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Jesus is Difficult  
*The Cost of Discipleship*

John 12:25  
Matthew 6:24/Luke 16:13  
Matthew 10:37

Understanding the public ministry of Jesus



Come and See

Follow me

Be with me

**Luke 14:25**

Large Crowds...following Him

“**HATE**”

family relationships

his own life

“**CARRY CROSS**”

“**COUNT COST**”

“**RENOUNCE POSSESSIONS**”

**Hebrew Idiom-** Hate vrs Love

Genesis 29:31

Deut. 21:15

Romans 9:13

**Roman Idiom-** Carry your own cross (Luke 9:23)

**Hebrew Teaching method-** (twins)

**What is most important to you!**

*"Simply put, if you're not willing to take what is dearest to you, whether plans or people, and kiss it good-bye, you can't be my disciple. (Luke 14:33 The Message)*

Is there a biblical pattern for establishing priorities?