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# **HIDDEN HOPE'S HELPERS**

For the week of November 22, 2020 Full message available at <u>highpoint.church/currentseries</u>

#### 1 Peter 4:10-11

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### **MESSAGE POINTS:**

- 1. Serving in Hope (1 Peter 4:10a)
- 2. Stewards of Hope (1 Peter 4:10b)
- 3. Sharing God's Hope (1 Peter 4:11a)
- 4. Bringing God's Glory (1 Peter 4:11b)

### GOAL:

To understand our role as Hidden Hope's Helpers.

### **GET GOING:**

- As we close our Hidden Hope series in 1 Peter, what has impacted you most?
- Read both vs. 11-12. Summarize the purpose of service in the church.
- How is a consumer different than a co-laborer in the church?
- How has God uniquely gifted you for ministry and mission?
- "When you are a steward of your spiritual gifts it's for God's glory, your good and the good of others."
- How have you seen this to be true?
- Look at verse 11b. Give an example from your life of serving in God's strength.
- How does God's glory motivate your service in the church?

# **KEEP GROWING:**

- Turn to Matthew 25:14-30 (Parable of the Talents)
- What does this passage reveal about stewarding?
- What are the benefits of being a faithful steward?
- Turn to Colossians 3:23-24
- What does it mean to work heartily for the Lord?
- What inheritance does the believer receiving for this type of work?
- Who are you serving ultimately? How should this impact the manner of your service?

### **GET GROUNDED:**

- In what ways are you using your gifting to serve the church and the world around you?
- What area of service will you look into in response to this passage?
- Take a minute to discuss how you can hold one another accountable and encourage each other throughout the week.

# **MEMORY VERSE:**

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