## WHAT A CHANGE! Following Jesus – Meeting Zacchaeus

Luke 19:1-10

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## **Bottom Line:**

Jesus shrugs off public opinion and "people-pleasing" by reaching out to someone who was hated and looked down upon by others, thereby demonstrating His passion for the lost.

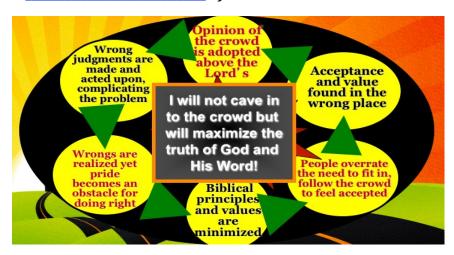
1. Encounters with Jesus can occur in		
ways and with	_ people!	Luke 19:1-
A. Zacchaeus was a		
B. Zacchaeus was a tax collector.		
C. Zacchaeus was a		
D. Zacchaeus was an evil "cheat".		
E. Zacchaeus was	·	
F. Zacchaeus needed a Savior.		
2. Actions by Jesus demonstrate doing wh	at's	

over doing what's \_\_\_\_\_\_ . Luke 19:7-8

Convictions to conquer "crowd-pleasing.
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- A. I will do what is right in spite of the negative \_\_\_\_\_ of unbelieving others! Luke 6:26
- B. I will reject "small" \_\_\_\_\_\_ on clear moral positions! Romans 6:1; 1 Peter 1:16
- C. I will humbly refuse to give any sin a \_\_\_\_\_\_in my life! Romans 13:14
- D. I will not shift the \_\_\_\_\_\_ for wrong actions to others! James 4:17
- E. I will wisely do the right thing regardless of the

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3. The response by Zacchaeus confirms the need for a faith that

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Conclusion