

SERVING



Ephesians 4: 17-24

FALL IN LOVE WITH GOD WEEK FIVE – SERVING

Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms.

1 Peter 4:10

Life Lesson: Pickup In The Rain

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One night, at 11:30 P.M., an older African American woman was standing on the side of an Alabama highway trying to endure a lashing rainstorm.

Her car had broken down and she desperately needed a ride. Soaking wet, she decided to flag down the next car.

A young white man stopped to help her, generally unheard of in those conflict-filled 1960's. The man took her to safety, helped her get assistance and put her into a taxicab.

She seemed to be in a big hurry, but wrote down his address and thanked him. Seven days went by and a knock came on the man's door. To his surprise, a giant console color TV was delivered to his home.

A special note was attached. It read:

"Thank you so much for assisting me on the highway the other night. The rain drenched not only my clothes, but also my spirits. Then you came along. Because of you, I was able to make it to my dying husband's bedside just before he passed away. God Bless you for helping me and unselfishly serving others."

Sincerely,
Mrs. Nat King Cole

The measure of a man's greatness is not the number of servants he has, but the number of people her serves.

John Hagee

As you grow older, you will discover that you have two hands, one for helping yourself, the other for helping others.

Maya Angelou