

# KEEPING IT IN A SPLIT-APART TOGETHER WORLD

## PHILIPPIANS: A LETTER FOR OUR TIMES

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### **Read Philippians 2:3-11**

Can you think of a practical example you've seen recently of someone putting another person's interests ahead of their own? What made it stand out in your mind?

Read Deuteronomy 8:10-18. What can we learn from the experience of the Israelites as to what gets in the way of humility? What do you make of God's comments as to why he gave them manna?

Compare 1 Peter 5:5-6 with James 4:6-10. How do we go about cultivating humility?

Compare Paul's argument for unity in Ephesians 4:1-13 with what he has written to the Philippians. What common themes do you find? What new ideas does he introduce in that passage?

The sermon talked about Jesus willingly accepting the limitations of being human. What limits are hard for you to accept? Do you see that struggle as at all connected to humility? Why or why not?