

BURUBURU COMMUNITY CENTRE CHURCH OF GOD

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THEME: SPIRITUAL WORKERS

TEXT: MATTHEW 9:35-39

INTRODUCTION

The gospel of Matthew records the birth ministry and genealogy of Jesus. While in the ministry He was motivated throughout with compassion. He gave his life because of his compassion for mankind. Even when he had travelled and preached all day, He didn't turn the people away. The people were like lost sheep without a shepherd.

Vs 37 Jesus looking over the crowd said to disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Here Jesus was not referring to the harvest of rice, maize or beans, but to men. Men are like a field of grain, waiting to be harvested, John 4:35-36.

-Men are looking for someone to bring them to Christ through evangelism, prayer and encouragement. I and you have the responsibility to point this people to Christ. The harvest is God and he has entrusted it to us that we may go out and preach the good news to the people and whoever believe shall never perish but have everlasting life. God has given us complete responsibility for his harvest. We need not to wait but we have to go out and harvest the lost souls for Jesus.

--when Jesus saw that, the harvest was plenty but few workers, He told the disciples "ask the Lord of the harvest therefore to send out workers". Jesus could

have send out more workers even without our prayers, but he simply wanted has to take responsibility in prayers, and know that God gives us what we want when we pray.

- We have a question to ask our self: what happen if there are no enough workers, He could send out more workers without our prayers, but has told us to pray that more be sent. What happen if there are no enough workers at the harvest time?

-Part of the harvest will be lost and if the harvest is lost it will be that we didn't ask for enough workers.

-There are questions to ask; -Do we really care about God's harvest? Do we really care for the souls of men and women around us? If we care we will pray for them and reach out for them and ask God to send more workers. But before we ask God to send more workers, He will ask us if we our self are working. We need not only to pray that God may send more workers, but we need to be working. I and you need to go to the field to work.

-Christians needs to be like prophet Isaiah, where God asked who shall I send. And Isaiah answered here I am send me. Isaiah 6:8 we need to tell the Lord that here we are sent us to your field.

May God help us to reach out to people who are in need of our help. Thanks---
blessed Sunday.