

PETER, THE PIONEER

The Life of Peter: From Fisherman to Follower of Jesus — Study # 23
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Introduction

Pioneer — “the _____ person or people to
_____ something”

Text: Matthew 16:15-19

**Peter had a “pioneering” role in the _____
of the church.**

The foundation of the church was made up of:

- Jesus, as the _____ (Matthew 21:42;
Acts 4:11-12; 1 Corinthians 3:11)
 - Peter (and the other apostles) as _____
stones (Ephesians 2:19-20)
1. The first _____ to be called. (Luke 5:1-11)
 2. The first among the _____. (Mark 3:14-19)
 3. The first apostle to recognize Jesus as
_____. (Matthew 16:13-17)
 4. The first apostle to witness the _____.
(Luke 24:34; 1 Corinthians 15:5)
 5. The first apostle to _____
to both Jews and Gentiles. (Acts chapters 2, 8, and 10)
 6. Peter in Rome: The first to inspire the _____
of a _____.

Key lessons from Peter and his relationship with Jesus

1. Peter _____ Jesus ... quickly, closely and
passionately.
2. Peter sometimes _____, but he always
_____ to Jesus.
3. Peter pointed people to _____, not
_____.
4. Peter _____ Jesus in spite of great
_____.