

MESSAGE NOTES

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The Importance Of Receiving
John 1:11-13; 13:6-9
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■ Why is _____ to be a humble receiver so _____?

ONLY AS A HUMBLE RECEIVER CAN YOU AND I...

① **Become** _____ . Romans 8:29; 2 Cor 3:18

Jesus _____ give to Him. Luke 7:36-50; 8:1-3; John 6:8-13

Jesus _____ others by the way he received. Mark 14:3-9

② **Even** _____ or _____ **in a relationship with God.** Mark 10:15

Because it's a _____ we can't _____. John 1:11-13; Acts 2:38; Rom 6:23

Not a one-time, but a _____ way of life. 1 Cor 4:7; Phil 4:19; Col 2:6-7

③ **Become a** _____ **-hearted** _____. 1 Chron 29:14; 2 Cor 8:1-5

Receiving rightly will lead us to _____. 2 Cor 9:8,10-11

Jesus: _____ you have received; freely _____. Matthew 10:8

④ **Give** _____ **the** _____ **of giving.** Acts 20:25

When we _____ humbly receive, we can _____ the giver.

When we _____ humbly receive, we _____ the giver a _____.

He came to that which was His own, but His own did not receive Him.
Yet to all who did receive Him, to those who believed in His name,
He gave the right to become children of God.... John 1:11-12

HOW CAN WE PRACTICE RECEIVING THIS WEEK?

■ Acknowledge the _____, the _____ and the _____. Proverbs 3:6

■ Lord, where do I need to _____ in this _____ of receiving?

God, today I receive Your Son Jesus into my life as my forgiver and leader. Thank you!

Signed _____ Date _____