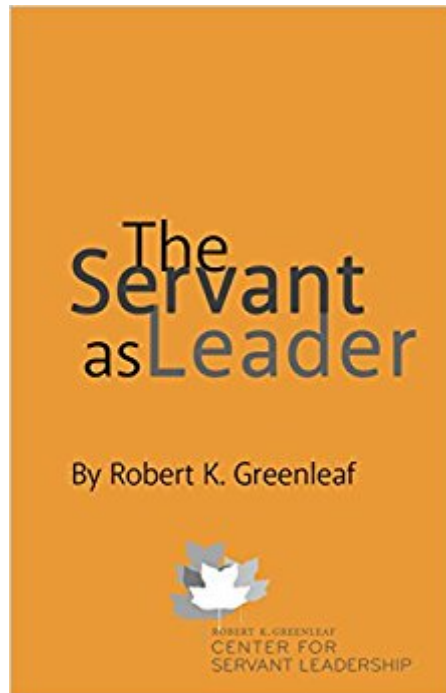




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The Servant As Leader



Synopsis

This is the essay that started it all. Powerful, poetic and practical. The Servant as Leader describes some of the characteristics and activities of servant-leaders, providing examples which show that individual efforts, inspired by vision and a servant ethic, can make a substantial difference in the quality of society. Greenleaf discusses the skills necessary to be a servant-leader; the importance of awareness, foresight and listening; and the contrasts between coercive, manipulative, and persuasive power. A must-read.

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Robert K. Greenleaf founded the nonprofit Greenleaf Center (first called The Center for Applied Ethics) in 1964. Not long after, Greenleaf published The Servant as Leader a landmark essay that coined the phrase 'servant-leader' and launched the modern servant leadership movement.

Reading this book applies as much today as the day it was written. Greenleaf reminds us how to get back to the basics of leading well. It's simple; you have to care for those you lead. True leadership is touchy and feely--it's empathic. Through empathy, a leader learns she must serve her followers if she is going to lead them well. A must read!

For everyone who want to learn about themselves and mirror their own assumptions about leadership, The servant as leader gives great examples on what leadership should be about and how great leaders make the world a better place to live in for all of us by being servants first and let

their followers grow as servant leaders, too.

Quick read great information

Mr. Greenleaf has left a legacy of servant leadership. What a wonderful way to be remembered. Many organizations have taken up his proposal as well as plenty of scholarly dissertations and research follow-up. This little book was the beginning of this massive amount of intellectual work applied to his idea. It is a great book, a relatively short read that also requires one to meditate and contemplate his musings.

I also ordered this book for the same leadership class I will taking; I am very pleased with this book too!

Teaches importance of leadership born out of heart, of desire to serve first as one cares for others more greatly than one desires leadership yet leadership is sought as one feels called to put that great love into action.

It provides the simplistic overview and foundation to the concept as you venture into more in-depth studies of the concept.

This was not what I expected at all. It is a small, thin pamphlet apparently written for a corporation event. Not a book like I expected. I would not recommend.

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