5 Reasons to Serve (and how to do it)

"In the Kingdom of God, service is not a stepping-stone to nobility: it is nobility, the only kind of nobility that is recognized." ~ T.W. Manson

Many have needs we often are not even aware of. As we begin to reach out in love, our eyes open to those needs.

- 1. Bless Others
 - * When we bless others, it sows the seeds for them to bless in turn.
- 2. Bless Yourself
 - * There is no greater joy than knowing you made a difference in someone else's life.

3. Growth

* We grow as we move outside our comfort zone.

4. Share Christ

* There is no better way to give testimony to God's love than by putting it into action.

5. Obedience

* Jesus said, "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations (Matthew 28:19)." What better way to make disciples than by sharing Christ's

love through serving?

Ways to Love. Serve.



Make a Difference.

Serve in your church. Look for needs in your place of work. Help in your local school. Volunteer to drive someone to their doctor appointment or cancer treatments. Visit a shut-in. Walk with a neighbor who is elderly or recovering from surgery. Deliver food. Keep a prayer list and pray daily for those on it. Assist in disaster recovery. Send an encouraging note or care package. Go on a

short-term (or long-term) mission trip.