

The 3 Secrets of the Christian Life

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Transcript

He became a slave. That's going further down. That's why he washed people's feet, is the job that slaves did.

And as if that was the bottom, no, he still went further down and was crucified like a criminal. That's even lower than a slave. So, from God he became man, man he became a slave, and slave he became like a criminal, even though he was not a criminal.

So, it was humility, humility, humility. So, that's why I say those are the three secrets of the Christian life. And have this attitude in you.

He went down, down, down. So, my spiritual growth is evaluated in exactly the opposite way the world thinks. The world thinks of going up and up and up in business or in your profession or from grade two to grade three to grade four to grade five, always going up.

But in the Christian life, growth is the other way around.

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