

CCFI Leadership ALIVE

Leading Sacrificially

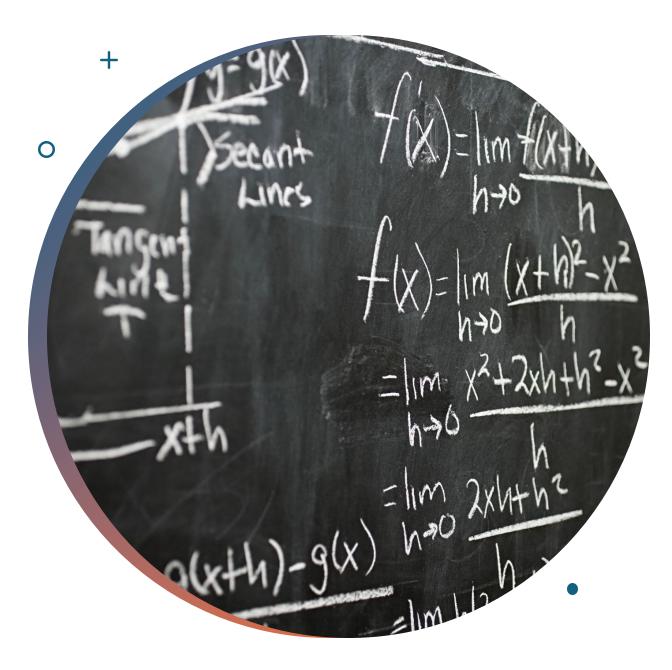
Session 2





Objectives

- Leading Sacrificially
- Servant Leadership
- Great Responsibility & Great Power
- Living Sacrifice- Humility & Patience
- Q&A



Leadership Foundations

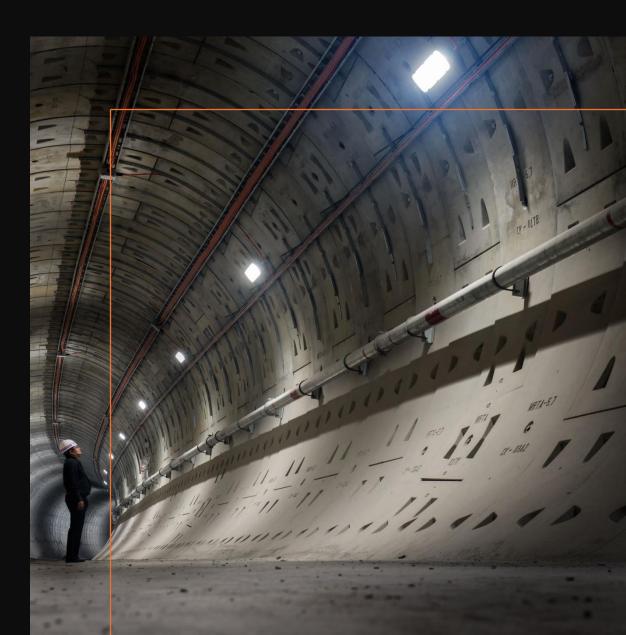
- 1+1=2
- Living Sacrifice: Humility
- Rom. 12:1: Intentional & Constant Offering up ourselves.
- (ls. 42:8)

Diving Deeper

• Living as a "living sacrifice", translates to humility. It's an inevitable by-product of intimate relationship with with God.

• Humility inspires action as a leader. If God tells you to do something and you sit there "doing nothing", you are not walking like you should. Trusting God is essential to being a great leader.

Do you have thoughts to share?



- First Peter 5:5–6
- "Likewise, ye younger, submit yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all of you be subject one to another, and be clothed with humility: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble. Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time."



