



Messianic Christian Fellowship

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“Serving Others”

I don't want this to be an emotional sermon about love, but rather an encouraging sermon to not grow weary in doing good. And to help kickstart you in focusing on others rather than yourselves. **Gal.6:9,10**

You say you love God with all your heart mind soul strength-
Then Love your neighbor with this same love!
Love them by doing all that you do for their good-
just like you try to do all that you do unto the glory of the Father-
Try to do all that you do for the good of others-
to build them up spiritually and help them become who the Father wants them to be-
try to see them through the Father's eyes- see them the way the Father sees them-
He made them with the potential to be great in His Kingdom- Help them to get there!

Phil.2:3-8

Are you willing to lay your life down for others- others who don't deserve it at the time you do it?

We gather knowledge of Torah, but knowledge puffs us up with pride and arrogance- what we need to do is humble ourselves and serve others and let Yahweh exalt us in His due time.

1 Cor.8:1- knowledge makes arrogant, but love edifies! Are we edifying people- are we building people up? Or do we only tear down without building up?

1 Peter5:6 humble yourselves!

John12:24-26 these two words- **serve and servant**- are closely related: they mean attendant; to wait upon; host; friend; minister; serve; to run errands; role of a teacher, pastor, or deacon. **This word focuses upon the servant in his activity for the work and not his relation to a person.**

Math.23:8-12 The power to serve- yeshua said **the greatest amongst us is the servant**

Do not be called Rabbi or Master! This is why I hate the title Rabbi and refuse to use it or call others that in a respectful way. When I refer to the rabbis said this or that I am in no way calling them my rabbi- I only use the word to allow others to understand who I am talking about.

Math.20:25-28 Yeshua served- **he came to serve- not too be served**

This word slave in vs.27 is different from the other word servant- this word means slave, bondman, servant; one who is in a permanent relation of servitude to another whose will is completely subject to the will of another. The focus is on the relationship more so than the service.

This word bond-servant or slave- is taking servitude to the next level! Where it's not merely about the work, but also about the relationship- where your will is subject to the will of another. This is the type of relationship we are to have with Yahweh- we are his slaves, where His will comes first before ours.

We need to have the attitude of serving others and not the attitude of entitlement or the attitude of people need to be serving you.

Titus3:14 - serve others

Moses- a servant

Joshua- a servant

Jeremiah- a suffering servant (word search servant in Hebrew)

James- a bond servant

To serve the Lord is to serve others- we need to focus on others and helping them to become who Yahweh wants them to be! See the potential in them that the Father sees, and influence them spiritually for their good. If you focus on the negative things in people, the fault finding things in them- you will not be focused on the right thing. Focus on helping them become who the Father wants them to be.

Blessed r u; bring us here, great I am? King- Holy Spirit?

Blessing for Counting the Omer

The Following blessing is said before stating the count of the omer:

Ba-rukh at-tah Adonai
e-lo-hei-nu me-lekh Ha-‘o-lam
a-sher kid-de-sha-nu be-mits-vo-tav
‘al ve-tsi-va-nu se-fi-rat ha-o-mer

Blessed are you Lord our God, King of the universe. Who has sanctified us with His commandments and commanded us about the counting of the Omer. Today is day 50 of the counting of the Omer! Today is Shavuot!!