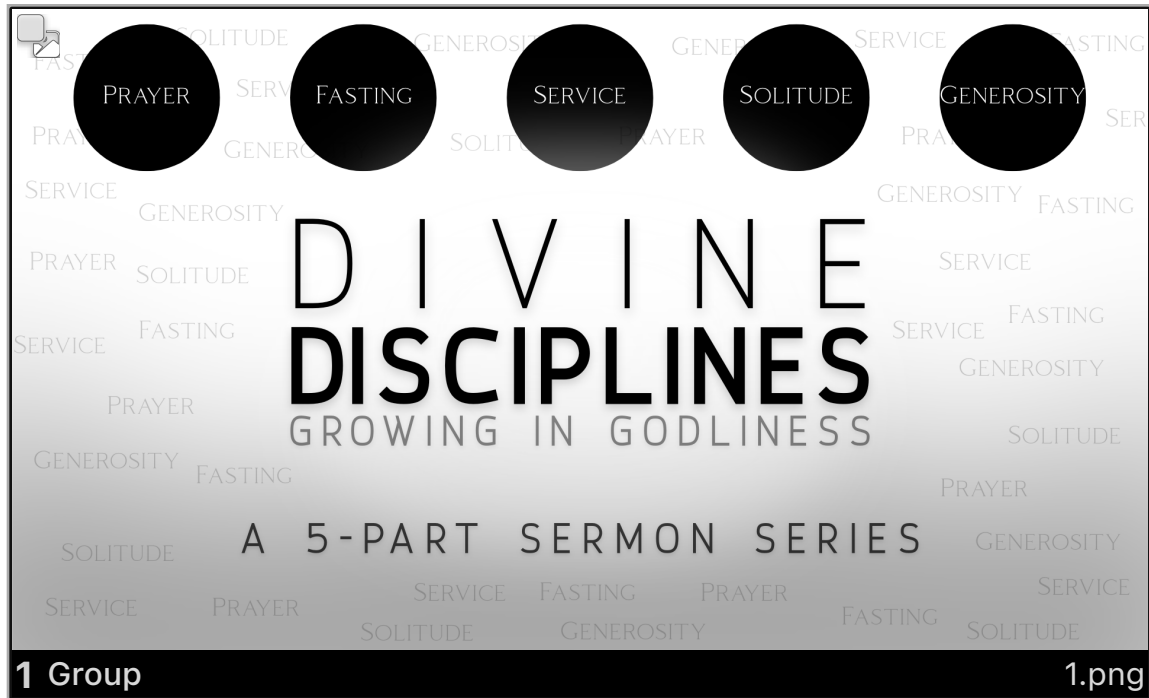


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³⁵And James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came up to him and said to him, “Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.”
Mark 10:35 (ESV)

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³⁶And he said to them, “What do you want me to do for you?”
Mark 10:36 (ESV)

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³⁷And they said to him, “Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.”

Mark 10:37 (ESV)

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³⁸Jesus said to them, “You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or to be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?”

Mark 10:38 (ESV)

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³⁹And they said to him, “We are able.” And Jesus said to them, “The cup that I drink you will drink, and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized,
Mark 10:39 (ESV)

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⁴⁰but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.”
Mark 10:40 (ESV)

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⁴¹And when the ten heard it, they began to be indignant at James and John.

Mark 10:41 (ESV)

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Key Thought:
Even those closest to Jesus are at risk of being
blinded by self-interest

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1. True Service Resists Selfish Ambition
(Mark 10:35-41)

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“Only one life, a few brief years, Each with its burdens, hopes, and fears; Each with its clays I must fulfill, living for self or in His will; Only one life, ’twill soon be past, Only what’s done for Christ will last.”

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⁴²And Jesus called them to him and said to them, “You know that those who are considered rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them.

Mark 10:42 (ESV)

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Mark 10:42 (ESV)

⁴³But it shall not be so among you. But whoever would be great among you must be your servant,

Mark 10:43 (ESV)

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⁴⁴and whoever would be first among you must be slave of all.
Mark 10:44 (ESV)

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2. True Service Rethinks Status
(Mark 10:42-45)

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The global church is literally researching how to survive with fewer servants, while our savior is teaching us how to thrive by being them.

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“oh let my love with fervor burn, and from the world now let me turn; living for thee and thee alone, bringing thee pleasure on thy throne; only one life, ‘twill soon be past, only what’s done for Christ will last.”

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⁴⁵For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”
Mark 10:45 (ESV)

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3. True Service Reflects Christ
(Mark 10:45)

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“only one life, yes only one, now let me say, ‘thy will be done;’ and when at last I’ll hear the call, I know I’ll say, ’twas worth it all;’ only one life, ’twill soon be past, only what’s done for Christ will last.”

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