

# When God Calls Your Name

\*A Message Mini-Series\*

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## “Too Busy to Hear Your Name”

Luke 10:38-42

God has a calling on the life of all believers - we need to listen for His call, be obedient, and follow the Lord's command in and over our life.

God is calling! Are you listening?

Exodus 3:4 - Every believer has a burning bush experience. Some just never “go over to look” and if we do - we often fail to say

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These words reveal the heart of every believer. Where is your heart?

- God is calling your name - to abandon \_\_\_\_\_ and worship Him above all else.

### 1. Where Are You Found? (Vs. 38-39)

- Our location is of the utmost importance.
- Mary was always found at the feet of \_\_\_\_\_
- Mary at Jesus' Feet:
  - Luke 10:39 - Listening to what Jesus was saying (the word)
  - John 11:32 - Mary fell at Jesus feet
  - John 12:3 - Mary anoints Jesus' feet.

*There is no better place to be than at the feet of Jesus. (Worship & Honor)*

*Most Jewish Rabbis would not accept a woman for a student, but Jesus delighted in teaching Mary the Word.*

*Jesus broke the bonds of \_\_\_\_\_. (Matthew 15:6b)*

## 2. Are You Too Busy to Hear Your Name? (Vs. 40-41)

- Martha was \_\_\_\_\_ . (John 12:1-3)
- What is pulling you away from \_\_\_\_\_?

*It was not wrong for Martha to prepare a meal, because people have to eat if they are to live; it was wrong because she was so \_\_\_\_\_ with with work and her own burdens.*

### **Martha was so busy (doing things):**

- She ignored her guest - (Jesus)
- She was rude to her sister - (Mary)
- She was only worried with what she was doing.

## 3. The Lord Says Her Name. (Vs.41-42)

“Martha, Martha, You are worried and upset about many things” - v41

*Sometimes God will call your name to get your attention back on what is important - Are you listening?*

\_\_\_\_\_ comes out of worship.

*“Worship is the spiritual fuel for all Kingdom service/work” - PW*

God is calling \_\_\_\_\_ to abandon all else and worship.

- Mary was occupied with \_\_\_\_\_.
- Martha was preoccupied with \_\_\_\_\_.  
Are you occupied with Jesus -OR- preoccupied with self?  
What we do WITH Christ is far more important than what we do FOR Christ.
- Submission leads to obedience and service.

God wants you to serve Him - but not at the expense of spending quality time with Him.

- If you are doing more for God, but are praying and worshipping less - recall it was Mary [who] made the right choice to \_\_\_\_\_.

### **There is great power in worship:**

Invites the presence of God - Brings Victory - Brings Deliverance from Enemies - Satisfies the Soul - Repels Depression - Brings Freedom - Brings Joy  
Draws People to God - Strengthens Faith - Brings Us Closer to God.

- The first step in worship is \_\_\_\_\_.

Will you surrender all to God today? Your life, your tasks...all that you are.