

**STOP, LOOK, AND LISTEN**  
**Follow the Leader Series Part 2**  
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*“There was a man of the Pharisee sect, Nicodemus, a prominent leader among the Jews. Late one night he visited Jesus and said, ‘Rabbi, we all know you’re a teacher straight from God. No one could do all the God-pointing, God-revealing acts you do if God weren’t in on it.’”*  
John 3:1-2

**I. STOP** \_\_\_\_\_

*“He appointed twelve whom he called apostles. They were to accompany him and to be sent out by him to spread the Good News.”* Mark 3:14

1. If you don’t have a team, you’re \_\_\_\_\_,  
not a leader.

*“Though one may be overpowered, two can defend themselves. A cord of three strands is not quickly broken.”*  
Ecclesiastes 4:12

2. Being a part of a team does not make you any less of a leader,  
it makes you \_\_\_\_\_.

*“Then the LORD said to Moses, ‘Gather before me seventy men who are recognized as elders and leaders of Israel. Bring them to the Tabernacle to stand there with you. I will come down and talk to you there. I will take some of the Spirit that is upon you, and I will put the Spirit upon them also. They will bear the burden of the people along with you, so you will not have to carry it alone.’”* Numbers 11:16-17

**II. LOOK** \_\_\_\_\_

*“Anyone who lets himself be distracted from the work I plan for him is not fit for the Kingdom of God.”* Luke 9:62

*“But Martha was distracted with all her preparations; and she came up to Him and said, ‘Lord, do You not care that my sister has left me to do all the serving alone? Then tell her to help me.’ But the Lord answered and said to her, ‘Martha, Martha, you are worried and bothered about so many things; but only one thing is necessary, for Mary has chosen the good part, which shall not be taken away from her.’”* Luke 10:40-42

If we don’t focus on what is important, \_\_\_\_\_  
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**III. LISTEN** \_\_\_\_\_

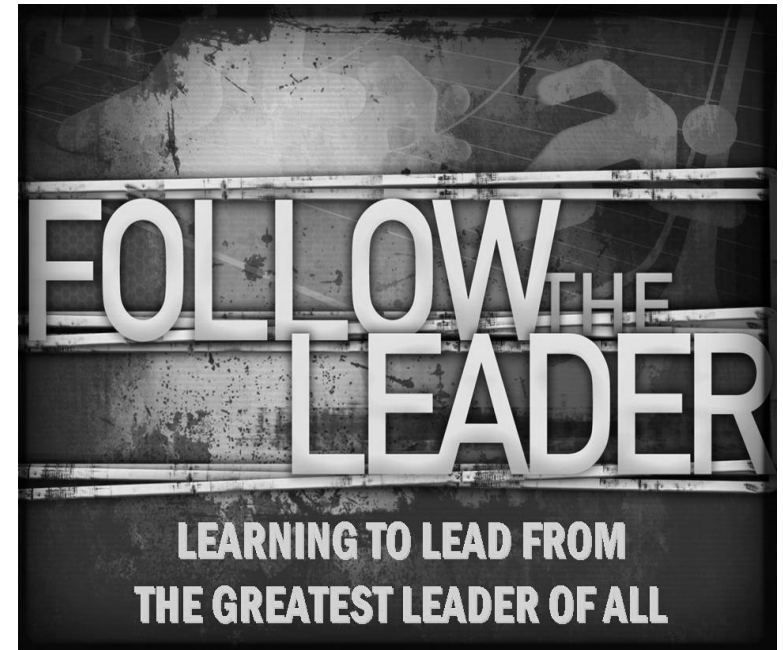
*“Before daybreak the next morning, Jesus got up and went out to an isolated place to pray.”* Mark 1:35

1. Listening to God \_\_\_\_\_

*“Listen for God’s voice in everything you do, and everywhere you go; He’s the one who will keep you on track.”*  
Proverbs 3:6

2. Listening to God \_\_\_\_\_

*“I will guide you along the best pathway for your life. I will advise you and watch over you.”* Psalm 32:8



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