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"I am debtor both to the Greeks, and to the barbarians." Romans 1:14

Paul was overwhelmed with the sense of his indebtedness to Jesus Christ, and he spent himself to express it. The great inspiration in Paul's life was his view of Jesus Christ as his spiritual creditor. Do I feel that sense of indebtedness to Chri st in regard to every unsaved soul? The spiritual honour of my life as a saint is to fulfil my debt to Christ in relation to the m. Every bit of my life that is of value I owe to the Redemption of Jesus Christ; am I doing anything to enable Him to brin g His Redemption into actual manifestation in other lives? I can only do it as the Spirit of God works in me this sense of i ndebtedness.

I am not to be a superior person amongst men, but a bondslave of the Lord Jesus. "Ye are not your own." Paul sold him self to Jesus Christ. He says - I am a debtor to everyone on the face of the earth because of the Gospel of Jesus; I am fr ee to be an absolute slave only. That is the characteristic of the life when once this point of spiritual honour is realized. Q uit praying about yourself and be spent for others as the bondslave of Jesus. That is the meaning of being made broken bread and poured out wine in reality.