

Series: Serving Like Jesus

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Matthew 20:25-28

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- A. Living a life of \_\_\_\_\_ is an \_\_\_\_\_ that must be cultivated.
- B. Jesus was a \_\_\_\_\_ and as His followers, we are called to \_\_\_\_\_ Him.
- C. When you think of a servant, what \_\_\_\_\_ immediately come to your mind?
- D. One of God’s major objectives for us is that we be \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_ of His Son.
- E. Jesus characterized His own life and purpose as: “The Son of Man did not come to be served, but to \_\_\_\_\_ and to \_\_\_\_\_ His life as a ransom for many.” (Mt. 20:28)
- F. Colonel James Irwin was an astronaut who walked on the moon who said, “I am a \_\_\_\_\_ not a \_\_\_\_\_.”
- G. Do you ever think it must have been easier for the disciples who were with Jesus to \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus and become a \_\_\_\_\_ like Him?
- H. In Matthew 20, Jesus was approached by the mother of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ with a special request for her sons.
- I. When the other disciples heard about this mother’s request they were \_\_\_\_\_.
- J. Jesus straightened out everyone’s thinking saying that “whoever wants to become \_\_\_\_\_ among you must be your \_\_\_\_\_.”
- K. The apostle John openly rebuked \_\_\_\_\_ because he loved to be first.
- L. Perhaps one of the best models of a servant we have is the apostle \_\_\_\_\_.  
1. He began almost every piece of correspondence with the words, “\_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ of God...”
- M. Jesus, Himself, is the only one who deserves the place of \_\_\_\_\_ (Col. 1:18-20; Phil. 2:5-11).
- N. Even though Jesus that is who Jesus was and is, He still came to earth “not to be \_\_\_\_\_, but to \_\_\_\_\_ and to \_\_\_\_\_ His life as a ransom for many.”
- O. One of the clearest pictures Jesus painted for us of what it means to be a servant is found in \_\_\_\_\_.
- P. Picture a church in which everyone wants to be \_\_\_\_\_.
- Q. Picture a church in which every person has a passion to \_\_\_\_\_.
- R. Let’s end with an illustration from the 2001 movie *Pearl Harbor*.  
1. The British squadron commander asked American Rafe McCawley, “Are all Yanks as anxious as you to get themselves killed?”  
2. Rafe replied, “I’m not anxious to die, sir, I’m anxious to \_\_\_\_\_.”
- S. When we follow Jesus and serve like Him, then our lives will make an \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ for us and for others.

Answer Key: A. service, art. B. servant, be, like. C. images. D. conformed, image. E. serve, give. F. servant, celebrity. G. follow, servant. H. James, John. I. indignant. J. great, servant. K. Diotrephes. L. Paul. L.1. Paul, servant. M. preeminence. N. served, serve, give. O. John, 13. P. served. Q. serve. R.2. matter. S. eternal, difference.