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## **A sacrifice** [REDACTED] **WORTH MAKING**

Sacrifice is not something that comes naturally to us, yet it has been said that "nothing great in life will ever be established without sacrifice". In this talk, Chris Mathebula offers a reminder of the significance of leading sacrificially and proposes five attitudes to grow as a servant leader.

### Outline

- **Greatness and sacrifice**
- **Refusing the status quo**
- **Choosing 'the road less travelled'**
- **Embracing the future**
- **Living with a sense of urgency**
- **Giving up temporary for eternal**
- **The value to the next generation**

1. What impactful cause or initiative do you feel called to lead, but perhaps haven't fully embraced your role in yet?
2. What sacrifice will be necessary for you to propel this cause forward?
3. Among the five qualities of true sacrifice, which do you perceive as the most important for you to develop at this time? Why?
  - Refuse the status quo
  - Choose the road less traveled
  - Embrace the future
  - Live with a sense of urgency
  - Give up the temporary for eternal
4. How will you develop this quality? Write down two or three actions to take.

### TAKING ACTION

***What step will you take in the next seven days to grow in awareness of the value and importance of sacrifice in your current situation?***