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A New Collection of Bible Messages with Dr. Rich Wilkerson

# THIS IS US

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## OH, AND ONE MORE THING

### Our Fifth Core Value: **SERVANT LEADERSHIP IS OUR IDENTITY**

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2. **PEOPLE ARE OUR HEART**
3. **GENEROSITY IS OUR PRIVILEGE**
4. **EXCELLENCE IS OUR SPIRIT**

**John 13:1, 3-5, 12-17** – It was just before the Passover Festival. Jesus knew that the hour had come for him to leave this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, HE LOVED THEM TO THE END.

<sup>3</sup> Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; <sup>4</sup> so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist.

<sup>5</sup> After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him.

<sup>12</sup> When he had finished washing their feet, he put on his clothes and returned to his place. *"Do you understand what I have done for you?"* he asked them. <sup>13</sup> *"You call me 'Teacher' and 'Lord,' and rightly so, for that is what I am. <sup>14</sup> Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. <sup>15</sup> I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. <sup>16</sup> Very truly I tell you, no servant is greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him.*

<sup>17</sup> *Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them."*

### **WE CAN ALWAYS GO LOWER!**

### **WE LOVE THE OUTCAST!**

**Luke 8:42b-48** – As Jesus was on his way, the crowds almost crushed him.

<sup>43</sup> And a woman was there who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years, but no one could heal her. <sup>44</sup> She came up behind him and touched the edge of his cloak, and immediately her bleeding stopped.

<sup>45</sup> *"Who touched me?"* Jesus asked.

When they all denied it, Peter said, "Master, the people are crowding and pressing against you."

<sup>46</sup> But Jesus said, *"Someone touched me; I know that power has gone out from me."*

<sup>47</sup> Then the woman, seeing that she could not go unnoticed, came trembling and fell at his feet. In the presence of all the people, she told why she had touched him and how she had been instantly healed. <sup>48</sup> Then he said to her, *"Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace."*

### **WE LOVE AND SERVE THE ONE WHO IS HATED BY OTHERS**

**Luke 19:1-10** – Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through. <sup>2</sup> A man was there by the name of Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was wealthy. <sup>3</sup> He wanted to see who Jesus was, but because he was short he could not see over the crowd. <sup>4</sup> So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore-fig tree to see him, since Jesus was coming that way.

<sup>5</sup> When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, *"Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today."* <sup>6</sup> So he came down at once and welcomed him gladly.

<sup>7</sup> All the people saw this and began to mutter, "He has gone to be the guest of a sinner."

<sup>8</sup> But Zacchaeus stood up and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord! Here and now I give half of my possessions to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody out of anything, I will pay back four times the amount."

<sup>9</sup> Jesus said to him, *"Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham. <sup>10</sup> For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."*