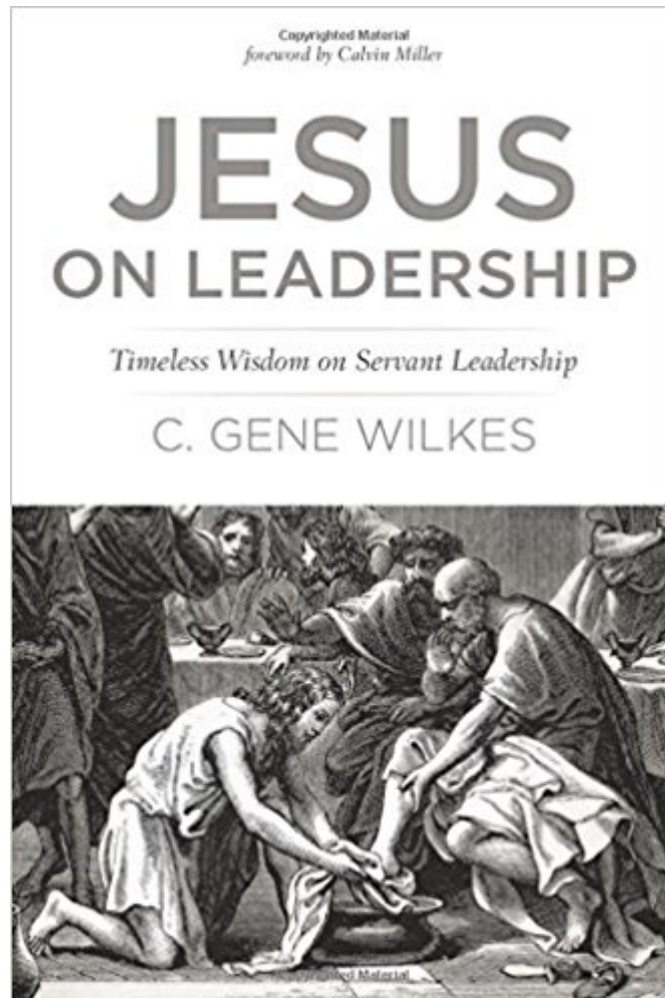




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# Jesus On Leadership: Timeless Wisdom On Servant Leadership



## Synopsis

Discover the essence of transformative leadership by studying how Jesus led. Gene Wilkes, a popular conference speaker, describes how Jesus led. He identifies seven practical principles for today's leaders, to assist them with everything from humbling their hearts to building a team for Christ.

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## Customer Reviews

I have known Gene Wilkes since he was eighteen. He has lived his life as a servant leader. This has been his passion. The insights I have received from reading this book will forever change the way I do my job and live my life. (Gary Cook, president of Dallas Baptist University) Although the truth is often hard to swallow, Gene's recipe for servant leadership is both delicious and nutritious. It's a feast fit for a king, coach, pastor, or parent. Enjoy! (Gene A. Getz, author of The Measure of a Man) Jesus on Leadership • a must read! This book is most inspiring and practical. I'm pleased to recommend it. (William Mitchell, author of Building Strong Families) Read at your own risk. Gene Wilkes may change your whole view of leadership. This refreshing book deserves top priority on your reading list. I predict it will be around for a long time. (Lynn Anderson, founder of Hope Network Ministries) What Gene Wilkes says is right on target at delivering a corrective for so much of what we see masquerading as Christian leadership. Don't read this book if you are unwilling to be challenged • or even changed. (Reggie McNeal, author of Revolution in Leadership) Gene Wilkes's description of leadership according to Jesus has captured the heart

and passion of the mission-driven leader. (Bill Easum, author of Growing Spiritual Redwoods)

Wilkes is definitely a source of excellent leadership and the reason behind its practice. He pulls from many respected experts on leadership and presents Jesus' leadership in a very approachable way. Whether you are new to leadership or a seasoned veteran this book is a refreshing and challenging look at the basics of leadership. I highly recommend it and every book referred to in it. I have a few more to read thanks to this book!

Much like Jesus sending the seventy out with only the essentials they would need, Gene Wilkes packs the basics you need for leadership in one volume. He starts with the most primary issue: the heart. Leaders must first be followers of Jesus. He then deals with what seems like an oxymoron: servant leadership. How is one both a servant and a leader at the same time? His answer is that a servant leader is someone who serves the mission and leads by serving those on mission with him. Following Jesus' lead, Wilkes then discusses how leaders form teams who together can accomplish much more than an individual can. Throughout the book are leads to other resources that can equip leaders further. Discussion questions and action steps also are helpful. Leadership insights from Jesus that can be seen in the secular world are peppered within the pages of this book. I had the privilege of spending a day with Wilkes in which I discovered he is truly a humble servant of God who has been given a passion for developing servant leaders. This book will help you do the same.

There are many resources out there on servant leadership. The reason I gave this one a five star is because it is the most practical book on servant leadership that I've read. One that will soon wear out the screen on your iPad. If I would rename this book I would call it, Achieving Servant Leadership. Because that is exactly what Dr. W. has gained through His journey in Christ by learning himself the true meaning of humility. This book not only talks the talk but Dr. has walked the walk. Thank you for your blessing and sharing your deepest convictions. DDK

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Fast delivery. I love this study. Going to pass the new books to leadership in hopes to start a Leadership Study with it. My last pastor wouldn't let anyone be in or stay in Leadership without completing this study. Life Changing to say the least!!!!

I've read several books on leadership, and this one is now near the top of my most-favored list. It is very readable, yet profound. The author condenses a wealth of timeless principles into approximately 200 pages. Most readers nowadays are familiar with the notion of servant leadership, so Wilkes' principles are not new. What is refreshing is the fresh way he communicates those principles. My favorite aspect of this work is the servant-sayings scattered throughout the pages. For example, the author remarks, "You will never become a servant leader until you first become a servant to the Leader." Another excerpt says, "You are not the leader until the group you are leading says so." A third quote reads, "Servant leaders humble themselves and wait for God to exalt them." This book was highly recommended to me, and I in turn recommend it to all Christian leaders.

In a world that is so focussed against authority because of different reasons it is difficult to find your place as a leader. This book explains it very well and put things into perspective. Great book for those who feels God's call for ministry on their lives but also for people that are part of a leadership team.

Great Book with many interesting points to consider as a leader. It took me a while to get through this book, not because of the length of the book, but because I wanted to absorb everything in it, think about it and apply to my life.

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