

**True Greatness & Love  
Are In the Kingdom**

Luke 7:24-50

**24-35 Why True Greatness Is  
Found only In the Kingdom**

*“I say to you, among those  
born of women there is no  
one greater than John; yet  
he who is least in the  
kingdom of God is greater  
than he.” (28)*

*Why is John the  
greatest among those  
born of women?*

***Because of His Mission  
“a forerunner before  
Him in the spirit and  
power of Elijah”  
Luke 1:17***

*But How can the least  
in the Kingdom be  
greater than John?*

*Because of our mission:  
We Are Ambassadors  
for Christ  
2 Corinthians 5:20*

**36-50 Why True Love Is Found  
only In the Kingdom**

*“...her sins, which are many,  
have been forgiven, for she  
loved much; but he who is  
forgiven little, loves  
little.” (47)*

**The Order of Our Experience:  
Conviction**

↳ **Repentance & Faith**

↳ **Forgiveness**

↳ **Love**

↳ **Joy** ↘

worship, fellowship & evangelism

### Isaiah 38:17-20

<sup>17</sup>Yes, this anguish was good for me, for you have rescued me from death and forgiven all my sins. (cast all my sins behind your back)

<sup>18</sup>For the dead cannot praise you; they cannot raise their voices in praise. Those who go down to the grave can no longer hope in your faithfulness. <sup>19</sup>Only the living can praise you as I do today. Each generation tells of your faithfulness to the next. <sup>20</sup>Think of it—the Lord is ready to heal me! I will sing his praises with instruments every day of my life in the Temple of the Lord.

So we sing...

I'm forgiven because you were forsaken

I'm accepted, You were condemned

I'm alive and well

Your spirit is within me

Because you died and rose again

*I'm...  
Forgiven*

*Because  
You were...  
Forsaken*

*Accepted*

*Condemned*

## Our Mission

Ephesians 4:32

***Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving each other, just as God in Christ also has forgiven you.***

***“The Fellowship of the Forgiven”***