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Get to Washing Those Feet

John 13:1-17

John 13:1 (NKJV)

1 Now before the Feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that His hour had come that He should depart from this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.

John 13:2 (NKJV)

2 And supper being ended, the devil having already put it into the heart of Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, to betray Him,

John 13:3 (NKJV)

3 Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into His hands, and that He had come from God and was going to God,

John 13:4 (NKJV)

4 rose from supper and laid aside His garments, took a towel and girded Himself.

John 13:5 (NKJV)

5 After that, He poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet, and to wipe them with the towel with which He was girded.

John 13:6 (NKJV)

6 Then He came to Simon Peter. And Peter said to Him, "Lord, are You washing my feet?"

John 13:7 (NKJV)

7 Jesus answered and said to him, "What I am doing you do not understand now, but you will know after this."

John 13:8 (NKJV)

8 Peter said to Him, "You shall never wash my feet!" Jesus answered him, "If I do not wash you, you have no part with Me."

John 13:9 (NKJV)

9 Simon Peter said to Him, "Lord, not my feet only, but also my hands and my head!"

John 13:10 (NKJV)

10 Jesus said to him, "He who is bathed needs only to wash his feet, but is completely clean; and you are clean, but not all of you."

John 13:11 (NKJV)

11 For He knew who would betray Him; therefore He said, "You are not all clean."

John 13:12 (NKJV)

12 So when He had washed their feet, taken His garments, and sat down again, He said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you?"

John 13:13 (NKJV)

13 You call Me Teacher and Lord, and you say well, for so I am.

John 13:14 (NKJV)

14 If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet.

John 13:15 (NKJV)

15 For I have given you an example, that you should do as I have done to you.

John 13:16 (NKJV)

16 Most assuredly, I say to you, a servant is not greater than his master; nor is he who is sent greater than he who sent him.

John 13:17 (NKJV)

17 If you know these things, blessed are you if you do them.

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Romans 12:7 (NKJV)

7 or ministry, let us use it in our ministering; he who teaches, in teaching;

Galatians 5:13 (NKJV)

13 For you, brethren, have been called to liberty; only do not use liberty as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another.

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- 5) Jesus Christ was the ultimate servant

Mark 10:45 (NKJV)

45 For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

Philippians 2:5 (NKJV)

5 Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus,