

**SERVING**  
(John 13:1-17)

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1 Peter 4:10

As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace . . .

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## John 13:1-4a

Now before the Feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart out of this world to the Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. 2 During supper, when the devil had already put it into the heart of Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, to betray him, 3 Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going back to God, 4 rose from supper.

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## John 13:4b-12

He laid aside his outer garments, and taking a towel, tied it around his waist. 5 Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was wrapped around him. 6 He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, do you wash my feet?" 7 Jesus answered him, "What I am doing you do not understand now, but afterward you will understand." 8 Peter said to him, "You shall never wash my feet." Jesus answered him, "If I do not wash you, you have no share with me."

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9 Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!" 10 Jesus said to him, "The one who has bathed does not need to wash, except for his feet, but is completely clean. And you are clean, but not every one of you." 11 For he knew who was to betray him; that was why he said, "Not all of you are clean." 12 When he had washed their feet and put on his outer garments and resumed his place, he said to them, "Do you understand what I have done to you?"

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## John 13:13-16

You call me Teacher and Lord, and you are right, for so I am. 14 If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. 15 For I have given you an example, that you also should do just as I have done to you. 16 Truly, truly, I say to you, a servant is not greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him.

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## Philippians 2:6-7

. . . Christ Jesus, 6 who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, 7 but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.

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Mark 10:45

For even the Son of Man came not to be served  
but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for  
many.

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1 Corinthians 6:19-20

You are not your own, 20 for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.

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Mark 10:43b-44

But whoever would be great among you must be your servant, 44 and whoever would be first among you must be slave of all.

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John 13:17

If you know these things, blessed are you if you  
do them.

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## Galatians 6:10

So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.

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Matthew 5:16

. . . let your light shine before others, so that they  
may see your good works and give glory to your  
Father who is in heaven.

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“Do you want to be normal, or do you want to have Christ? Every follower of Christ should have one situation in his or her life where he or she is ridiculously, absurdly, irrationally giving himself or herself away. . . No, you don't want to be normal. You want to take a gospel bath. And then out of that gospel cleansing you want to find a way to give away your life, don't you? Don't be normal. Be a Christian.” ~Joseph Ryan

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