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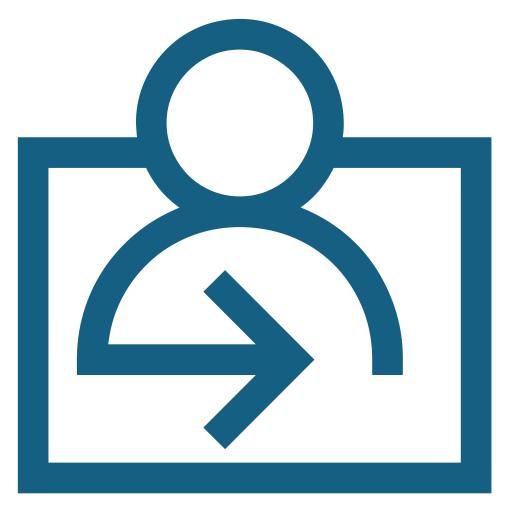
- Sometimes people think that if they humble themselves, then they'll never be promoted. That is not the case.
- If you do it God's way, He opens a door that no man can shut (Rev. 3:8). And you won't have to do anything to keep it open. If you promote yourself, then all of the burden and responsibility is on you.

Concerns, Cares & Personal Leadership •When you have a good relationship with God, we won't continually fret over things.

- A person walking in humility will cast their care upon God. Submission is in the practice of casting our cares upon Him. That's humility.
- •1 Peter 5:7:"Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you."
- This is connected to humility. A person who's humble will cast their care upon God.

What is Personal Leadership About?

- Personal leadership can be thought of as the personal behavior of leaders in performing the responsibilities of professional leadership, including expertise, trust, caring, sharing and morals(also taking charge of responsibilities).
- It can be thought of as the "people" side of leadership. It is through these personal behaviors that leaders ensure the success of the professional leadership.



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Reflection

• Proverbs 13:10"Only by pride cometh contention..."

• One of the reasons strife comes is because of pride—people

exalting their own way. If we are more submitted to God in humility, we would walk more in love, peace and unity.

•Forgiveness is committed to humility, it recognizes how much forgiveness we enjoy ourselves.



Living for the Leader....

• Phil:1:21..."For me to live is Christ, and to die is gain"

Leaders that thrive in God see the importance of "dying to self".

• If we would die to ourselves, it wouldn't matter whether people love us or not, nor will we easily take offence.

This attitude was one of the reasons Paul was effective as a leader.

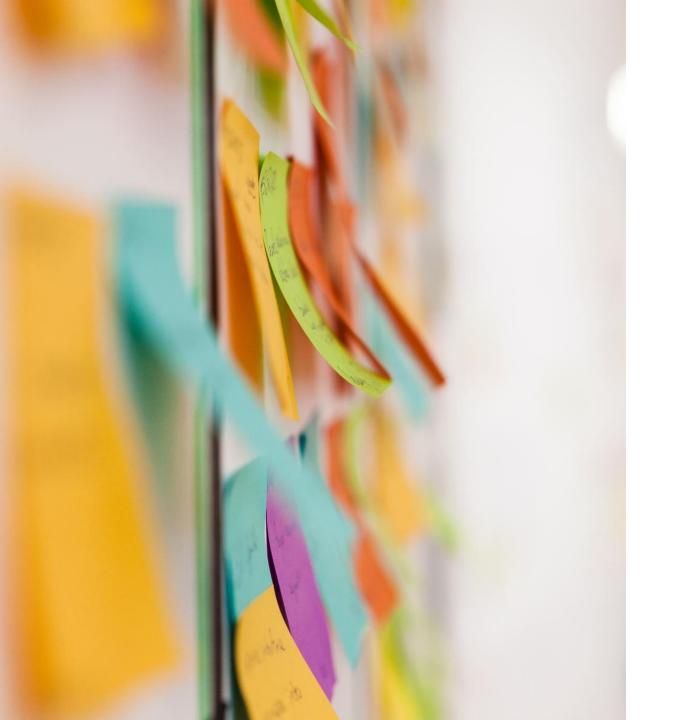
Are We There Yet?.....

- James 1:4....."Let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing"
- This Patience is self-accepting and self-honoring while walking in God's process and timing.
- This patience is "active" not passive.



Growing as a Leader

- It takes time for things to grow and mature. There are stages. A leader will not resist those stages because God is "taking too long."
- We rather submit to him (James 4:7)
- (Crockpot and Microwave)
- If you don't have an intimate relationship with God, you're going to be tempted to quit. However, if you learn not to quit, you're ultimately going to win.
- (Silent quitting, Complacency, and Resignation)
- Galatians 6:9, "…in due season you will reap, if you faint not."



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Conversation/Discussion Questions.

• What do challenges to leadership foundations look like to you?



•Any thoughts?