



The Servant & His Servant People

DR. MATT HARMON • PHILIPPIANS 2:5-11



**The Servant Makes
Himself Low (2:5–8)**

Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus,

Philippians 2:5

who, though He was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped,

but 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.

Philippians 2:8

THE SERVANT MAKES HIMSELF LOW BY:

Not Exploiting Status for Selfish Gain

...who, though He was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped...



THE SERVANT MAKES HIMSELF LOW BY:

Emptying Himself for Service

...but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.

THE SERVANT MAKES HIMSELF LOW BY:

Humbling Himself for Obedience

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

Philippians 2:8



**God Exalts His Servant
High (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,*

Philippians 2:10

and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:11

GOD EXALTS HIS SERVANT BY:

Giving Him a Great Name

Therefore God has highly exalted Him and bestowed on Him the name that is above every name...

GOD EXALTS HIS SERVANT BY:

Giving Him Universal Dominion

...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 EXALTS HIS SERVANT BY:

Giving Him Glory

...and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:11

“Turn to Me and be saved, all the ends of the earth! For I am God, and there is no other.”

Isaiah 45:22

“By myself I have sworn; from My mouth has gone out in righteousness a Word that shall not return: ‘To Me every knee shall bow, every tongue shall swear allegiance.’”

“Only in the Lord, it shall be said of Me, are righteousness and strength; to Him shall come and be ashamed all who were incensed against Him.”

“In the Lord all the offspring of Israel shall be justified and shall glory.”

Isaiah 45:25