

# Life Application Questions

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*Consider the following sermon-based questions for your individual study or with a group of folks like one of the several Life Groups available at Chilson Hills.*

## **Foundational Scripture:**

*Mark 10:35-45*

## **Featured Scripture Reflection**

*“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.” (Mark 10:35, NIV)*

## **Opening Icebreaker**

*What famous person would you like to be the “special assistant” for?*

## **Scripture Questions**

*What is the scripture saying?*

- What view of God’s Kingdom are James and John still attached to?
- What do you think was in James’ and John’s mind when Jesus made the comments recorded in verses 33-34?
- How does Jesus use the symbols *baptism* and *cup*?
- What does Jesus teach about personal and political power?
- How is the death of Jesus Christ a service to all humanity?

*How is your life touched?*

- What drives in you are like those of James and John? Where do you want to be first?
- What does Jesus’ cross mean to you when you think of God’s power for living on this shadowed planet?
- How does Jesus’ model of servant leadership influence your relationships?
- How important for your daily life is the vertical cross of Christ?
- How important for your daily life is the horizontal cross of Christ?

*What is God’s invitation to you?*

- Jesus directs his disciples (both then and now) to be servants in their world. What is one way you can joyfully serve this week?

*What can you pray for?*

Pray that Chilson Hills will be a community of God’s people who are committed to actually serving the world in the name of the Risen Christ.