

## The Priority of Courageous Evangelism

Text: Matthew 9:35-38

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### Big Idea:

#### Context is key!

#### Question #1 (Context)

*Ask Yourself: What does the text say about God and about me?*

- a) Is God saying or showing something about Himself? If so, what?
- b) Is God saying or showing something about us? If so, what?
- c) How does the text point to my need for Jesus?

A courageous witness will...

**Point 1:** \_\_\_\_\_ the King's \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 35)

*Question: A courageous witness sticks to the gospel of the kingdom. Will you?*

*Sermon Notes...*

The gospel of the kingdom teaches...

- i) Who we truly \_\_\_\_\_
- ii) Who Jesus truly \_\_\_\_\_
- iii) What Jesus truly \_\_\_\_\_
- iv) What Jesus truly \_\_\_\_\_

#### Question #2

- a) Based on what you learned from v. 35, spend time as a group writing out the true gospel as if you would be sharing it with someone.

A courageous witness will...

**Point 2:** \_\_\_\_\_ the King's \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 36)

*Question: Compassion for the lost fuels our witness. Do you see them as Jesus does?*

*Sermon Notes...*

#### Question #3

- a) **Rd v. 36:** What does it mean to have compassion for the lost?

A courageous witness will...

**Point 3:** \_\_\_\_\_ for the King's \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 37-38)

*Question: A courageous witness pleads, "Send them out Lord!" Will you?*

*Sermon notes...*

**Question #4**

a) Use the "Top Five" list below to write down the names of the people who God has put around you to share the gospel with.

**A Life of Courageous Witness**

Your top five list of loved ones to share the gospel with

WHO	VERSES I'M PRAYING FOR THEM	WHAT OPPORTUNITIES HAS GOD GIVEN?	HAVE I SHARED WITH THEM? (Y/N)	NEXT STEP

**Prayer Application**

Pray together as a group over the names you wrote on your list.

**Memory Verse**

*"... 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'" -Matthew 9:37b-38*