

The Church's Weighty Mission (Part Three)

Actual Jesus (Gospel of Matthew) – Part 103

Matthew 10:1-15

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- ¹ And He called His twelve disciples to Himself and gave them authority over unclean spirits, so as to cast them out, and to heal every disease and every ailment.
- ² Now, of the twelve apostles the names are these: first Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother; and James the *son* of Zebedee, and John his brother;
- ³ Philip and Bartholomew, Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James the *son* of Alphaeus and Thaddeus,
- ⁴ Simon the Zealot and Judas Iscariot — who also delivered Him over.
- ⁵ These twelve Jesus sent, after charging them, saying, “Into the way to the Gentiles do not go off, and into a city of Samaritans do not go in.
- ⁶ “But go instead to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.
- ⁷ “And, as you go, keep proclaiming, saying, ‘The kingdom of the heavens has drawn near!’
- ⁸ “The sick, heal; the dead, raise; lepers, cleanse; demons, cast out. As
- a gift, you received; as a gift, give.
- ⁹ “Do not acquire gold nor silver nor copper for your *money*-belts,
- ¹⁰ “do not acquire a knapsack for the way, nor two tunics nor sandals nor a staff; for the worker is worthy of his nourishment.
- ¹¹ “But into whichever city or village you enter, research who in it is worthy, and remain there until whenever you come out.
- ¹² “And, when *you* enter into the house, greet it;
- ¹³ “and, on the one hand, if the house is worthy, let your ‘Peace’ come upon it; on the other, if it is not worthy, let your ‘Peace’ return to you.
- ¹⁴ “And whoever does not accept you nor hear your words, when you go out of the house or out of that city, shake off the dust from your feet.
- ¹⁵ “Amen, I say to you, it will be more bearable for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah in the day of judgment than for that city!”

Introduction:

I. The Central Demand (vv. 1-5a)

II. The Critical Details (vv. 5b-13)

A. _____ Jesus' Objective (vv. 5b-6)

B. _____ Jesus' Message (v. 7)

C. _____ Jesus' Works Jesus' Way (v. 8-13)

1. That way is *miraculous* (v. 8a)

2. That way is _____ (v. 8b)

Acts ____:____

Romans ____:____=____

3. That way is _____ -dependent (— but not magical) (vv. 9-10)

1 Corinthians ____:____-____

1 Timothy ____:____-____

4. That way is to _____ the _____ (vv. 11-13)

Matthew ____:____-____

1 Corinthians ____:____ — ____:____

III. The Dust-Off of _____ (vv. 14-15)

A. For Us As a _____

2 Timothy ____:____-____

B. For Us As _____