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Episode 1 - An Icy Plunge - June 1, 2020

Jesus quoted in John 10:10 "The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full."

"Taste and see that the LORD is good." Psalm 34:8

1. Ever have an artist's caricature - a distorted funny profile - drawn of yourself? People of faith are caricatured all the time. Can you think of some caricatures from the media, schooling or personal experience?
2. Think of a person of faith that you respect. What draws you to them?
3. Reflect on the quote from Jesus. How does this square with what you know about him? Are your thoughts based on personal investigation, caricatures or a combination?



4. Like the icy plunge in the winter Atlantic, Jesus shocked many people - especially the staunchly religious. But his words and wisdom couldn't be minimized. Take a step and read some of them in Matthew 5:1-12. What strikes you?

5. Interact with this quote: "As a child I received instruction both in the Bible and in the Talmud. I am a Jew, but I am enthralled by the luminous figure of the Nazarene....No one can read the Gospels without feeling the actual presence of Jesus. His personality pulsates in every word. No myth is filled with such life." --Albert Einstein