

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS · GRADES 3–5

Come and See the King

The Gospel of John: Why Should I Believe? · Week 06 · October 18, 2026

LEADER SNAPSHOT

Big idea: Jesus invites you to come and see for yourself. Everyone who really sees Him goes and brings someone else.

Read together: John 1:35–51. Memory verse: John 1:46.

Time: 15–20 minutes. Slow down on question 6. That is where the lesson turns toward them.

WARM UP

1. **Have you ever found something so good you had to go get someone to see it? Who did you get?**

Today we meet people who found Jesus, and almost every one of them went and got someone else.

COME AND SEE

2. **The first words Jesus says in the whole book of John are a question: “What are you seeking?” If Jesus asked you that today, what would you honestly say?**

There is no wrong answer here. Jesus asked so they would think about why they were following Him.

3. **After one day with Jesus, Andrew found his brother Simon and said, “We have found the Messiah.” Why do you think he couldn’t keep it to himself?**

4. **Jesus gave Simon a new name: Peter, “Rock.” But Peter wasn’t rock-solid yet; he made a lot of mistakes. What does it tell you about Jesus that He named Peter for who he would become?**

Jesus sees who you will become, not just who you are now. He doesn’t wait for us to be perfect before He calls us.

KNOWN BY JESUS

5. **Nathanael didn’t think anything good could come from Nazareth. Philip didn’t argue with him. He just said, “Come and see.” Why is that a good answer when someone has doubts about Jesus?**

We don’t have to win an argument. We just invite people to meet Jesus for themselves.

6. **Jesus told Nathanael, “Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you.” Jesus knew Nathanael before they met. How does it feel to know Jesus already knows everything about you and still says, “Come”?**

SO WHAT

7. **Everyone who really met Jesus in this story went and got someone. Who could you say “come and see” to this week?**

THIS WEEK

Pick one person and say the words, “Come and see.” Invite them to church, to read John with you, or to your family’s Bible time. Memory verse: John 1:46.

Next week: Week 7 · Water Into Wine · John 2:1–12 · October 25, 2026