

Living as a Servant

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²⁴ A dispute also arose among them, as to which of them was to be regarded as the greatest. ²⁵ And he said to them, “The kings of the Gentiles exercise lordship over them, and those in authority over them are called benefactors.

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²⁶ But not so with you. Rather, let the greatest among you become as the youngest, and the leader as one who serves. ²⁷ For who is the greater, one who reclines at table or one who serves? Is it not the one who reclines at table? But I am among you as the one who serves.

The Greatest?

Philippians 2:5–7 ⁵ Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, ⁶ who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷ but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.

The Difference

“But not so with you. Rather, let the greatest among you become as the youngest, and the leader as one who serves.” (26)

What benefits me vs what benefits others?

Gaining power vs lifting others up?

Living Like Jesus

“But I am among you **as the one who serves.**”
(v27)

Do I see the needs around me? Am I willing to respond?

Am I known as a servant?

Pouring Out Your Life

Philippians 2:17 Even if I am **to be poured out as a drink offering** upon the sacrificial offering of your faith, I am glad and rejoice with you all.

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2 Tim 4:6-8

⁶ For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure has come. ⁷ I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

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⁸ Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that Day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing.