



**KYLE SAUL**  
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**LIFE GROUP STUDY NOTES**  
**“ANSWERING CALLS *from* GOD”**

**GETTING STARTED** *“In your opinion...”*

1. What insights or observations from this week’s message did you find helpful, eye-opening, or troubling? Explain.
2. When we “*call*” someone, we want to get their attention and transmit a message. What do you think it means to be “*called by God*”?
3. Is there a difference between being “called” by God and “commanded” by God? Explain.
4. In what ways does the Bible say we are “*called by God*”?

**GOING DEEPER** *“According to the Bible...”*

*Answer the following questions from what the Bible says in the suggested reading.*

- **Read 2 Chronicles 7:14.** What does it mean to be “*called by my name*” in this verse. What does God want His people to do and what does He promise in response?
- **Read Matthew 4:18-22.** Whom did Jesus call, how did He call them, and to what did He call them? Did they answer His call? How?
- **Read John 15:15.** How does Jesus’ call to his disciples (and us) clarify our relationship with Him?
- **Read Acts 16:6-10.** How did God call Paul to Macedonia? What did he call him to do?
- **To what are we called as followers of Jesus?**
  - **1 Corinthians 1:9**
  - **1 Corinthians 7:15**
  - **Galatians 1:6**
  - **Galatians 5:13**
  - **Ephesians 4:4**
  - **2 Timothy 1:9**

**LIVING OUT**

- What is one area of your life that the Holy Spirit has challenged you through this study to personally grow? Are there any steps you can take to develop in this area?