

HUMILITY

Believe (Part 3)

BELIEVE SERIES BIG IDEAS:

**What I _____ determines who I am becoming.
Being _____ like Jesus is how I'm becoming like Jesus.
I've received Jesus. Now I am to _____ the life of Jesus with others.**

My pride positions me against _____.

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"God opposes the proud but shows favor to the humble."

James 4:6 (NIV), 1 Peter 5:1 (NIV)

¹Therefore if you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from his love, if any common sharing in the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion, ²then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind. ³Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves, ⁴not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others.

Philippians 2:1-4 (NIV)

TEACHING BIG IDEA:

Love requires me to _____ others _____ myself.

⁵In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus: ⁶Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; ⁷rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness.

Philippians 2:5-7 (NIV)

Love requires me to lay down my _____ for the advantage of others.

And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death—even death on a cross!

Philippians 2:8 (NIV)

Love requires me to _____ myself by placing others above myself.

**Love requires me to think of myself _____
and not to think _____ of myself.**

⁹Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:9-11 (NIV)

God makes great those who do what love requires and put other people _____.

⁴³Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, ⁴⁴and whoever wants to be first must be slave of all. ⁴⁵For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

Mark 10:43-45 (NIV)

There is no greater _____ than joining Jesus to give life by _____ others.

Follow-up Questions & My Notes

Read Philippians 2:5-8. How did Jesus' humility to serve impact my life?

How have I been more humble in serving others?