The Sacred Part of Change

the parallel sayings

"Anyone who has two shirts should share with the one who has none, and anyone who has food should do the same."

Luke 3:11

"Do not give food only to the worthy, but give also to strangers. Turn no one away from your house. For what you give is what will be returned to you."

Krishna Upanishads

"Have compassion for all creation. Nurture within yourself compassion that is limitless.

Buddha Karaniya Melta Sutra

"Do not turn away those your consider sinful or unworthy. If you have wisdom, you will try to save everyone."

Lao-tzu Tao Te Ching



SHARE WITH THE ONE WHO HAS NONE

Community. Friendship. Compassion. Service.





Volunteer, donate or spread the word

What do you want to do? Do you want to help? Do you want to support? Do you want to serve?

The **servant-first** approach is a way to make sure other people's needs are the priority. The **servant-leader** helps others grow by serving them, shows them a freer and wiser path, and ultimately, helps others become servant-leaders themselves. We pay goodness forward, and others pass it on. Good leadership is love.

LOVE is both subtle and infinite, with an absolute condition: vulnerability. When we chose to be vulnerable for the good of others, we hold true power or influence – we hold love.

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Transforming yourself and your world

Transformation is bigger than we are, and requires a supportive universe. Each of us can make transformations in ourselves, our relationships, and in our culture. We do this by looking within: we overcome fear and embody a vision of the common good.

The act of transformation is an act of altering our behavior to reflect what we truly value.

Being transformational is a choice – a choice to connect to others through service. We each carry a mental picture of what it means to be a leader or what it means to help others. If we want to bring about real change, we need to change this picture to being other-focused.

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