

*Imitation of Christ Series*  
**Humility**  
 Philippians 2:1-11

Jesus is the perfect representation of God in human form.

- **Our situation (v. 1)**
- **Our needed response (v. 2)**
- **How to show unity (vv. 3-5):**

*Jesus is our model of humility*

**Showing Honor (v. 6)**

**Taking the low position (v. 7)**

**Showing what it means to die to self (v. 8)**

**Outcome of Exaltation (vv. 9-11)**

Matthew 23:11-12

What makes humility so hard for us?

- a. It goes against our fallen human nature.
- b. It shows up in pride and arrogance

James 4:6-10

An internal problem.

Humility is the open door to faith.

Proverbs 11:2

Always look to Jesus as our example (Matthew 26:36-46; John 5:19)

Impact on our lives:

**Relationships** (Romans 12:16; Ephesians 4:2-3)

**Opportunity** (Luke 14:7-11)

Clothe yourself with Christ Romans 13:14

Clothe yourself in humility 1 Peter 5:5

The secret to life: Micah 6:8: