

**LEARNING WITH LUKE 14:1-14 “TIME TO BE HUMBLE”** P.1038 PEW BIBLE

**Luke 14:11** “Everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted”

**Luke 14:14** “you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection”

*Humility is not thinking less of yourself, but rather thinking of yourself less. -CS Lewis*

**1- DON'T BE CONNIVING - be harmless**

Luke 14:1-4 - question

Luke 14:5-6 - answer

Luke 6:6-11, 13:10-17

*People dedicated to pursue righteousness had degenerated into a group of hypocrites. -RC Sproul  
They had no answer to Jesus' legal question, nor to His Messianic power. The man with dropsy received the Kingdom, while these Pharisees were locked outside. -J.McDurmon*

**2- DON'T BE SHOWING OFF - be humble**

Luke 14:7-10 - go low

Luke 14:11 - lifted up

Luke 11:43 - the best

Matt 23:12-13 - woe

*Ungodly ambition and quest for recognition, honor and glory in this world show your gaze is in the wrong place, this terrestrial plane. You need to lift up your eyes to heaven. -RC Sproul  
Honor cannot be grasped by ruthless men, and it certainly cannot be snatched from God.  
The people of God shall participate in the exaltation of Christ. But if you seek exaltation for yourself, you will be humbled. Honor is to be given to us, not grasped by us. -RC Sproul*

**3- DON'T BE EXPECTING PAYBACK - be hospitable**

Luke 14:12 - invite

Luke 14:13-14 - just

Luke 11:46-54 - judgment

Matt 25:31-46 - did it to Me

*Because others cannot repay a kindness, God Himself will repay, far exceeding this world. -RC Sproul  
Ignorance - of self, of Christ, of God, is the real secret of pride. The wise one who knows himself will find nothing within to make him proud. From that miserable self-ignorance pray to be delivered. -JC Ryle*

**4- DON'T BE SELFISH, BE SELFLESS - be Christlike**

Luke 6:17-49 - blessed

Phil 2:1-16 - exalted

Eph 4:1-32 - in love

1 Cor 13:1-13 - love

*Jesus hated the pride that pretends to be humble. He imparted an axiom of the kingdom, an eternal spiritual principle that will be evident in the end when everything is made right. God will see to it. - RK Hughes  
Let us not neglect the poor in their time of need. Let us strive to be men who believe in a resurrection and a life to come, that all will be rectified one day, and that the Judge of all the earth will do right. -JC Ryle*

**DAILY BIBLE READING ENGAGE~WORD~CHURCH~COMMUNITY~WORLD**

2-14 **1 Cor 13:1-13** - love

2-15 **Luke 14:1-6** - hypocrisy

2-16 **Luke 14:7-11** - humble

2-17 **Luke 14:12-14** - hospitable

2-18 **Luke 11:46-54** - judgment

2-19 **Matt 25:31-46** - did to Me

2-20 **Philipp 2:1-16** - like Christ

The Spirit of God works the Word of God so the people of God become like the Son of God

♦ How will I be **transformed**, by God's truth, in the Spirit's power, as I trust & obey?

