

RELATIONSHIP RULES

Don't Be Selfish

Sunday, February 8, 2026 | Tommy Duke

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Relationship Rule #1: Love Like Jesus (Love)

Relationship Rule #2: Lay Aside My Pride (Humility)

Relationship Rule #3: _____ (Service)

"We know what real love is because Jesus gave up his life for us. So we also ought to give up our lives for our brothers and sisters." – 1 John 3:16

Key: _____

HOW TO SERVE THOSE CLOSEST TO ME

A Study in the Book of Philippians

- **ADMIT** _____ **WITH THOSE CLOSEST TO ME.**

"Don't be selfish; don't try to impress others..." – Philippians 2:3

- **ACTIVELY** _____ **OF THOSE CLOSEST TO ME.**

"...Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourselves." – Philippians 2:3

"Dear children, let's not merely say that we love each other; let us show the truth by our actions." – 1 John 3:18

- **ASK _____ THOSE CLOSEST TO ME.**

“Don’t look out only for your own interests, but take an interest in others, too.”
– Philippians 2:4

“The generous will prosper; those who refresh others will themselves be refreshed.”
– Proverbs 11:25

- **APPRECIATE _____ BY THOSE CLOSEST TO ME.**

“Every time I think of you, I give thanks to my God... for you have been my partners in spreading the Good News about Christ from the time you first heard it until now.”
– Philippians 1:3, 5

- **ASPIRE TO _____ THOSE CLOSEST TO ME.**

“⁵ You must have the same attitude that Christ Jesus had. ⁶ Though he was God, he did not think of equality with God as something to cling to. ⁷ 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, ⁸ he humbled himself in obedience to God and died a criminal’s death on a cross. ⁹ Therefore, God elevated him to the place of highest honor and gave him the name above all other names, ¹⁰ that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹ and every tongue declare that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.” – Philippians 2:5-11

Memory Verse:

(Jesus) *“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.”* – Mark 10:45

MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO:

- ☐ Memorize Mark 10:45.
- ☐ Choose service over selfishness with those closest to me.
- ☐ RSVP for the next Membership Class – Sunday, March 15, right after the 11:00am worship service (lunch provided).
- ☐ Learn more about getting Baptized on Sunday, March 22.
- ☐ Sign up for Spring Growth Group #: _____

* You’re invited to join us next Sunday, February 15, as we continue our *Relationship Rules* teaching series with the message, “You’re Patience is Appreciated.” Invite your friends and family to attend with us at 11:00am!



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