

Simon Peter –

1. I am a fisherman.
2. My bother Andrew and I were the first two apostles to be called by Jesus.
3. I am the most outspoken of all 12 disciples. (I'm always saying things before I think about what I'm saying.)
4. Jesus taught me a lot. My hardest lesson was when I told Jesus' enemies I didn't know Him. But Jesus forgave me and helped my faith to grow strong and steady like a rock

Andrew –

1. Simon Peter, the outspoken one, is my brother.
2. I am also a fisherman.
3. My friend John and I went to hear John the Baptist, hoping to learn more about the Messiah who would come to save us.
4. One day John the Baptist pointed to a man named Jesus and said, "Look! There's the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world." We hurried after Jesus to find out more.

James –

1. I am John's brother.
2. We are the sons of Zebedee;
3. We are called the "Sons of Thunder."
4. I am a fisherman by trade.

John –

1. My brother James and I are inseparable. The two of us, along with Simon Peter, are the closest to Jesus.
2. I am known as the "disciple that Jesus loved".
3. After Andrew and I spent time with Jesus, we knew we had truly found the Messiah. We stayed with Him as disciples from that time on, learning from Him and serving Him. I would gladly have done anything Jesus wanted me to do.
4. Later I wrote down many things that I had seen and heard while traveling with Jesus. I wanted to help others believe and follow Jesus.

Philip –

1. Jesus tested my faith.
2. There was a huge crowd of hungry people coming. And Jesus turned to me and asked, "Where can we buy bread to feed all these people?" I told Him, "Even if we worked for months, we wouldn't have enough money to feed them!"
3. Then, unbelievably Jesus took five loaves of bread and two fish and fed over 5,000 people.
4. As soon as Jesus called me, I went and found my friend, Bartholomew. I wanted him to meet Jesus, too.

Bartholomew –

1. I am also known by my first name, Nathaniel.
2. I love studying the Scriptures and know them well.
3. I was there when Jesus miraculously fed the 5,000 with 5 loaves of bread and 2 fish.
4. If my good friend Philip hadn't talked me into finding out more about Jesus, I might never have become one of His disciples and seen all the wonderful things He said and did.

Matthew –

1. I am also called Levi.
2. People hated me before Jesus called me to be his follower.
3. I used to be a tax collector.
4. I gave a dinner party for Jesus and invited many other tax collectors; the Pharisees thought it was terrible that Jesus would eat with tax collectors.

Thomas –

1. I had a twin brother
2. I had trouble believing that Jesus came back to life after He was crucified.
3. I became known as the doubter.
4. I saw Jesus after His resurrection and He told me to put my hand in his side.

James –

1. I am known as "*the Younger*".
2. I had an older brother named Thaddaeus, another one of Jesus' disciples.
3. My father's name is Alphaeus.
4. And my mother's name was Mary. She was the sister-in-law of Mary, the mother of Jesus.

Thaddaeus –

1. I am also called Jude.
2. James is my younger brother.
3. My father's name is Alphaeus.
4. And my mother's name was Mary. She was the sister-in-law of Mary, the mother of Jesus.

Simon –

1. They call me "the Zealot"
2. I had a fierce desire to please God by keeping his rules.
3. I had great enthusiasm for following Jesus.
4. I have great faith in God.

Judas Iscariot –

1. I was in charge of the money bag for Jesus and His disciples.
2. I cared more about money than I did about serving the Lord.
3. I turned Jesus in to His enemies so they could arrest Him.
4. I got 30 pieces of silver from the Pharisees for betraying Jesus to them.