

THE KEY TO CHRIST-LIKENESS!

Following Jesus – The Heart of a Servant

Matthew 20:20-28

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Bottom Line:

Jesus modeled for us what it meant to live a life of servanthood. He truly was the perfect servant-leader and demonstrated for us the lifestyle that He expects all of His followers to duplicate.

Error #1. To look out only for _____ without looking out for the needs of others! Matthew 20:20-21

What Self-centered living looks like:

- Put yourself first in line.
- Make sure you receive the best of what is available.
- Seize the opportunity to promote yourself at the expense of others.

***What Jesus highly values is: A _____ heart.**

Error #2. To make a _____ without understanding the cost. Matthew 20:22-23

***What Jesus highly values is: A selfless heart that will _____.** John 14:15; John 16:33

Error #3. To think that God's greatest desire for you is to see you exquisitely _____! Matthew 20:24-28

***What Jesus highly values is: A selfless heart that will follow**

by _____. John 13:1-7

Being a servant doesn't mean:

- 1) You become a _____ for people.
- 2) You get taken advantage of by those who do nothing (or little) for themselves.
- 3) You can't help find a path to get them out of their dilemma or gather more to help.
- 4) You neglect your primary areas of service...
-Your _____ and your _____.

Now What? Some Key Questions....

- 1) Are you _____ to opportunities to serve others around you? (or do you run from them?)
- 2) When was the last time you served someone knowing there was _____ of that person returning the favor?
- 3) When have you served someone, blessing them in some way without _____ knowing?