

FBC Life: Reach
Matt 9:35-38

Jesus' reach extends far beyond what we know from scripture

Jesus reached others wherever he went and whatever he did

35 And Jesus went throughout all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction.

The spiritual condition of others motivated the reach of Jesus.

36 When he saw the crowds, (**common people**) he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.

Jesus motivated the disciples with staggering statistics and a solution

37 Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; ³⁸ therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.”

If verse thirty-seven is still true today, so is verse thirty-eight

The spiritual condition of others should motivate your reach

Jesus already has or is actively reaching you