

Sermon Notes

The Greatest Are Servants

Matthew 23:11-12

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Text sermon questions, during the sermon, to (602) 824-8030

Review of chapter 23 so far

“The greatest of you shall be your servant.”

Contrasting the greatness the Pharisees wanted
with the greatness Jesus spoke of

Who is your audience?

Jesus is the best example - washing feet, dying on a cross.

“Whoever exalts himself shall be humbled; and whoever humbles himself shall be exalted.”

Jesus is the best example again. (Philippians 2:4-11)

Jesus served us by dying for our sins,
a very humble/humiliating death on a cross.

God highly exalted Him,
giving Him the greatest title, Lord.

There are two choices, with accompanying results.

What is serving?

Meeting a need, even something small

What is your response to this? Discuss it with someone today.

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**Application questions for 3/15/2015 sermon
Matthew 23:11-12**

Do you think being a servant is a value of our culture?

What are the challenges to being a person who cares primarily about what God thinks of you and your life?

Jesus is our model for being a servant. How He has served us should also be a motivator to follow Him. How is Jesus motivational to you?

Try to be honest with yourself and the group. Who do you want to exalt you, people or God? And where do you want to be exalted, during this short life, or in God's kingdom for a long long time (Revelation says a thousand years)?

How do you now see/understand serving?

What does it mean doing? What size/significance of things is it?

Have you made any new discoveries or decisions about being a servant?