



"Go then and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them into the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe everything that I have commanded you, and behold, I am with you all the days to the consummation of the age." (Matthew 28:19-20, AMP)

Jesus has called all of us to be leaders and we can all develop our leadership skills. Leadership does not depend on a position or a title but is a way of life that we can develop daily. A leader is someone who influences and empowers others; someone who is an example for others to follow.

Discuss the leadership lessons from **Acts 3:1-10**:

1. Leaders look – (Acts 3:4-5)

- **Read Luke 19:1-6 and Luke 21:1-4.** Jesus is our greatest leadership example (1 Corinthians 11:1). No matter how unimposing and invisible people were, Jesus looked at them and valued them.
- What keeps you sometimes from looking at other people? What can you do to become more aware of those around you?
- Read 1 Corinthians 13:7. What aspect of loving others do you need to work on?

2. Leaders give (Acts 3:6)

- **Read Romans 8:35-39.** What do we have that we can give even if our circumstances feel overwhelming?
- Share a time when you were in a difficult situation but still found that you had something to give to others.

3. Leaders lift (Acts 3:7-8)

- **Read Mark 5:19.** Jesus healed the demoniac and then gave him a job to do that placed value on him. Who is in your world waiting to be encouraged to step up?



Action: Who is in your life at the moment that you want to look at, give to, and lift up in this coming week? What are you going to do practically?

Prayer: Pray for each other for what is going on in your own lives and that you would find ways and opportunities to awaken the leader within you.

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