Make Me A Servant

John Brumfield · Philippians 2:1–8

INTRODUCTION

- I want you to think and dig deep inside of your heart, and ask yourself how well you humble yourself.
- We're going to be talking about how to make ourselves a servant. Serving others like Christ served us.

1 We Became His Servants and Workers

Ephesians 2:8–10

- That's our important role as Christians. To teach the word of God, to be a servant that Christ came to earth and wanted us to be.
- For we are his workmanship created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand so that we would walk in him.
- When we became God's children, we became his servants.

2 Christ Our Example of Being a Servant

Mark 2:15–17

- It is not those who are healthy who need a physician, but those who are sick. I did not come to call the righteous, but sinners.
- He humbled himself to a point that he didn't mind being close to them.
- Because his ultimate goal was to save them. That's being a servant of God.

3 Preaching His Word Like Philip Did

Acts 8:26–35

- Then Philip opened his mouth, and beginning from this scripture, he preached Jesus to him.
- There's people in our lives that need to know who Jesus is. And it's up to us to tell them.
- If we want to be servants of God, we have to be able to go out there and preach his word, like Philip did.

4 Not Groups but Souls That Need to Be Saved

Romans 5:6–8; 1 Corinthians 6:9–11; Revelation 21:8

- There's no evil person. There are souls that need to be saved.
- But God demonstrates his own love towards us, and that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.
- We need to stop looking at the people as a group, but look at them as individuals that have the potential of being saved.

- Such were some of you. But you were sanctified, but you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and in the Spirit of our God.
- They're not a group of people we disagree with. They are souls that are lost.

5 After Failure, Get Back on the Horse

- We are going to fail from time to time. We're going to come across people that will not listen.
- He didn't go out and give up. He didn't quit.
- You get back on the horse and you keep going. You find the next person to teach.
- We can't have that fear because either way you look at it, there's still a soul that needs to be saved.

6 Above All Things, Put On Love

John 13:34–35; Colossians 3:12–14

- A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another, even as I have loved you.
- Being a servant of God has so much to do with love. Humbling ourselves is showing true love.
- When you show that you truly love someone, you've shown them Christ.
- True love is going out, saying you love them, and then trying to save their soul.
- You're being selfish that you have the greatest gift of all to offer to someone.

THE CHALLENGE

Go to school on Monday. Go to work on Monday. And the person that you're fearful of because of who they are and the lifestyle they live as mentioned in 1 Corinthians, go up and talk to them.

MY NOTES