

Serving with Humility

Mark 9:14–50

[Disciples' Failed Exorcism; Second Passion Prediction; Serving Others]

Sunday, February 9, 2025 – Pastor Patrick Ransom

SERMON OUTLINE

I. POWERLESS: DISCIPLES HAVE NO POWER OF THEIR OWN

A. Their **failure** to exorcise (9:14–27)

II. POWER GAINED: THROUGH HUMBLE DEPENDENCE ON GOD

A. The means of gaining power: **dependence** on God in prayer (9:28–29)

B. How we can be humbly dependent in prayer

III. POSITIONLESS: DISCIPLES HAVE NO POSITION OF THEIR OWN

A. Failure to be the least (9:33–34, 38)

IV. POSITION GAINED: THROUGH HUMBLE SERVANTHOOD

A. The means of gaining position: suffering like Jesus, becoming and serving the **least** (9:30–32, 35–37, 39–50)

B. How we can be humbly serving the seemingly insignificant and unimportant.

SERMON NOTES



NEXT WEEK:
The "One-Fleshed" Disciple
Mark 10:1–12

HOW TO APPLY THIS TO MY LIFE?