**Six Scenes which Display the Identity of Jesus and the Essence of Discipleship**

1. Discipleship to Jesus is the only proper response to John’s testimony (vv.35-37)
   1. John testifies again about Jesus – “He is the Lamb of God” (cf. 1:29)
   2. His disciples respond correctly to his testimony – “They hear and follow Jesus” (cf. 8:12)
2. Jesus will give spiritual sight to his devoted followers (vv.38-39)
   1. Jesus initiates with a probing question – “What is it that is driving your pursuit of Jesus?” (cf. 6:62)
   2. The disciples model a correct pursuit
      1. They embrace Jesus as their teacher – “Rabbi!” (cf. 3:26)
      2. They cling to Jesus as the One John proclaimed by desiring to remain with him – “Where are you staying?” (cf. 1:12)
   3. Jesus responds with a profound promise
      1. The command – “Come” (cf. 7:37)
      2. The promise – “You will see” (cf. 1:50-51)
   4. The disciples remain with him – “And they remained.”

*“The validity of our faith is revealed not by the intensity of our first reaction to it, but by our perseverance in it.” (Greear)*

1. Jesus will radically transform the identity of his disciples (vv.40-42)
   1. The identity of the first two disciples (v.40)
   2. The testimony of Andrew to Peter (v.41)
   3. The declaration of Jesus to Peter (v.42)
      1. He has complete knowledge of the identity of His disciples
      2. He will completely transform the identity of His disciples.