



Week 5 Discussion Questions

1. Read John 13:1-8. What initial observations do you have about the passage?
2. What motivated Jesus to wash the disciples' feet? Did he have ulterior or ultimate motives?
3. Explain the difference between ulterior motives and ultimate motives.
4. When was the last time you had a conversation with someone who seemed to have an ulterior motive? How did you know they had ulterior motives?
5. "We don't love our neighbors to convert them; we love our neighbors because we're converted." Discuss how this statement brings both relief and tension.

Response

1. B.E.L.L.S. (Bless, Eat, Listen to the Holy Spirit, Learn from Jesus, Share Jesus). How can you live out BELLS this week?
2. Invite one of your "nearest ones" to join you in something you ordinarily do (eat lunch, watching the game, walking the neighborhood, etc)?