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JOHN 13-17

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¹ Now before the Feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart out of this world to the Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end.



² During supper, when the devil had already put it into the heart of Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, to betray him,



³ Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going back to God,



⁴ rose from supper. He laid aside his outer garments, and taking a towel, tied it around his waist.



⁵ Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was wrapped around him.



⁶ He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, do you wash my feet?"



⁷ Jesus answered him, "What I am doing you do not understand now, but afterward you will understand."



⁸ Peter said to him, "You shall never wash my feet." Jesus answered him, "If I do not wash you, you have no share with me."



⁹ Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!"

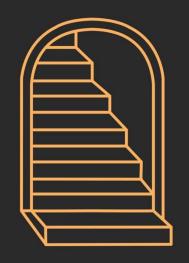


¹⁰ Jesus said to him, "The one who has bathed does not need to wash, except for his feet, but is completely clean. And you are clean, but not every one of you."



¹¹ For he knew who was to betray him; that was why he said, "Not all of you are clean."





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Jesus' understanding of Himself: He is God.







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- My Lord and my God! (John 20:28)





What His self-understanding led Him to do:

serve (and give His life)





Christ Jesus, ⁶ who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷ but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.



⁸ And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.



⁹ Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name,



10 so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
 11 and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.





John 13:3 – Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going back to God

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John 13:4-5 – rose from supper. He laid aside his outer garments, and taking a towel, tied it around his waist. Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was wrapped around him

Philippians 2:7-8 - emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

John 13:13 – You call me Teacher and Lord, and you are right, for so I am.

Philippians 2:9-11 – Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.



"God, grant me character that exceeds my gifts, and humility that exceeds my platform."

- Scott Sauls



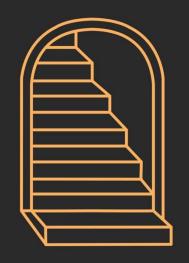


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