



RESET: Back to Essentials of Christian Life SERVE

Daily Quiet Time Reflections -- Week 4
Write Responses in your Prayer Journal

These essentials build on each other.

**Daily, Continue to Spend time in PRAYER, SCRIPTURE, WORSHIP,
and Now SERVE.**

Day 1:

Scripture / Read Philippians 2:1-11

What is this scripture speaking to you?

Is verse 3 easy or difficult for you put into action in your life? Why?

Does your attitude reflect one of focusing on self and the world, or focusing on the Kingdom and Serving Others? What can you do to change your attitude to be more humble and Christ-like in your interactions with others and service to them?

Think of what Christ did on the cross for you, and do you understand how He put others first, and served others first? How different would the lives of those in your family, co-workers, friends, etc. be different if you lived out this verse and had an attitude of serving others first?

...Today, go out of your way to think of others before yourself in situations that arise. Put others first and Serve them first before yourself. It cost Christ a lot to serve us, Sacrifice today in some way to serve others.

Day 2:

Scripture / Read John 13:1-17

What are these scriptures speaking to you?

Imagine the scene as Jesus washed His disciples feet. How would you have responded having Jesus wash your feet and serve you in this way? Would you ever wash someone's dirty feet like Jesus did? Why, Why Not? What are needs today people have that we might equate with being a job like washing someone's feet? Would you be willing to serve others to meet those needs?

Reflect on verses 14-16. How is Jesus speaking to you in those verses? Pray and ask God to give you opportunities to follow the example of Christ.

...Today, when you see an opportunity to do something and serve someone in a way that might look dirty to you, think of what Christ did, humble yourself, and serve others in a loving way they have need.



Day 3:

Scripture / Read Ephesians 2:1-10.

What are these scriptures speaking to you?

Think of what this scripture is really saying about the Lord and what He did for us through Christ.

How are you the Lord's workmanship? What are "good works" that you have done for the Lord in your life? What good works do you believe God has set before you to do?

Thank God for creating you as one of His Masterpieces, and ask Him to really show you the good works He has planned for you to Serve Him for in your life.

...Today, realize how Special you are to God and know He created you for an incredible purpose. Reflect on that all throughout your day.

Day 4:

Scriptures / Read James 2:14-26 & I John 3:16-24

What are these scriptures speaking to you?

What do these verses make you think about?

Reflect on the fact of whether the way you Serve God and Serve others shows the world your faith. Ask God to help your Faith be lived out in works and reveal to you your true heart for serving others.

...Today, look for ways that you can put your faith in action and Serve others. Do kind deeds for others all during your day!

Day 5:

Scriptures / Read I Corinthians 12:12-31

What are these scriptures speaking to you?

What are the talents and abilities you have? What are the spiritual gifts you are aware God has given you?

If a body works together, and you are a part of it, would you say the body is helped or held back by your level of service and the way you serve others? What can you do to be a more integral part of the body?

Pray and ask God to give you opportunities to use your personal abilities and your spiritual gifts to serve Him.

...Today, think of a way that you can serve with others to accomplish something great together, and then go do it. Realize your part in it.

