Luke 14 Discipleship and Cost Reading Map

The illustrations belong to Jesus' call.

Do not reduce discipleship to a planning slogan or inflate a parent's preference into Jesus' command.

Hypothetical example: A family reads both cost illustrations, compares Matthew 10 and asks a church teacher about the difficult wording before making a modern application.

01 Keep the crowd and the call in view

Identify the discipleship context before the illustrations.

Audience Jesus addresses

Demand before the tower

Demand after the illustrations

02 Take the difficult wording seriously

Write the difficult question with a relevant passage comparison.

Wording needing explanation

Matthew 10 comparison to read

Question for the church teacher

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03 Follow both illustrations to their purpose

Trace both pictures and Jesus' return to his subject.

What the builder considers

What the king considers

Parent-added detail to remove

04 Choose a truthful question for the adult

Examine one honest adult statement about Christian commitment.

Claim the adult has made about faith

Correction or reflection within the adult's role

Follow-up that remains unresolved