

blessing



OTHERS BY SERVING THEM

**LUKE 22:24-27**

**TWO DEFINITIONS OF GREATNESS**

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**WHAT IS 'GREATNESS' AND HOW CAN WE ACHIEVE IT?**

- B** - BEGIN WITH PRAYER
- L** - LISTEN TO THEM
- E** - EAT WITH THEM
- S** - SERVE THEM
- S** - SHARE YOUR STORY

## Ideas for Serving Others

- Collect coats and blankets to give to the Samaritan Community Center.
- Clean the yard and rake the leaves of an elderly neighbor.
- Volunteer to be a one-on-one tutor for a young lady at Saving Grace NWA.
- Push stray carts to the designated areas in a supermarket parking lot.
- Send Christmas cards to military personnel serving overseas.
- Volunteer for a few hours at the Rogers Humane Society for Animals.
- Go caroling at a local hospital, nursing home or retirement community.
- Volunteer to help prepare/share a meal with men of Soul's Harbor NWA.
- Donate time to babysit for a couple who needs a date night.
- Collect personal items and baby necessities for the NWA Women's Shelter.
- Volunteer to spend 'quality time' playing video games with a child at NWA Children's Shelter.
- Give a gift card to someone for gas, groceries or a restaurant.
- Take the time to teach someone something that you know how to do.
- Go out of your way to talk to the janitors and cleaning people who most people overlook.
- Have your class/small group bring lunch to your workplace once a month.
- Ask the HOA or apartment super if there is anything you can do to help.
- Volunteer at the Rogers Public Library to help during Children's Storytime.
- Leave a 'Thank You' card (and a treat) in your mailbox *for* the mail carrier.
- Pick a few restaurants to frequent getting to know the staff and regulars—be sure to tip generously.
- Offer your 'handyman' services to your elderly neighbors.
- Make a habit of taking a pre-believing co-worker to lunch once a month.
- Volunteer to lead a small-group Bible study in the home of a shut-in.
- Each of us has a unique talent, use yours in a way to bless someone.
- Ask God to direct you to a person who needs a smile, hug, prayer or friendly phone call.
- Bring baked goods to your neighbors or co-workers.
- Volunteer at the Rogers Public Library to help with tutoring.
- Choose a missionary or ministry and give them a monetary gift.
- At your work party this year, talk to the person who looks 'out of place.'
- Help your friend with a DIY project.
- Handwrite a personal thank you note to someone who has blessed you.
- Provide all the necessary grocery items for a family in need for their Thanksgiving dinner.
- Open your mind and heart to God, to listen and act upon his calling in the way you should serve.