

Matthew 9:35-10:1 “Going to school with the disciples”

1. The Teacher
 - a. C_____ for all people (v. 35)
 - i. Went to the people
 - ii. Proclaimed the good news
 - iii. Cared for the needs of people
 - b. M_____ by compassion (v. 36)
 - i. Love is one of the strongest motivators
 - ii. Crowds harassed and helpless by deceptions of the world
 - iii. Understood their need for a shepherd
 - c. U_____ the harvest (v. 37-38)
 - i. Plentiful
 - ii. Worker shortage
 - iii. It is the Lord’s harvest
 - d. G_____ disciples (v. 1)
 - i. Moving out of the classroom
 - ii. Given authority to do ministry
2. The Master’s Methods
 - a. Tell—
 - b. Show—
 - c. Do—
 - d. Evaluate—
 - e. Do again—
3. How to prioritize?
 - a. Concentric circles of Acts 1:8
 - b. Concentric circles of my responsibility
 - i. Where do I have a p_____ responsibility
 - ii. Where do I have s_____ responsibility
 - iii. Where are m_____ needed
4. Are you ready to graduate?

Discussion

1. Do you have the Master’s heart of compassion for people?
2. What people or groups of people do you have a special level of compassion
 - a. Who are the people you have a unique and primary responsibility to reach and disciple?
 - b. How has God uniquely equipped you to minister to these people?
3. Where are you in the sequence of “tell, show, do, evaluate, and do again” as it relates to learning how to minister?
4. Where are you in the sequence of “tell, show, do, evaluate, and do again” as it relates to equipping someone else with ministry skills?
5. Have you graduated to the next level of journeying with Jesus?
 - a. What are some indications that you have done so?
 - b. What are your next steps?