

GULF SHORES CHURCH OF CHRIST

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What Does It Mean To Be A Servant Driven Disciple?

Introduction:

1. Jesus is looking for those that are willing to follow Him.
2. He is still looking for fishers of men!
3. **Matthew 16:24-26, Matthew 25:14-30**
4. Do you consider yourself to be a dedicated disciple of Jesus?

Discussion:

I. We must be dedicated to serving God.

- A. We are to have the attitude of a slave.
Psalm 40:6
- B. We have been freed from the penalty of sin.
Romans 6:22
- C. We must turn from idols to serve God.
I Thessalonians 1:9

II. We must be dedicated to serving those in Christ.

- A. We are told to be motivated by love.
Galatians 5:13
- B. We are commanded to serve others.
Ephesians 4:12
- C. We are told to love like God has loved us.
I John 4:7-16

III. We must be dedicated to serving those outside of Christ.

- A. We should be seeking out the lost.
Luke 19:10
- B. We are debtors to those without a Savior.
Romans 1:14-16
- C. We should be winning outsiders to Christ.
I Corinthians 9:19

Conclusion:

1. As a dedicated disciples of Christ we must be servant-minded.
2. If the church needs one thing more than any other it is dedicated believers that are grounded in their faith.
3. **I Peter 3:15**
4. We need to stay focused.
5. We need to remember why God “called us out” of the world.
6. We need to remember the restoration plea.
7. Right now the church needs you!

8. Will you be the dedicated disciple God needs today?