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Sermon Notes

Give God Glory!

Luke 17:11-19

1. God wants us to be a “little bit more” thankful.
2. It’s a dangerous thing to treat God as common.
3. God says “I have loved you.” (We didn’t deserve it, but He loves us anyway).
4. When I think of His goodness....
5. When the Lepers saw Jesus, He said go show yourself to the priest. By faith, they went. Based solely on His word, they went. AS they went, they were cleansed.
6. Sometimes people feel entitled because of who they were (Jews – God’s chosen). Notice, the Samaritan (who was looked down upon) didn’t think himself as equal or higher than the other nine even though they ALL had the same thing in common - leprosy. v. 16. We ALL have something in common, we are all sinners. We ALL need a savior. We still need the blood to deliver us. We cannot “keep” ourselves.
7. Lord Jesus...
8. With a LOUD voice, the Samaritan who was healed came back glorifying God. The Samaritan was excited because

the Rabbi paid attention to one who was counted as unworthy.

9. No one can praise God for what He's done for us but US.

What's done is between us and Him.

10. Every now and then, you need to go back to what God did so that it will build up your faith to continue.

11. The lepers stood "a far off". They couldn't get to Jesus because of both the crowd and the fact that because they had leprosy, they couldn't get close. But they did have their voices. After his healing, the Samaritan wasn't far off.

12. The Samaritan was the least likely to get something from Jesus. He didn't wait for the priest to validate what Jesus did, he went back to Jesus who did the work and said thank you.

13. We need to go back to where we used to be, be thankful!

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