

Jesus said that the simple key to being great in the Kingdom is to serve other people as He did. He was talking about a lifestyle in which you are always looking for ways to serve. When you live a “serve others” lifestyle, you help your family and friends, volunteer in your community, and take care of loved ones. It becomes a part of who you are. You develop an attitude of giving to everyone you meet. That is when you will have true happiness and fulfillment. You live not to receive, but to give.

God has put people in your life on purpose so you can be a blessing to them. Don't look for them to pay you back. They may not even thank you, but rest assured that when you serve others, there is applause in Heaven. God sees your sacrifices, and He is the One who matters. He sees your acts of kindness, helping a co-worker or serving in the church. When you serve others, God says you will be great in the Kingdom.

Matthew 20:26-28 “...whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wants to be first must be your slave - just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.”