

What Do You Want Me to Do for You?

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INTRODUCTION

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Can you imagine if Jesus looked you right in the eyes and asked that question? In the passage we're going to look at today, Jesus asked this question, not once, but twice. But as we'll see here in a moment, in one of the conversations, He was absolutely willing and able to answer the request. And in one of the situations He was not able, nor willing to answer their request. And it had everything to do with the proud heart vs the broken spirit.

Story #1—James and John (Mark 10:35-45)

Related passages: Mark 9:33-35; Matthew 5:3-10

Story #2—Blind Bartimaeus (Mark 10:46-52)

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Questions for Personal Reflection/Group Discussion

1. In what ways are we at times easily offended by our brothers and sisters in Christ? Why do you think?
2. What stands out most about the exchange Bartimaeus had with Jesus?
3. Consider memorizing the Beatitudes (Matthew 5:3-10) and praying through regularly.
4. Share with your group (or at least person this week) what you would like ask Jesus to do for you.