

Multiplication through Leadership

Titus 2:1-15, Mark 10:42-45, Ephesians 4:11-16

Main idea: To emphasize the importance of servant leadership and discuss the qualities of a Kingdom leader, highlighting the role of equipping and empowering others.

Topic: Kingdom Leaders

Suggestions for moving forward with your sermon on "Multiplication through leadership" and "Kingdom Leaders":

1. Emphasize the importance of servant leadership:

- Expand on Mark 10:42-45, where Jesus teaches about servant leadership. Highlight the example of Jesus washing the disciples' feet (John 13:1-17) and how it exemplifies true leadership.
- Include Matthew 20:25-28, where Jesus contrasts worldly leadership with servant leadership, reinforcing the idea that leaders in the Kingdom of God should serve others.

2. Discuss the qualities of a Kingdom leader:

- Explore Titus 2:1-15, focusing on verses 7-8, which highlight the characteristics of a leader in the church. Discuss how these qualities can inspire and influence others to follow their example.
- Incorporate 1 Timothy 3:1-13, which provides a list of qualifications for overseers and deacons. Explain how these qualities contribute to effective leadership and multiplication.

3. Highlight the role of equipping and empowering others:

- Elaborate on Ephesians 4:11-16, emphasizing the purpose of leaders in equipping the saints for ministry. Discuss how leaders can empower others to fulfill their God-given potential and multiply their impact.
- Include 2 Timothy 2:2, where Paul instructs Timothy to entrust what he has learned to faithful people who will teach others also. Emphasize the importance of passing on knowledge and skills to future leaders.

4. Utilize language suggestions and cross-references:

- In Titus 2:1-15, the Greek word "kalodidaskalos" is used to describe a sound or healthy teacher. Explain the significance of this term and how it relates to effective leadership.
- Explore other passages that use similar language or concepts, such as Proverbs 11:30 (fruitful tree) and Matthew 7:15-20 (good and bad fruit). Connect these passages to the idea of multiplying through leadership.

5. Practical suggestions for reinforcing your ideas:

- Incorporate real-life examples of leaders who have multiplied their influence through servant leadership, both from biblical and contemporary contexts.
- Provide practical steps or strategies for developing leadership skills, such as mentoring relationships, leadership training programs, or opportunities for serving and leading within the church community.

Remember to weave these additional ideas and passages seamlessly into your existing sermon outline, ensuring they support and reinforce your main points on multiplication through leadership and Kingdom leaders.