

Achieving Greatness?

- In the **business** world *“Success- Growth”*
- In the **academic** world *“Published-Research”*
- In the **entertainment** world *“Volume Of Sales”*
- *In the* **sporting** world *“Winning & Setting Records”*
- *In the* **Christian** world ...
- *“Success –Growth, Being -Influential ”*

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Text Matthew 23:v11 (*page 992*)

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Why This Verse?

- ❖ This is Jesus' **definition** of greatness
- ❖ It's in stark **contrast** to worldly greatness
- ❖ It's **achievable** to anyone who chooses it
- ❖ All benefits from it
- ❖ We learn from Jesus the **greatest** servant

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- **The greatest among you will be your servant.** Matthew 23:11NIV
- **The greatest among you will be the one who always serves others from the heart.** Matthew 23:11TPT

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How ?

The greatest among you will be the one who always serves others from the heart. Matthew 23:11 (TPT)

- **Learning to imitate Jesus**
(The greatest servant of all)
- **Aiming for humility** is not easy
- Not easy in a “**Me First**” culture
- You have to get rid of “The Me” mentally”
- The Cross the ultimate example of humility

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Obstacles

The greatest among you will be the one who always serves others from the heart. Matthew 23:11 (TPT)

- **Follow** Jesus in serving then we have his rest
- **Humility** has to give before you receive
- **Jesus** will give you what you need when you give to those in need
- **Humility** is “chosen state of mind” / attitude
- **Setting** yourself up for serving other

Greatness

- Defining greatness **“Humble Love”**
- Serving without loving has no lasting value
- Intending to serve but not doing it means we lack humble-love