

Next Level Kindness

Passage - 2 Samuel 9

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Questions for Discussion

Read 2 Samuel 9:1-13

What do you think it would take for David to show this kind of kindness to a potential rival?

How do you think Mephibosheth felt to be offered his family's land and to have a place at the King's table?

Tell about a time you have experienced unexpected or undeserved kindness? How did it affect you?

Read 2 Samuel 19:24-30

What does this account tell us about Mephibosheth's feelings toward David.

Who is someone in your life that you totally respect because of the way they have treated you?

What are some practical ways we can show Next Level kindness to the people around us?

What are roadblocks that might hold us back from showing this kind of kindness? And how should we address these roadblocks?

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Matthew 20:25-28

“You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and those who are great exercise authority over them. Yet it shall not be so among you; but whoever desires to become great among you, let him be your servant. And whoever desires to be first among you, let him be your slave.”

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Mephibosheth

“dispeller of shame”


“one who removes shame.”



Next Level Kindness is about
Honor and Commitment

Lamentations 3:22-23

Through the LORD'S mercies
we are not consumed,
Because His compassions fail not.
They are new every morning;
Great is Your faithfulness.



Next Level Kindness is
Counter-Cultural

Ephesians 5:8

For you were once darkness, but now you
are light in the Lord. Walk as children of
light

Matthew 5:16

Let your light so shine before men, that
they may see your good works and glorify
your Father in heaven.



Next Level Kindness
Wins Hearts



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words

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deeds