

YOU ARE CALLED TO BLESS

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You are God's masterpiece and you were created carefully and uniquely to fulfill a role that only you can fulfill. You were shaped to serve God and you can only do that here on earth by serving others, using your Spiritual Gift(s) and the passion that God placed in your heart, combine that with the set of God-given abilities that your personality can express, and match them with the experiences that God allowed you to have in the past. You were planned for God's pleasure. And in His family (the church), you will grow to become like Christ, and you will discover how your shape will fit for service. Christians are bi-vocational minister of Jesus. No matter what you do in life, you do it for two reasons. So whether you're a truck driver or an attorney or a janitor or a hospice worker or a homemaker or a teacher or a deal maker or a stockbroker or an accountant or a farmer, it doesn't matter what you are. If you are a Christian you are to do it for two reasons—to help others and to honor God. Whatever you do become part of your ministry if you have the right motivation. Your calling to salvation is your calling to serve. You are saved to serve. The moment you were saved by God through your acceptance of the Lord's grace and forgiveness, you enlist yourself to serve. Good things happens when you start serving. It brings amazing benefits

"You are saved to serve!"

• 4TH PURPOSE OF MY LIFE:

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• MY LIFE CALLING: TO BE A BI-VOCATIONAL

"God in his grace chose me even before I was born, and called me to serve him." Galatians 1:15 (TEV)

SERMON OUTLINE

WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF I USE MY LIFE TO SERVE & BLESS OTHERS?

1. _____
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"My life is being poured out as a part of the sacrifice and service I offer to God for your faith. Yet, I am FILLED WITH JOY, and I share that joy with all of you." Philippians 2:17 (GW)
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"Always be full of joy in the Lord; I say it again, rejoice! Let everyone see that you are unselfish and considerate in all you do." Philippians 4:4-5 (LB)
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"God has given each of you some special abilities; be sure to use them to help each other, passing on to others God's many kinds of blessings." 1 Peter 4:10 (LB)

2. _____
"Your attitude must be like my own, for I did not come to be served but to serve..." Matthew 20:28 (LB)
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"If you serve Christ in this way, you will please God and be respected by people." Romans 14:18 (CEV)
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"The one who blesses others is abundantly blessed; those who help others are helped." Proverbs 11:25 (MSG)

3. _____
"If you try to keep your life for yourself, you will lose it. But if you give up your life for my sake and for the sake of the Good News, you will find true life." Mark 8:35 (NLT)
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"Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your work in the Lord is never wasted." 1 Corinthians 15:58 (NCV)

4. _____
"Good people will be remembered as a blessing." Proverbs 10:7 (NCV)
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"If you want to be great, you must be the servant of all the others." Matthew 20:26 (CEV)
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"God is fair; he will not forget the work you did and the love you showed for him by helping his people. And he will remember that you are still helping them." Hebrews 6:10 (NCV)
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"My Father will honor anyone who serves me." John 12:26 (NCV)



*One Church!
One Message!*