

The Twelve

Apostle	Description
Simon (Peter)	Fisherman from Galilee, Andrew's brother
Andrew	Fisherman from Galilee, Peter's brother
James	Son of Zebedee, brother to John; from Capernaum
John	Son of Zebedee, brother to James; from Capernaum
Philip	From Bethsaida
Bartholomew (Nathanael)	From Cana in Galilee
Thomas (Didymus)	Possibly also a fisherman
Matthew (Levi)	Tax collector in Capernaum; son of Alphaeus, possibly James's brother
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Lebbaeus Thaddaeus (Judas)	May have taken the name Thaddaeus ("warm-hearted") because of the infamy that came to be attached to the name Judas
Simon (the Cananite)	From Cana; one of the Zealots, Jewish revolutionaries who opposed Rome
Judas Iscariot	From Kerioth, and possibly the only Judean among the Twelve

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