



WHY THE CROSSINGS EMPHASIZES “IMPROVING YOUR SERVE.”

- **Because serving makes me _____.**

²⁵ But Jesus called them together and said, “You know that the rulers in this world lord it over their people, and officials flaunt their authority over those under them. ²⁶ But among you it will be different. Whoever wants to be a leader among you must be your servant, ²⁷ and whoever wants to be first among you must become your slave. ²⁸ For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve others and to give his life as a ransom for many.” **Matthew 20:25-28** NLT

⁵ You must have the same attitude that Christ Jesus had. ⁶ Though he was God, he did not think of equality with God as something to cling to. ⁷ Instead, he gave up his divine privileges; he took the humble position of a slave and was born as a human being. When he appeared in human form, ⁸ he humbled himself in obedience to God and died a criminal’s death on a cross. ⁹ Therefore, God elevated him to the place of highest honor and gave him the name above all other names, ¹⁰ that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹ and every tongue declare that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. **Philippians 2:1-11** NLT

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You are living among people who do not know God. So be very careful that you always live in a good way. Sometimes these people may wrongly say that you do bad things. But if you continue to live in a good way, they will see that you really do good things. As a result, on the day when God comes as judge, they will give honor to him. **1 Peter 2:12** EASY

HOW CAN I HONOR GOD THROUGH SERVICE?

I DEVELOP A **S** _____

I DETERMINE TO SIEZE THE **O** _____ GOD PROVIDES.

I DEPLOY MY **S** _____

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OPPORTUNITIES TO _____

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR _____ TO BE SERVED.

So be careful how you live. Don’t live like fools, but like those who are wise. ¹⁶ Make the most of every opportunity in these evil days. ¹⁷ Don’t act thoughtlessly, but understand what the Lord wants you to do.

Ephesians 5:15-17 NLT