

Twelve Ordinary Men
Class #9 on March 16, 2025
Pastor Dave and Norma Smith

Opening Prayer and Devotional: Matthew 28:16-20

The Top 40 Final Exam

1. The word disciple means learner or student. T/F
2. Peter is always the first one listed of the disciples. T/F
3. The apostle Paul was one of the original disciples of Jesus. T/F
4. Peter is mentioned 195 times in the New Testament. T/F
5. Judas Iscariot was considered a “momma’s boy.” T/F
6. Peter’s original name was Simon and there are seven Simons in the gospels. T/F
7. The name Peter is taken from the Greek word *petros* which means “God’s child.” T/F
8. Peter, James, and John were among the “inner core” of disciples. T/F
9. Mathew, Mark, Luke, and John were among the 12 disciples of Jesus. T/F
10. Peter, Andrew, James, and John were all fishermen. T/F
11. The disciples were all single. T/F
12. Peter was the first disciple called by Jesus. T/F
13. Simon the Zealot was likely an easy-going and soft-hearted guy. T/F
14. Most of the disciples were from Jerusalem. T/F
15. Jesus handpicked his 12 disciples. T/F
16. The 12 disciples were comprised of both Jews and Gentiles. T/F
17. All the disciples were educated in seminary. T/F
18. Salome, the mother of James and John, was likely a sister to Mary. T/F
19. John the Baptist was among the Twelve disciples. T/F
20. Tax collectors were well thought of by the Jewish people. T/F
21. Thomas was the most optimistic of the disciples. T/F
22. The 12 disciples consisted of both men and women. T/F
23. The 12 disciples were all from the region of Galilee. T/F
24. The word disciple means leader or teacher. T/F
25. John the Baptist had his own set of disciples. T/F
26. The Sadducees were more conservative than the Pharisees. T/F
27. Thomas had a twin brother or sister. T/F
28. The Pharisees were a group who lived by themselves. T/F
29. Simon the Zealot was part of the political party of the Sadducees. T/F
30. Matthew and Simon the Zealot would have been great roommates. T/F
31. All the disciples left Jesus after he was arrested. T/F
32. Mark was chosen to replace Judas as a disciple. T/F

33. The disciples all shared similar personalities. T/F

34. Judas Iscariot received 20 pieces of silver for betraying Jesus. T/F

Bonus Round:

35. Which two disciples introduce the Greeks to Jesus in John 12:20-22?

36. How many Old Testament references does Matthew include in his gospel?

37. Which group wrote the Dead Sea Scrolls?

38. Which disciple traveled furthest east and which one went furthest west?

39. Andrew was the older brother of Peter. T/F/U

40. This was a fun class, and I learned a lot from Norma and Dave. T/F/U

Getting Personal:

Of the twelve disciples, which one do you relate to the most and why?

Scriptures and the Disciples:

What do the scriptures teach us about the disciples and what was Jesus trying to help them learn?

Closing Comments and Prayer