



# The Way of Jesus

## Week 6: The Way to Significance

### CCV Groups Discussion Guide

#### OPENING QUESTION:

Throughout your life, who has served you in a way that changed your life?

#### GROUPS [VIDEO GUIDE](#)

#### READ IT AGAIN:

- [Mark 10:32-45](#)

#### DISCUSS:

- If you could be recognized as “great” for one thing, what would you want that to be? [Don’t try to be falsely humble or super spiritual...It is ok to be honest].
- Did Jesus think it was wrong for James and John to want to be great? Read [Matthew 20:20–28](#) in addition to the Mark 10 account. Did he rebuke James and John for asking for chief seats?
- Who is the greatest living example of a servant you know?
- Share a time you did something for someone who could not pay you back? How did that make them feel? How did that make you feel?
- Identify one way you enjoy serving others and how you can increase that activity 10% this week.

#### PRAYER:

Go around the room and take prayer requests. After praying over those requests, go around the room and ask what could be done by someone in the room to serve and support any of the requests you made to God. In other words, is there any way that someone in the room could help God answer the prayer?

#### SCRIPTURES:

- **2 Chronicles 7:14**, “If my people who are called by my name humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and heal their land.”
- **Proverbs 11:2**, “When pride comes, then comes disgrace, but with the humble is wisdom.”
- **Proverbs 15:33**, “The fear of the LORD is instruction in wisdom, and humility comes before honor.”
- **Proverbs 18:12**, “Before destruction a man's heart is haughty, but humility comes before honor.”
- **Proverbs 29:23**, “One's pride will bring him low, but he who is lowly in spirit will obtain honor.”
- **Micah 6:8**, “He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?”
- **Luke 14:11**, “For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted.”
- **John 3:30**, “He must increase, but I must decrease.”
- **Romans 12:3**, “For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned.”
- **Ephesians 4:2**, “With all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love.”
- **Philippians 2:3**, “Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves.”
- **James 4:6**, “But he gives more grace. Therefore, it says, “God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.”
- **James 4:10**, “Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.”
- **1 Peter 5:6**, “Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you.”
- **Psalms 25:9**, “He leads the humble in what is right and teaches the humble his way.”
- **Psalms 149:4**, “For the LORD takes pleasure in his people; he adorns the humble with salvation.”

