



The Power Driven Church The Lord of the Harvest

Power For the Harvest

Matthew 9:35-38

A. Doing the Work 9:35

Cities and Villages (Laguna Woods Village)

a. *Three things that Jesus did!*

1. Taught God's Word
2. Preached the gospel of the Kingdom
3. Healed sickness and disease

See Luke 4:16-21

B. Get Moving: What Moves Me? 9:36

When Jesus saw the people something moved him!

When we see someone—what moves us?

a. *Moved with compassion com-passion*

Compassion: Mercy; a deep feeling of passion towards the lost or suffering; entering into (feeling) their sorrow and pain.

1. For the weary; harassed; abused
2. Scattered; lost; confused
3. No shepherd; leader; purpose

b. *When Jesus was **MOVED** with compassion he always did something.* (See side bar)

C. What's Holding us Back? 9:37

Where are the people—where is the harvest?

Where are the laborers for the harvest?

What kind of labor is Jesus talking about?

D. Power of the Harvest: Prayer 9:38

Therefore pray...

Lord of the harvest...

Send out laborers...

Into HIS harvest...

Are you willing to pray that God would send you?

Are we willing to pray that God would send us?

*Are we willing to pray, go and
trust God for the outcome?*

Moved With Compassion

(Mat 9:36) But when he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd.

(Mat 14:14) And Jesus went forth, and saw a great multitude, and was moved with compassion toward them, and he healed their sick.

(Mat 15:32) Then Jesus called his disciples unto him, and said, I have compassion on the multitude, because they continue with me now three days, and have nothing to eat: and I will not send them away fasting, lest they faint in the way.

(Mat 20:34) So Jesus had compassion on them, and touched their eyes: and immediately their eyes received sight, and they followed him.

(Mar 1:41) And Jesus, moved with compassion, put forth *his* hand, and touched him, and saith unto him, I will; be thou clean.

(Mar 6:34) And Jesus, when he came out, saw much people, and was moved with compassion toward them, because they were as sheep not having a shepherd: and he began to teach them many things.

(Mar 8:2) I have compassion on the multitude, because they have now been with me three days, and have nothing to eat:

(Luk 7:13) And when the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her, and said unto her, Weep not.

(Luk 10:33) [**The Good Samaritan**] But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was: and when he saw him, he had compassion on him,

(Luk 15:20) [**Father of the Prodigal**] And he arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him.

(1Pe 3:8) [**The Church**] Finally, *be ye* all of one mind, having compassion one of another, love as brethren, *be* pitiful, *be* courteous:

(1 Jo 3:17) [**Compassion and Love**] But whoso hath this world's good, and seeth his brother have need, and shutteth up his bowels *of compassion* from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him?