

JESUS INVESTIGATING

HOW WE KNOW.
WHY WE FOLLOW.

Wide Open

Jesus didn't ask for people to just believe in him. He invited people to follow him.

Discussion Questions:

1. Read **Anthony Thompson's courtroom speech** to the man who murdered his wife, Myra. What emotions does it evoke? Why?
2. Read **Luke 23:33–43** aloud. What are some characteristics about Jesus that Luke was trying to highlight in this passage?
3. How do you justify accepting the forgiveness of God while resisting the Lordship of Christ?
4. Are you more Admirer than Follower? If so, what's keeping you from going all-in?
5. Read **Luke 9:24–25** aloud. What key words stand out to you? Would you say your faith is costing you anything presently? If so, what? If not, should it be?
6. We all fall short in at least one area of our lives. While we and those around us need grace, we can't neglect that hypocrisy is a big reason Christianity is not taken seriously by those outside the faith. What's one way you're currently being a hypocrite? With the help of God and others, how could you change that?