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Romans 16:13

"Greet Rufus, whom the Lord picked out to be his very own; and also his <u>dear mother</u>, who has been a mother to me."



"An ounce of Mother is worth a pound of priest." Spanish Proverb

"Let France have good mothers and she will have good sons." Napoleon

Note From School: "Your child is dumb we can't do anything for him."

Mrs Edison: "You don't understand him. I'll teach him myself."

"My mother was the making of me. The memory of her will always be a blessing to me." Thomas Edison

Matthew 20:17-28

"... Then the mother of Zebedee's sons came to Him with her sons, kneeling down and asking something from Him ... "Grant that these two sons of mine may sit, one on Your right hand and the other on the left, in Your kingdom ... You do not know what you ask."



Jesus Spent a lot of time trying to make it clear that His kingdom was a place where selfishness is not accepted.

- First place in the Kingdom is Slave!
- Servant: --- (Diakonos) Attendant, one
- who executes the commands of
- another.
- Slave: (duolos) Bondman, devoted to another to the disregard of one's own interests.



Greatness is measured in terms of service, not status. God designed you for service, not for self-centeredness.



Dr. Sandy F. Ray "Jesus was not merely washing the dust from the Judaic deserts from their feet; he was washing shackling fetters of tradition from their minds. He was washing the ancient cobwebs of customs and crippling concepts from their souls. Their feet were not as dusty as their hearts and attitudes. Their hearts and minds were dusty with selfish ambition ... When Jesus returns, he will not be seeking titles; he will be checking towels."

Dr. Karl Menninger, famous psychiatrist questioned after giving a lecture on mental health, "What would you advise someone to do if he felt a nervous breakdown coming on?" Most people expected the doctor to say, "Consult a psychiatrist." Instead he said, "Lock up your house, go across the railroad tracks, find someone in need, and do something to help that person."

The **greatest** human tragedy is for a person to never embrace the Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ.

The **second greatest** tragedy is that a person receives Jesus Christ and his grace, but then it never manifests in service toward others.



Galatians 6:7-8 "For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap corruption, but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit <u>reap</u> everlasting life." If you keep on giving in to the negative you'll wreck your life. **Operate out of the Spirit and** your life will be extraordinary. **Good Advice and Good News**

Galatians 6:18 *"Brethren, the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit. Amen."*

May His power motivate you. Not performance or a program. It's personal. You have it right when you've

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