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1. BE WITH JESUS.

2. BECOME LIKE JESUS.

3. DO WHAT JESUS DID.



EATING AND DRINKING

"THE SON OF MAN CAME"

1. LUKE 19:10 – THE SON OF MAN CAME TO SEEK AND SAVE THE LOST
2. MARK 10:45 – THE SON OF MAN CAME NOT TO BE SERVED BUT TO SERVE, AND TO GIVE HIS LIFE AS A RANSOM FOR MANY
3. LUKE 7:33–35

LUKE 5 – JESUS EATS WITH SINNERS AT THE HOME OF LEVI.

LUKE 7 – JESUS IS ANOINTED AT SIMON'S HOME DURING A MEAL.

LUKE 9 – JESUS FEEDS THE FIVE THOUSAND.

LUKE 10 – JESUS EATS IN THE HOME OF MARTHA AND MARY.

LUKE 11 – JESUS CONDEMNS THE PHARISEES AT A MEAL.

LUKE 14 – JESUS IS AT A MEAL WHEN HE URGES PEOPLE TO INVITE
THE POOR TO THEIR MEALS INSTEAD OF THEIR FRIENDS.

LUKE 19 – JESUS INVITES HIMSELF TO DINNER WITH ZACCHAEUS.

LUKE 22 – THE LAST SUPPER.

LUKE 24 – THE RISEN CHRIST HAS A MEAL WITH TWO DISCIPLES IN
EMMAUS, AND THEN LATER EATS FISH WITH THE DISCIPLES
IN JERUSALEM.

HOSPITALITY

EXPRESSING THE WELCOME OF GOD THE FATHER
TO ALL THROUGH TANGIBLE ACTS OF LOVE –
IDEALLY THROUGH FOOD, SHELTER, AND
RELATIONSHIP.

ROMANS 12:13



SHARE WITH THE LORD'S PEOPLE WHO ARE IN NEED. PRACTICE HOSPITALITY. (NIV)



ALWAYS BE EAGER TO PRACTICE HOSPITALITY. (NLT)



CONTRIBUTE TO THE NEEDS OF THE SAINTS AND SEEK TO SHOW HOSPITALITY. (ESV)

1 PETER 4:8-10



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THOSE WHO LIVE OUT RADICALLY ORDINARY
HOSPITALITY SEE THEIR HOMES NOT AS THEIRS AT
ALL BUT AS GOD'S GIFT TO USE FOR THE
FURTHERANCE OF HIS KINGDOM. THEY OPEN DOORS,
THEY SEEK OUT THE UNDERPRIVILEGED, THEY KNOW
THAT THE GOSPEL COMES WITH A HOUSE KEY.

— ROSARIA BUTTERFIELD



HOSPITALITY. EATING AND DRINKING.

- INVITE A NEIGHBOR/COWORKER INTO YOUR HOME IN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS.
- BRAINSTORM WITH YOUR FAMILY/ROOMMATES AND/OR FAMILY GROUP ABOUT HOW YOU CAN PRACTICE HOSPITALITY TOGETHER.

- PRAYER WALK YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD AND ASK JESUS FOR HIS EYES AND HEART FOR YOUR PLACE
- GO MEET ONE OF YOUR NEIGHBORS THAT YOU DON'T KNOW YET
- INVITE ALL YOUR IMMEDIATE NEIGHBORS OVER FOR DINNER OVER THE NEXT FEW MONTHS
- THROW A BLOCK PARTY ON THE NEXT MAJOR HOLIDAY
- PLAN OUT HOLIDAY PARTIES: 4TH OF JULY, CHRISTMAS, SUPER BOWL SUNDAY, MAY THE 4TH, ETC.
- RUN A WEEKLY NEIGHBOR NIGHT OR BBQ THROUGH THE SUMMER
- START A SUNDAY DINNER OR SABBATH DINNER, WHERE YOUR TABLE IS OPEN TO FAMILY AND FRIENDS
- INTO SPORTS? WATCH FOOTBALL. MORE OF A READER? START A BOOK CLUB. LIKE TO COOK? START A SUPPER CLUB. ETC.
- MAKE YOUR HOME THE HANG OUT PLACE FOR YOUR KIDS' FRIENDS. INVITE KIDS OVER FOR A MOVIE NIGHT.
- REDO YOUR BUDGET AND SCHEDULE TO MAKE ROOM FOR HOSPITALITY