

Acts of Compassion

Matthew 9:35-38

Namrata



Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness.

Matthew 9:35



When he saw the
crowds, he had
compassion on
them, because they
were harassed and
helpless, like sheep
without a shepherd.

Matthew 9:36

A person wearing a white robe with a brown and white patterned sash is shown from the side, holding hands with another person whose arm is visible on the right. The background is a soft-focus sunset over a landscape with hills and trees. The text is overlaid on a semi-transparent brown rectangle in the center.

The LORD is compassionate
and gracious, slow to anger,
abounding in love.

(Psalms 86:15, 145:8, Exodus 34:6, Joel 2:13,
Nehemiah 9:17, Jonah 4:2)

³³ “Lord,” they answered, “we want our sight.”

³⁴ Jesus had compassion on them and touched their eyes. Immediately they received their sight and followed him.

Matthew 20:33-34

⁴⁰ A man with leprosy came to him and begged him on his knees, “If you are willing, you can make me clean.” ⁴¹ Filled with compassion, Jesus reached out his hand and touched the man. “I am willing,” he said. “Be clean!”

Mark 1:40-41

³² Jesus called his disciples to him and said, “I have compassion for these people; they have already been with me three days and have nothing to eat. I do not want to send them away hungry, or they may collapse on the way.”

³⁴ “How many loaves do you have?” Jesus asked.

“Seven,” they replied, “and a few small fish.”

Matthew 15:32, 34

³⁰ Jesus replied, “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. ³¹ Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. ³² So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. ³⁴ He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, ‘Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.’

Luke 10:30-35 (ESV)





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A black and white photograph of two children walking away from the camera on a gravel path. The child on the left is wearing a light-colored sweater and dark pants, while the child on the right is wearing a light-colored sweater with a patterned hem and dark pants. The path leads into a field of tall grass and shrubs. A semi-transparent white rectangular box is overlaid on the image, containing the text "Compassion becomes the driving force behind our actions" in a brown serif font.

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³⁷ Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. ³⁸ Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.”

Matthew 9:37-38





The harvest is plentiful
but the workers are few



Are you willing to be sent by God
into His harvest field?



Ask the Lord of the harvest,
therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.
Matthew 9:38