

Guarric, Abbot Of Igniac - d. c. 1156

Study Questions



Scripture: Philippians 2:5

The Humility Of Christ, The Remedy Of Man's Pride

1. Guarric contrasts humanity's refusal to serve God with Christ's willingness to serve humanity.

Where do you see resistance to servanthood in your own life, and how does Christ's example confront that resistance?

2. The sermon describes Christ as a Servant who bears our burdens, feeds us with His own Body and Blood, ransoms us with His own life, and heals us through His death.

Which of these images of Christ's service strikes you most deeply—and why?

3. Guarric emphasizes that Christ "left nothing undone," serving perfectly, joyfully, and obediently even when scourged and falsely accused.

How does this picture of Christ challenge common assumptions about obedience, suffering, and faithfulness?

4. The preacher says that pride detests service, but Christ's humility "conquers the rebel" in us.

What does true Christian humility look like in everyday relationships, and how does it differ from passivity or self-neglect?

5. "Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus" becomes a call to seek reconciliation, serve others, and embrace the way of humility.

What is one concrete practice this week that would help you imitate the servant-mind of Christ—especially in a situation where pride normally prevails?

Notes

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