



## *Serve One Another*

Mark 10:35-45; Acts 2:41-47; Galatians 5:13

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### *Why is serving one another so important?*

- Serving opens our eyes to the needs of those who surround us.
  - Serving enters us into deeper and more meaningful relationships.
  - Serving is a constant reminder of how self-serving we often are.
1. A servant attitude was foundational to all Christ came to accomplish.
  2. A servant attitude is foundational for greatness in God's kingdom. (Mark 10:35-45)

3. A servant attitude was foundational for the first Church of Jerusalem. (Acts 2:41-47)

4. A servant attitude must be foundational to all we do.
  - Serve from a heart of love. (Gal. 5:13)
  - Serve beside those who serve faithfully. (Acts 2:42-47)
  - Make service a deliberate daily choice. (Acts 20:19)
  - Practice seeing the needs of others as more important than your own. (Phil. 4:9)

### **Quick Review**

1. Was there anything in the passage that challenged or encouraged you?
2. Which of the reasons given for serving one another resonated with you?
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### **Digging Deeper**

1. Why was the servant mentality of Christ so important to His mission? (Philippians 2:5-7, John 4:34, 5:30, 6:38, Mark 10:45)
  
2. Why is a servant mentality essential for greatness in Christ's kingdom? (Matthew 20:20-28)
  
3. What were some of the ways the Jerusalem church served each other? (Acts 2:42-47, Acts 4:34-37)

### **Taking It Home**

1. What do the following verses teach us as we seek to serve one another more fully?
  - Galatians 5:13
  
  - Acts 20:19
  
  - Philippians 4:9
  
2. What are one or two things you need to work on in your life to have a greater servant mentality?