

THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

Doing Something Great for God

Luke 9:1-17

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1. Doing something great for God demands our

_____ Luke 9:1-6

- Up until this point Jesus performed all ministry by _____.
- As Jesus readies Himself to go to Jerusalem and to the cross, He must _____ Himself.

See also Mark 6:1-6

Luke 9:51 - *When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem.*

2. Doing something great for God demands you answer the

_____ question. Luke 9:7-9

- Most seek to _____ Jesus on their own _____.
- Seeking our own _____, our own _____ and our own _____ leads to _____.

John 14:6 - Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

3. Doing something great for God demands you demonstrate radical _____ to a broken world.

Luke 9:10-17

Matthew 11:28-30

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