



One on One with the One  
Part 6 – Sitting vs. Serving

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John 14:15, “If you love me, you will keep my commandments.”

1. Believe that \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Luke 10:38-42** “38 As Jesus and his disciples were on their way, he came to a **village** where a **woman named Martha opened her home to him**.<sup>39</sup> She had a **sister called Mary**, who **sat at the Lord’s feet listening** to what he said.<sup>40</sup> But **Martha was distracted** by all the **preparations** that had to be made. She came to him and asked, “**Lord, don’t you care** that my sister has left me to do the work **by myself**? Tell her to **help** me!”<sup>41</sup> “Martha, Martha,” the Lord answered, “you are **worried and upset** about **many things**,<sup>42</sup> but **few things** are needed—or indeed **only one**. Mary has chosen what is **better**, and it **will not be taken** away from her.”

**Luke 4:22-24**, “<sup>22</sup> All **spoke well of him** and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his lips. “**Isn’t this Joseph’s son?**” they asked.<sup>23</sup> Jesus said to them, “Surely you will quote this proverb to me: ‘Physician, heal yourself!’ And you will tell me, ‘Do here in your hometown what we have heard that you did in Capernaum.’”<sup>24</sup> “Truly I tell you,” he continued, “**no prophet is accepted in his hometown.**”

2. Serving is \_\_\_\_\_, but there is something \_\_\_\_\_.

**Matthew 7:21-23**,<sup>21</sup> “**Not everyone** who says to me, ‘**Lord, Lord,**’ will **enter the kingdom of heaven**, but the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven.<sup>22</sup> On that day many will say to me, ‘Lord, Lord, did we not **prophesy** in your name, and **cast out demons** in your name, and do many **mighty works** in your name?’<sup>23</sup> And then will I declare to them, ‘I **never knew you; depart from me, you workers of lawlessness.**’

**Luke 10:17-22**, “<sup>17</sup> The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, “**Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!**”<sup>18</sup> And he said to them, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven.<sup>19</sup> Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you.<sup>20</sup> **Nevertheless, do not rejoice in this**, that the spirits are subject to you, but **rejoice that your names are written in heaven.**”

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indeed **only one**. Mary has **chosen what is better**, and it will not be taken away from her.”

**Psalm 46:10**, “He says, ‘**Be still and know that I am God**; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth.’”

3. Know the \_\_\_\_\_ of your \_\_\_\_\_.

**Luke 10:42**, “<sup>42</sup> but few things are **needed—or indeed only one**. Mary has chosen what is better, and it will not be taken away from her.”

**James 2:14-17**, “<sup>14</sup> What *does it* profit, my brethren, if **someone says he has faith but does not have works**? Can faith save him?<sup>15</sup> If a brother or sister is naked and destitute of daily food,<sup>16</sup> and one of you says to them, “Depart in peace, be warmed and filled,” but you do not give them the things which are needed for the body, what *does it* profit?<sup>17</sup> **Thus also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.**”

**Matthew 20:26-28**, “...Instead, **whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant**,<sup>27</sup> and **whoever wants to be first must be your slave**—<sup>28</sup> just as the Son of Man **did not come to be served, but to serve**, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

**Luke 10:30-37**, “<sup>30</sup> Jesus replied, “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead.<sup>31</sup> Now by chance a **priest** was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side.<sup>32</sup> So likewise a **Levite**, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side.<sup>33</sup> But a **Samaritan**, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had **compassion**.<sup>34</sup> He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and **took care of him**.<sup>35</sup> And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, ‘Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.’<sup>36</sup> Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?”<sup>37</sup> He said, “The one who showed him mercy.” And Jesus said to him, “**You go, and do likewise.**”

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