

Note From Andy for October



Hey guys!

I want to share with you a message I heard recently from a friend who is a pastor, and this is also what I'm sharing with the DB football team during the pregame meal.

Who is the G.O.A.T?

People argue about who is the "Greatest of All Time" in sports.

But we as Christians know Who is the G.O.A.T. - JESUS!

But did you know Jesus affirmed that He is the Greatest of All Time in scripture?

Matthew 12:38-42 tells us:

Then some of the scribes and Pharisees answered, saying, "Teacher, we want to see a sign from You." But He answered and said to them, "An evil and adulterous generation seeks after a sign, and no sign will be given to it except the sign of the prophet Jonah. For as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of the great fish, so will the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth. The men of Nineveh will rise up in the judgment with this generation and condemn it, because they repented at the preaching of Jonah; and indeed a greater than Jonah is here. The queen of the South will rise up in the judgment with this generation and condemn it, for she came from the ends of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon; and indeed a greater than Solomon is here

Jesus here clearly tells that He is the Greatest of All Time! Like Jonah was in the belly of the fish for 3 days, Jesus would be in the tomb for 3 days, but He is greater than Jonah! The Queen of Sheba came up from the south to hear Solomon's great wisdom. Solomon was the wisest man to ever live, but Jesus is greater than Solomon!

Jesus is The G.O.A.T. - The Greatest of All Time!

1. People strive after greatness in what they pursue in life, but we should never become prideful to the point that it becomes about us. We have to guard ourselves from the sin of pride. We are to strive for greatness - to be the best we can be - for JESUS and for Him alone!
2. He turned greatness upside down by defining it as putting others before yourself. Jesus tells us we are great when we are kind, show humility, and sacrifice for others.
3. Jesus displayed His greatness in the ultimate way...by dying on the cross for us and our sins so that we can have the hope that comes only through salvation.

So what can we learn from all of this? Desire greatness in your life that brings God all the glory!

Love you guys!

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