

## character

a 52-week series about amplifying your management & leadership skillset

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# Humility

#### Overview

If there was one thing I would share about management & leadership...

It would be about **humility**. If ever there was a character trait that amplifies ALL of your efforts, it is this way of life. I believe there is a moment when a manager and leader completely accepts the reality that their success is dependent on their team's success.

"The characteristics common to Level 5 leaders are humility, will, ferocious resolve, and the tendency to give credit to others while assigning blame to themselves."

Jim Collins

#### For the week...

- Reflect: Of the things you did yesterday, what percentage advanced you vs. others?
- Act: Demonstrate humility by being open to others, showing concern, being curious, admitting mistake or that you don't know and trusting others.
- And check your motives: Consider the true why in your choices.

Perhaps the most challenging aspect of humility is our worldly, human existence whispering everyday, "what's in it for me". It is good to have goals for one's self. To aspire to do great things. To what end and at what cost. What's in it for others?



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