



## **Unleashed: Credit Where Credit Is Due**

**Main Idea:** How and when can you shine your spotlight on Jesus

**Connect:** What is the most memorable present you have received?

### **Discuss**

1. What insight, observation, or principal from this sermon did you find to be most helpful, insightful or troubling? Explain ...
2. Perhaps we have not all been changed as dramatically as the crippled beggar, but Jesus has changed each of us in many ways. What has Jesus has removed from your life?
3. We may not always recognize it, and it may take some time to come full circle, but have you ever asked God for one thing and received something so much better?
4. How does God fit into your daily routine?
5. Has God ever used love or concern for another (or from another) to bring glory to Himself? How can you keep the spotlight on Him when these things happen?
6. Have you ever been put in a situation where people were giving you credit for something Jesus had done? How can you shift the spotlight to Jesus when others are shining it on you?
7. Being saved, or healed in the case of the crippled beggar, is a wonderful beginning, but we must be ready to explain salvation to others. Peter seizes this opportunity and brings many new believers to Christ. If someone told you they wanted to accept Christ, would you know what to do next? How do you explain salvation?

**Live it Out**

If someone was watching you, how would your life point to Jesus? Ask God to show you any area where you are accepting credit for His work, or any area where you could be glorifying Him more fully. Ask Him also to show you anyone in your sphere of influence who is ready to receive Christ or who needs an invitation to church.

Peter and John reach thousands of people by allowing the Holy Spirit to work through the ordinary routine of their lives. Ask God to use your everyday life to bring Him glory, and be ready to submit to His leading.