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Topic: Serving in Humility

Scripture text: Philippians 2:1-11

1. Serving the Lord is a privilege and requires a humble and contrite spirit. As Christians who have been saved by Jesus Christ and tasted of His goodness, we must be like-minded in serving Him. We are not to strive among ourselves, but to love each other in the truth and think biblically. The world may be self-serving, but the Bible teaches us to be in the full pursuit of Christ and to esteem others above self.

2. Humility is having the lowliness of mind, acknowledging that we are nobody and can do nothing, except by the grace of God. We must care for the spiritual welfare of fellow believers, pray for them and help them to grow in their service for God.

3. Jesus Christ exemplified humility perfectly when He came to this earth to redeem sinners from their sins. Christ was God yet He put aside His kingly glory to be made in the likeness of men. He humbled Himself in the form of a servant and died on the cross to pay the penalty of sin. Christ has set the pattern for men not to be ministered unto, but to minister to others.

4. God exalted Christ because of the humility He displayed. During the second coming of Christ, He will be worshipped by all in this earth. The meek and humble in spirit will be exalted and reign with Christ in the Millennium