

THE ULTIMATE WEEK



LUKE: PART III

MARCH 3 - APRIL 7

THE ULTIMATE LESSON

LUKE 22:24-38

24 A DISPUTE ALSO AROSE AMONG THEM, AS TO WHICH OF THEM WAS TO BE REGARDED AS THE GREATEST. 25 AND HE SAID TO THEM, "THE KINGS OF THE GENTILES EXERCISE LORDSHIP OVER THEM, AND THOSE IN AUTHORITY OVER THEM ARE CALLED BENEFACTORS. 26 BUT NOT SO WITH YOU. RATHER, LET THE GREATEST AMONG YOU BECOME AS THE YOUNGEST, AND THE LEADER AS ONE WHO SERVES.

27 FOR WHO IS THE GREATER, ONE WHO
RECLINES AT TABLE OR ONE WHO SERVES? IS IT
NOT THE ONE WHO RECLINES AT TABLE? BUT I AM
AMONG YOU AS THE ONE WHO SERVES.

28 “YOU ARE THOSE WHO HAVE STAYED WITH ME
IN MY TRIALS, 29 AND I ASSIGN TO YOU, AS MY
FATHER ASSIGNED TO ME, A KINGDOM, 30 THAT
YOU MAY EAT AND DRINK AT MY TABLE IN MY
KINGDOM AND SIT ON THRONES JUDGING THE
TWELVE TRIBES OF ISRAEL.

31 “SIMON, SIMON, BEHOLD, SATAN DEMANDED
TO HAVE YOU, THAT HE MIGHT SIFT YOU LIKE
WHEAT, 32 BUT I HAVE PRAYED FOR YOU THAT
YOUR FAITH MAY NOT FAIL. AND WHEN YOU HAVE
TURNED AGAIN, STRENGTHEN YOUR BROTHERS.”
33 PETER SAID TO HIM, “LORD, I AM READY TO GO
WITH YOU BOTH TO PRISON AND TO DEATH.” 34
JESUS SAID, “I TELL YOU, PETER, THE ROOSTER
WILL NOT CROW THIS DAY, UNTIL YOU DENY THREE
TIMES THAT YOU KNOW ME.”

35 AND HE SAID TO THEM, "WHEN I SENT YOU
OUT WITH NO MONEYBAG OR KNAPSACK OR
SANDALS, DID YOU LACK ANYTHING?" THEY SAID,
"NOTHING." 36 HE SAID TO THEM, "BUT NOW LET
THE ONE WHO HAS A MONEYBAG TAKE IT, AND
LIKEWISE A KNAPSACK. AND LET THE ONE WHO
HAS NO SWORD SELL HIS CLOAK AND BUY ONE.

37 FOR I TELL YOU THAT THIS SCRIPTURE MUST
BE FULFILLED IN ME: 'AND HE WAS NUMBERED
WITH THE TRANSGRESSORS.' FOR WHAT IS
WRITTEN ABOUT ME HAS ITS FULFILLMENT." 38
AND THEY SAID, "LOOK, LORD, HERE ARE TWO
SWORDS." AND HE SAID TO THEM, "IT IS ENOUGH."

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JESUS SERVED. SO WE SERVE.

“26 RATHER, LET THE GREATEST AMONG YOU
BECOME AS THE YOUNGEST, AND THE LEADER AS
ONE WHO SERVES. 27 FOR WHO IS THE GREATER,
ONE WHO RECLINES AT TABLE OR ONE WHO
SERVES? IS IT NOT THE ONE WHO RECLINES AT
TABLE? BUT I AM AMONG YOU AS THE ONE WHO
SERVES.”

“FOR YOU WERE CALLED TO FREEDOM,
BROTHERS. ONLY DO NOT USE YOUR FREEDOM AS
AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE FLESH, BUT THROUGH
LOVE SERVE ONE ANOTHER.”

GALATIANS 5:13

AS SERVANTS, WE ARE TARGETS.

“A MODERATED RELIGION IS AS GOOD FOR
US AS NO RELIGION AT ALL—AND MORE
AMUSING.”

-WORMWOOD IN THE SCREWTAPE
LETTERS

“25 CONSEQUENTLY, HE IS ABLE TO SAVE TO THE
UTTERMOST THOSE WHO DRAW NEAR TO GOD
THROUGH HIM, SINCE HE ALWAYS LIVES TO MAKE
INTERCESSION FOR THEM.”

HEBREWS 7:25

DO WE SERVE WITH SWORDS?

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