

The Road to Greatness
Jesus' Last Journey Part IV
Mark 10:35-45

Humility in short supply



A disciple debacle

Greatness turned upside down

Mark 10:45 "For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

Questions to Ponder

In what ways do you experience pride attempting to lead your life?

Why is humility so challenging for us?

- "Humility is not thinking less of yourself; it's thinking of yourself less." Rick Warren- Saddle Back church
- Do your gifts and talents belong to you or to God?
 - o If God, then how might this change how you view them and use them?
- "Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves, ⁴ not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others." Philippians 2:3-4

What caught your attention from our scripture today?

- Why do you think you are drawn here?
- What do you think God is saying to you?

Pastor John said, "You can't make yourself humble.... but you can be on the journey growing in it."

- What might this journey of growing in humility look like?

Philippians 2:3-4 (MSG) 3 Don't push your way to the front; don't sweet-talk your way to the top. Put yourself aside, and help others get ahead. 4 Don't be obsessed with getting your own advantage. Forget yourselves long enough to lend a helping hand.

Scriptures used: Proverbs 16:18, 21:4; James 4:6, 4:10