



THE WAY OF SERVICE

The Better Way, Part 2
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“Then the mother of Zebedee’s sons came to Jesus with her sons and, kneeling down, asked a favor of him. ‘What is it you want?’ he asked. She said, ‘Grant that one of these two sons of mine may sit at your right and the other at your left in your kingdom.’ ‘You don’t know what you are asking,’ Jesus said to them. ‘Can you drink the cup I am going to drink?’ ‘We can,’ they answered. Jesus said to them, ‘You will indeed drink from my cup, but to sit at my right or left is not for me to grant. These places belong to those for whom they have been prepared by my Father.’ When the ten heard about this, they were indignant with the two brothers. Jesus called them together and said, ‘You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wants to be first must be your slave — just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.’”
Matthew 20:20-28 (NIV84)

The Way to Greatness (in God’s Eyes)

1. Pursue faithful service over _____.

- You will experience: The joy of being used by God.

“He who refreshes others will himself be refreshed.”

Proverbs 11:25b (NIV84)

2. Esteem God's favor over people's _____.

- You will experience: Freedom from _____.

“Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving.”

Colossians 3:23-24 (NIV84)

3. Surrender the expectation of an _____.

- You will experience: _____ in the midst of pain.

“I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world.”

John 16:33 (NIV84)

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1. high position 2. applause 3. self-promotion
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服侍之路

更好的道路 (二)

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「那時，西庇太兒子的母親同她兩個兒子上前來拜耶穌，求他一件事。耶穌說：『你要甚麼呢？』她說：『願你叫我這兩個兒子在你國裏，一個坐在你右邊，一個坐在你左邊。』耶穌回答說：『你們不知道所求的是甚麼。我將要喝的杯，你們能喝嗎？』他們說：『我們能。』耶穌說：『我所喝的杯，你們必要喝；只是坐在我的左右，不是我可以賜的，乃是我父為誰預備的，就賜給誰。』那十個門徒聽見，就惱怒他們弟兄二人。耶穌叫了他們來，說：『你們知道外邦人有君王為主治理他們，有大臣操權管束他們。只是在你們中間不可這樣。你們中間誰願為大，就必作你們的用人；誰願為首，就必作你們的僕人。正如人子來，不是要受人的服事，乃是要服事人，並且要捨命，作多人的贖價。』」

馬太福音 20:20-28 (和合本)

進入上帝呼召的「為大」

1. 追求忠心服侍，過於_____

- 你能經歷：被上帝使用的喜樂

「好施捨的，必得豐裕；滋潤人的，必得滋潤。」

箴言 11:25 (和合本)

2. 重視上帝的喜悅，過於人的_____

- 你能經歷：脫離_____

「無論做甚麼，都要從心裏做，像是給主做的，不是給人做的，因你們知道從主那裏必得着基業為賞賜。你們所事奉的乃是主基督。」

歌羅西書 3:23-24 (和合本)

3. 放棄對_____的期望

- 你能經歷：在痛苦中的_____

「我將這些事告訴你們，是要叫你們在我裏面有平安。在世上你們有苦難，但你們可以放心，我已經勝了世界。」

約翰福音 16:33 (和合本)

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