### Who God Picks

## Who God Picks... for King of Israel

- 1 Samuel 8:1-22
  - "They have forsaken me"
  - "warn them and show then the behavior of a king who will reign over them"
  - "No! we want a king over us!"
- 1 Samuel 13:14
  - But now your kingdom shall not continue. The LORD has sought for Himself a man after His own heart, and the LORD has commanded him to be commander over His people, because you have not kept what the LORD commanded you."
- 1 Samuel 16:4-13
  - "Do not consider his height or appearance"
  - "Rise and anoint him, this is the one"

#### Who/what God Picks... For The Birth of Jesus

- ► Philippians 2:6-9
  - "Made Himself of no reputation"
  - "He humbled Himself"
- ► Matthew 13:53-58
  - "Is this not the carpenters son?"
  - "So they were offended at Him"
- Luke 2:4-7
  - "Laid Him in a manger"

# Who Jesus Picks.... For His Apostles

- Matthew 9:10-13
  - "Sinners and tax collectors sat with Him"
- Matthew 10:1-4
  - ► The twelve called.

Apostle	Profession
Peter	Fisherman
Andrew	Fisherman
James	Fisherman
John	Fisherman
Phillip	\$\$\$
Thomas	\$\$\$
Matthew (Levi)	Tax Collector
Bartholomew (Nathaniel)	\$\$\$
James (The Less)	\$\$\$
Simon	Zealot
Thaddeus (Judas)	Zealot
Judas (Iscariot)	Thief

### How God Picks... His Sacrifice

- Luke 23:32-47
  - "They were crucified with him, the criminals on the right and left"
  - "He saved others, let Him save Himself"
  - "Surely, this was a righteous man"

### How God Picks... Us

- John 3:10-21
  - "For God so loved with World"
  - "Whoever believes on Him might be saved"
- ▶ 1 Timothy 2:4
  - ► [God our savior] desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.
- Romans 3:21-26
  - "For all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God"