

JOIN US FOR
MANCHURCH



JANUARY 30TH
DINNER AT 6 PM
BEGINS AT 6:30 PM



IF THIS IS YOUR
FIRST TIME
...THANKS FOR JOINING US!

WE WOULD LOVE TO MEET YOU! STOP AND MEET A PASTOR
TO THE RIGHT OF THE STAGE AFTER THE SERVICE.



SCAN
THE CODE
FOR A LIST OF
IMPORTANT
ROCK CREEK LINKS!



FOLLOW
HIS STEPS

HE LEFT YOU AN EXAMPLE SO THAT
YOU MIGHT FOLLOW IN HIS FOOTSTEPS.
1 PETER 2:21

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SERMON SERIES BY GREG KIRKSEY

He left you an example so that you might follow in his footsteps.
1 Peter 2: 21 (CEB)

MY AMBITION

FOCAL PASSAGE

Then the mother of James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to Jesus with her sons. She knelt respectfully to ask a favor. ²¹ “What is your request?” he asked.

She replied, “In your Kingdom, please let my two sons sit in places of honor next to you, one on your right and the other on your left.”

²² But Jesus answered by saying to them, “You don’t know what you are asking! Are you able to drink from the bitter cup of suffering I am about to drink?”

“Oh yes,” they replied, “we are able!”

²³ Jesus told them, “You will indeed drink from my bitter cup. But I have no right to say who will sit on my right or my left. My Father has prepared those places for the ones he has chosen.”

²⁴ When the ten other disciples heard what James and John had asked, they were indignant. 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 20:22-28

1. MY AMBITION

THE WORDS OF JESUS

The mother of James and John...came to Jesus with her sons, knelt respectfully to ask a favor. ‘What is your request?’ He asked.

Matthew 20:20-21

“You don’t know what you are asking! Are you able to drink from the bitter cup of suffering I am about to drink?”

Matthew 20:22

Jesus was going up to Jerusalem, he took the twelve disciples aside privately and told them what was going to happen to him. “Listen”, he said, “we’re going up to Jerusalem, where the Son of Man will be betrayed...sentences to die...mocked... flogged with a whip, and crucified.

Matthew 20: 17-19

“Those who love their life in this world will lose it. Those who care nothing for their life in this world will keep it for eternity. Anyone who wants to be my disciple must follow me, because my servants must be where I am.

John 12: 25-26

2. MY AMBITION

THE WAY OF JESUS

You must have the same attitude that Christ Jesus had. Though he was God, he did not think of equality with God as something to cling to. 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, he humbled himself in obedience to God and died a criminal’s death on a cross.

Philippians 2: 5-8

Therefore, brothers and sisters, in view of the mercies of God, I urge you to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God; this is your true worship.

Romans 12:1 (CSB)