

Word of the Week – Corona SDA CM Family, October 17, 2025

Greetings, C.M. Family!

A very Happy Friday to you all!

I encourage you to visit Luke 12:35-38 today. You will be moved and blessed.



I was reminded of the beauty of Jesus' character and ministry as a servant leader. Here in Luke 12, Jesus is telling the disciples (and us) to continually be ready for His return. To be dressed for service and to keep our lamps burning. He even puts us into the role as servant leader as well. What a responsibility! And so, let us daily keep our relationship with Christ fresh and humbly put on our aprons, ready to serve others with the Gospel of Jesus and whatever needs they have. Let us be a great witness to the fact that Jesus, who has saved us, and who we follow, is returning soon to receive those who have their lamps burning and their light shining. We have been given a great reward and an assignment to serve others.

I was so touched as I was reminded that when Jesus returns for His servants, He himself will once again put on an apron and serve us as we sit and eat. It's an emotional passage for me to imagine myself being seated and served by Jesus at the Great Banquet in heaven, but somehow, I know that Jesus will be elated to do this for us. That's who He is. He loves us! I will be paying close attention to the reaction of the 12 who were around the table when Jesus girded his apron and bent down to wash their feet. Can you imagine!?

In the subsequent verses, Jesus goes on to explain the demise of the servant who is not tending to his relationship with the master and faithful with his instructions. It's hard to read but good to meditate on because it includes all of us.

Jesus wants us home. He's getting ready for us. The table is being set.

Some questions for us parents:

What are we doing to teach our kids how to serve?

How are we modeling what it means to serve?

As faithful, sensible servants ourselves, what are we feeding our children?

Have a blessed day, everyone. Love to all!

Growing in Christ,

Kelly

"Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old, he will not depart from it."

Proverbs 22:6