We exalt Jesus as our coming King if we humble ourselves as his wise servants.

## 1. The First Rule of Humility: Show Wisdom in Where We Sit, 14:1-14

a. Jesus practices compassion, 14:1-6 while sharing a meal with those who have ulterior motives, Jesus extends compassion through healing and finds the perfect occasion to talk about kingdom hospitality

b. Jesus stresses condescension, 14:7-14 a spirit of condescension refuses to think more highly of ourselves than we ought and cares for those who are unable to return the favor

## 2. The Second Rule of Opportunity: Show Wisdom in What We Prioritize, 14:15-24

a. The poor excuses of many, 14:15-20 we disrespect Jesus whenever we put him on the back burner

b. The open door for everyone, 14:21-24

those whom Jesus highlights as the ones his Pharisee host should actually invite are the same marginalized, overlooked, helpless individuals who fill the master's home and taste his banquet