripture:

(What prayer from your heart will you write?)

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What It Means: (*What questions speak to your heart?*) (*Suggested questions for small group discussion are in bold*)

How has the Lord changed the thoughts of your mind since you started following Him?

How has the Lord changed the words of your mouth since you started following Him?

How has the Lord changed the deeds of life since you started following Him?

How is Jesus Christ your role model to guide all that you think, say and do?

How are you becoming more like Jesus Christ every day as you follow Him?

Why does being a follower of Jesus Christ not exempt you from trials and troubles in life?

How are you relying on the Lord to help you through every difficulty in life?

Living It Out:

(What action step is God guiding your heart to take?)

Allow the Lord to mold and shape your life so that you become like Him in your thoughts, words and deeds.

Seeing It Happen:

(What are you trusting God for in your heart?)

Have faith that the Lord will help you to become like Him in all your thoughts, words, and deeds.

Get Ready To Share:

(What can you share with others from your heart?)

Share with another person or your small group how you are becoming like Christ in your thoughts, words and deeds.

Close With Prayer:

Quiet Yourself Before The Lord

Pause And Offer Prayers Of...

With An Attitude Of Faith Listen To What The Lord Wants To Say To You

Adoration... _____

Thanksgiving... _____

Confession... _____

Intercession... _____

Petition... _____

Journal

As You Quiet Yourself Before The Lord

What Do You Want To Say To Me Lord?

What Prayers Are You Praying Today?

Prayer Of Blessing

(What Prayer Of Blessing Can You Pray For Another?)

May you allow the Lord to make you to be like him in all your thoughts, words, and deeds.

Prayer To Carry

(What Prayer Would You Like To Carry Throughout Your Day?)

Lord, make me to be like you in all my thoughts, words, and deeds.

What Do You Want To Remember About Today?

A Question To Ask God

(What Would You Like To Ask God?)

Lord, how do you want to make me to be like you today?
