## SERMON NOTES PM WILL THE REAL ME PLEASE STAND UP

But with me it is a very small thing that I should be judged by you or by a human court. In fact, I do not even judge myself. For I know of nothing against myself, yet I am not justified by this; but He who judges me is the Lord. Therefore judge nothing before the time, until the Lord comes, who will both bring to light the hidden things of darkness and reveal the counsels of the hearts. Then each one's praise will come from God. (1 Corinthians 4:3-5)

| ME NUMBER 1                          | The ME Others Think I Am       | 1 Corinthians 4:3a  |
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| The court of human                   | !                              |   |
| Trying to live u                     | up to expectation of others!   | WILL THE REAL ME PLEASE STAND   |
| Peer Pressure!!!                     |                                |   |
| Makes me a _                         | to wh                          | hat people think!   |
| 1 Cori                               | nthians 7:23 (p 1316); Matthe  | ew 5:16 (p 1115)  |
| ME NUMBER 2                          | The ME I Think I Am            | 1 Corinthians 4:3b, 4a  |
| Paul speaks of those w               | vho judge                      | !   |
| Inaccurate sta                       | ndard of judgment Jud          | dges 21:25 (p 305); Jeremiah 10:23 (p 881); Revelation 3:17 (p 1409                 |
| We tend to have a dis                | torted view of                 | ! Romans 12:3 (p 1305)  |
| POSIT                                | IVE: Nobody as smart as me; I  | I am the best looking; I am rich  |
| NEGA                                 | TIVE: I am not smart; I am not | t good-looking; I am not rich   |
| Luke 12:15 (p                        | <i>1199) =</i> WRONG VALUES    |   |
| Our walk with God! I am not a good   |                                |   |
|                                      | I make a lot of                | ···   |
|                                      | l am not                       | enough  |
|                                      | Cł                             | HRISTIANITY IS NOT PERFORMANCE BASED BUT FORGIVENESS BAS                            |
| ME NUMBER 3                          | The ME God Says I Am           | 1 Corinthians 4:4b  |
| God's assessment is _                | , ACCU                         | URATE and ALWAYS!   |
| <ul> <li>I need accepta</li> </ul>   | ance Ephesians 2               | 1:6 (p 1343)  |
| <ul> <li>I need</li> </ul>           | 2 Timothy 2                    |   |
| I need confide                       | ence Philippians               | s 4:13 (p 1351) FROM THAT TIME MANY OF HIS<br>DISCIPLES WENT BACK AND WALKED        |
| <ul> <li>I need 1 John 3:</li> </ul> |                                | 8-19 (p 1400) WITH HIM NO MORE. THEN JESUS SAID<br>TO THE TWELVE, "DO YOU ALSO WANT |
| PRAISE FROM GOD :                    | 1 Corinthians 4:5 (p 1313)     | TO GO AWAY?" BUT SIMON PETER  |
| In Christ I Am Not                   |                                | ANSWERED HIM, "LORD, TO WHOM<br>SHALL WE GO? YOU HAVE THE WORDS                     |
| I am LOVED Ephesian                  |                                | 2:4 (p 1343) OF ETERNAL LIFE. ALSO WE HAVE  |
| <ul> <li>I am</li> </ul>             | 1 John 1:7 (                   | (p 1398) COME TO BELIEVE AND KNOW THAT<br>YOU ARE THE CHRIST, THE SON OF            |
| <ul> <li>I am ACCEPTE</li> </ul>     | D Psalm 9:10                   |   |
| ■ lam                                | 2 Corinthia                    | ans 5:1 (p 1329)  |

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| THE HUMILITY OF A SER   |  |  |  |  |
|   | I depart from this world to the Father, having loved in the world, He loved them to the end. (John 13:1) |  |  |  |
| Jesus told His disciples what would happen to Him                             |  |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Matthew 16:15-23 (p 1131)</li> </ul>                                 | Hümility 650 m   |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Mark 8:31 (p 1162)</li> </ul>  | of SERVANT   |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Luke 9:21-22; 43-45 (p 1194)</li> </ul>                              |  |  |  |  |
| Jesus knew that His had come John 13 (p 1240)                                 |  |  |  |  |
| Jesus knew the had come (v 1)   |  |  |  |  |
| Thursday – Friday Joy & fearful expectation                                   |  |  |  |  |
| Sadness whatwould do (v 2)  |  |  |  |  |
| Trusted disciple John 12:6 (p 1240)   |  |  |  |  |
| Jesus knew who He was <i>(v 3)</i>  |  |  |  |  |
| He was  | John 1:1-3 (p 1220)  |  |  |  |
| He became a   | (vv 4-5)   |  |  |  |
| Jesus knew what Peter would do (v 38)   |  |  |  |  |
| Peter challenged Jesus (vv 6-10)  |  |  |  |  |
| Jesus knew whatwould do   | (v 11)   |  |  |  |
| Why did Jesus wash the feet of His disciples?                                 |  |  |  |  |
| The answer was in what Jesus was to do at a place called                      | (vv 12-17)   |  |  |  |
| Jesus takes on Himself the function of the who was usually assigned this duty |  |  |  |  |
| The washing the feet of his   |  |  |  |  |
| Luke 9:23 (p 1193); Matthew 20:27-28 (p 1136)                                 |  |  |  |  |
| SELF-DENIAL IS THE BASIS FOR ALL  |  |  |  |  |
| My Discipleship Is  |  |  |  |  |
| ✓ Philippians 2:1-8 (p 1349)  |  |  |  |  |
| ✓ Romans 15:1-3 (p 1307)  |  |  |  |  |
| ✓ 1 Corinthians 10:23-24 (p 1319)   |  |  |  |  |

## Galatians 5:13-15 (p 1341); Galatians 6:1-5 (p 1341)