

One Step Behind Jesus

Don't Step on the Fruit

Luke 3:1-20

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When you are living this close to Jesus, there should be lots of evidence that you are one step behind Him. People should see the change in your life, the "fruit" should be falling off the tree!
Staying behind Him is an ongoing thing, not a one-time decision.
That fruit should be ripe and ready all the time . . .

ONE STEP BEHIND JESUS
**THE
BIG
IDEA**

**God wants fresh fruit today,
not stale faith yesterday!**

Pontius Pilate: Romans' Governor, oversaw taxes and military, mean to Jews

Herod Antipas: Ruler of Galilee, Half Jew, Married Brother's Sister

Annas & Caiaphas: High Priests, Annas removed due to cruelty

John the Baptist: First prophet in 400 years, prepared way for Jesus' coming

Evidence of Fresh Fruit

Fruit of **Generosity** (3:11)

Fruit of **Honesty** (3:12-13)

Fruit of **Right Living** (3:14)

Fruit of **Humility** (3:19-20)

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