

RADICAL Pt 1

“Full Enough to Overflow”

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The power of the resurrection provides a foundation that can support the weight of our desire and the fullness of the human experience.

- What is the fullness of the human experience?
- How do we leverage our lives towards the things that will bring us a deep satisfaction?
- What does it mean for what we do with our lives?
- What we give our lives to?

2 Corinthians 5:16 NIV

So from now on we regard no one from a worldly point of view. Though we once regarded Christ in this way, we do so no longer.

A FOUNDATIONAL ASSUMPTION

- God's love is the only sufficient source for human relationships.
- God's love is not only sufficient for human relationships, but also the foundation for the fullness of human expression.

RADICAL REORIENTATION

This way of life is not simply a matter of instruction, but identity.

Our lives flow from our allegiance to Jesus and the belief that His way of life (Life in Him) brings about the redemption of all things.

Mark 10:35-45 NIV

35 Then James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to him. “Teacher,” they said, “we want you to do for us whatever we ask.” 36 “What do you want me to do for you?” he asked.

37 They replied, “Let one of us sit at your right and the other at your left in your glory.”

38 “You don’t know what you are asking,” Jesus said. “Can you drink the cup I drink or be baptized with the baptism I am baptized with?”

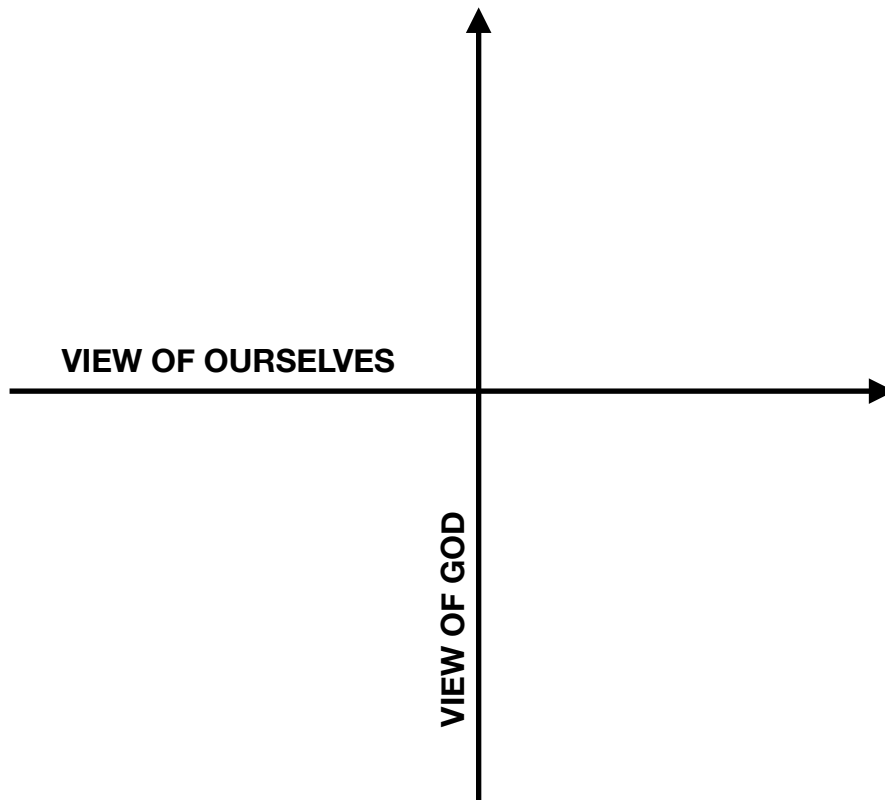
39 “We can,” they answered. Jesus said to them, “You will drink the cup I drink and be baptized with the baptism I am baptized with, 40 but to sit at my right or left is not for me to grant. These places belong to those for whom they have been prepared.”

41 When the ten heard about this, they became indignant with James and John. 42 Jesus called them together and said, “You know that those who are regarded as rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. 43 **Not so with you.**

Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, 44 and whoever wants to be first must be slave of all. 45 For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

DEFINITION OF SERVICE

Serving is both offering ourselves to another for their good and contributing to the good of the world around us.



SERVICE IS EXPRESSIVE

The Goal is to live fully enough to give yourself.