

“Embrace Humility”
Navigating Through the Desert Part II
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What is humility?

“Humility is honestly assessing ourselves in light of God’s holiness and our sinfulness.” *Humility: True Greatness* by C.J. Mahaney, Copyright © 2005 by Multnomah, p. 22.

Humility is not simply another good optional character trait for the Christian; being humble should be the normal trademark of every Christian.

It is absolutely essential that Christians come to a place of not just “accepting” those humbling times, but actually embracing them.

There are three benefits to embracing humility:

I. Humility causes us to reflect:

- A. On God.
- B. On our own heart.

II. Humility causes us to receive.

- A. We admit we need help.
- B. We accept God’s help.

III. Humility causes us to remember and rejoice:

- A. In what God has done.
- B. In what God will do.

Bottom Line:

Humility is foundational to the whole Christian experience. To not embrace humility is to deny the nature of your own faith. Learning to embrace humility may be the most important activity that a Christian can pursue!