

# John 6:8

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, saith unto him,

## Analysis

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'One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, saith unto him.' Andrew appears consistently as one who brings others to Jesus—his brother Peter (1:41-42), the boy with loaves (here), and Greek seekers (12:22). His role is connecting need with the Savior. Even here, he brings what's available despite apparent insufficiency. Bringing little to Jesus is better than having much without Him.

## Historical Context

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Andrew's pattern of bringing people and resources to Jesus characterizes faithful ministry. He doesn't solve the problem but presents what's available. His uncertain tone ('but what are they among so many?') shows weak faith, yet he still brings the resource. Sometimes faith is simply presenting what we have to Jesus.

## Related Passages

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**Romans 2:1** — Judging others

**Revelation 20:12** — Judgment according to deeds

## Study Questions

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1. How does Andrew's pattern of bringing others to Jesus model faithful witness?
2. What 'small' resources might you bring to Jesus despite their apparent insufficiency?

## Interlinear Text

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λέγει αὐτοῦ εἷς ἐκ τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ Ἀνδρέας ὁ  
**saith**      **his**      **One**      **of**      G3588      **disciples**      **his**      **Andrew**      G3588  
G3004      G846      G1520      G1537      G3101      G846      G406

ἀδελφὸς Σίμωνος Πέτρου  
**brother**      **Simon**      **Peter's**  
G80      G4613      G4074

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