

VENTURING INTO THE UNKNOWN
SESSION THREE – UNKNOWN MINISTRY
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So then, men ought to regard us as servants of Christ and as those entrusted with the secret things of God. Now it is required that those who have been given a trust must prove faithful.

1 Cor. 4:1-2

The man of God can find confidence in the action of ministry when he is aware that he

AND THAT

1. SAVED TO BE A SERVANT

We have been CREATED and CALLED by God to bring him glory in the ways that only we can!

As a prisoner for the Lord, then, I urge you to live a life worthy of the calling you have received. ² Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. ³ Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. ⁴ There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; ⁵ one Lord, one faith, one baptism; ⁶ one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

⁷ But to each one of us grace has been given as Christ apportioned it.

¹¹ So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, ¹² to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up ¹³ until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ.

Eph. 4:1-7, 11-13

We have been created for ministry, but we can't do real ministry without power.

God has apportioned His man with a quality of only his own so that the body of Christ might be built up.

¹¹ For the grace of God has appeared that offers salvation to all people. ¹² It teaches us to say "No" to ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright and godly lives in this present age, ¹³ while we wait for the blessed hope—the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, ¹⁴ who gave himself for us to redeem us from all wickedness and to purify for himself a people that are his very own, eager to do what is good.

Titus 2:11-14

2. A GOOD SERVANT SERVES

MUCH ENTRUSTED = MUCH DEMANDED

Three ways to serve RIGHT NOW, regardless of your context or personality:

A Good Servant _____.

A Good Servant _____.

A Good Servant _____.

He who speaks on his own does so to gain honor for himself, but he who works for the one who sent him is a man of truth, there is nothing false about him.

John 7:18