

Psalm 116:12-19

¹²What shall I render to the Lord for all His benefits toward me?

¹³I shall lift up the cup of salvation and call upon the name of the Lord. ¹⁴I shall pay my vows to the Lord, oh *may it be* in the presence of all His people. ¹⁵Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His godly ones. ¹⁶O Lord, surely I am Your servant, I am Your servant, the son of Your handmaid, You have loosed my bonds. ¹⁷To You I shall offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and call upon the name of the Lord. ¹⁸I shall pay my vows to the Lord, oh *may it be* in the presence of all His people, ¹⁹In the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Praise the Lord!

SERMON NOTES

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PAY BACK: WHAT SHOULD WE GIVE GOD?

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A necessary question
Hezekiah (Isaiah 38)

- Receive more (cup)
2 Samuel 7:8-11
Job 20:22 In the fullness of his plenty he will be cramped; the hand of everyone who suffers will come *against* him.
- Accept less (cup)
Mark 10:39
- Ask for help (call)
Romans 10:13
- Pay vows
Acts 18:18
- Get on a team (your people)
Ephesians 4:16
- Go public (sacrifice of thanksgiving)
2 Samuel 24:24