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<sup>24</sup>“Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. **Matthew 16:24 (NIV11)**

### Faithful In Service

- What would others say that you’re always doing?

<sup>11</sup> The greatest among you will be your servant.  
**Matthew 23:11 (NIV11)**

#### What Are You Always Doing?

<sup>36</sup> In Joppa there was a disciple named Tabitha (in Greek her name is Dorcas); she was always doing good and helping the poor.  
**Acts 9:36 (NIV11)**

#### How Do We Become a Faithful Servant?

- Bring a \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>17</sup> One day Jesse said to David, “Take this basket of roasted grain and these ten loaves of bread, and carry them quickly to your brothers. <sup>18</sup> And give these ten cuts of cheese to their captain. See how your brothers are getting along, and bring back a report on how they are doing.”  
**1 Samuel 17:17-18 (NLT2)**

- Offer a \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>31</sup> If anyone asks you, ‘Why are you untying it?’ say, ‘The Lord needs it.’ ”  
**Luke 19:31 (NIV11)**

- Carry a \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>4</sup> so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. <sup>5</sup> After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples’ feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him.  
**John 13:4-5 (NIV11)**

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**Matthew 23:11 (NIV11)**

#### My Next Step Today Is To...

- Meditate on Matthew 23:11
- Commit to more faithfully serve my friends, family and community.
- Live in such a way that I leave a legacy of faithful service.
- Turn my life over to the care and control of God as I begin the journey of faith with Jesus as my Lord and Savior.