

FOLLOW ME

Luke 9:57-62 (see also Matt. 8:21-22) *As they were going along the road, someone said to Him, "I will follow You wherever You go." And Yeshua said to him, (written in red) "The foxes have holes and the birds of the air [have] nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay His head." And He said to another, "**Follow Me.**" But he said, "Lord, permit me first to go and bury my father." (60) But He said to him, "Allow the dead to bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim everywhere the kingdom of Yah." Another also said, "I will follow You, Lord; but first permit me to say good-bye to those at home." But Yeshua said to him, "No one, after putting his hand to the plow and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of Yah."*

Yeshua always chose His disciples. He never once asked for, or accepted volunteers as His disciples. True disciples are "chosen" by Yah. There are many who will follow, but only Yah chooses and knows who are His true leaders (disciples). There is a big difference between one who follows and one who leads. Many "seek", few "strive" (Luke 13:24).

The second notable phrase here is "allow the dead to bury the dead". This is a Hebrew idiom explained better as per Matt. 8:21-122.

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