

I would like to call your attention to the book of Matthew, ch. 9:35-38, (reading text)

In this passage we have called strongly to our attention the compassion of Jesus. He was moved with compassion on them. I would that everyone in this room had some realization of the compassion of Jesus because everyone of us realizes that it it was not for Jesus' compassion for us --- each one of us individually -- we would be on our way to eternal destruction. Each of us realizes that we deserve eternal destruction. If we had followed our sinful thoughts and sinful desires and yet Jesus had compassion on us to such an extent that he was willing to lay down His life on Calvary's cross that we might live. And if Someone has done that for you, what can you do to show your love to Him? What a tremendous display of His compassion. that He has showed to each of us.

But this morning I'm not so particularly going to speak of Jesus compassion to us, tho that is something each of us should constantly think about, because it should be the mainspring of our life and activity. But I want to speak about Jesus' compassion to the multitude. He looked upon the people and they were like sheep having no shepherd, they were scattered abroad and He had compassion on them. I'm sure if Jesus looks at our world today he must have a tremendous feeling of compassion for the people scattered abroad. We don't read much in our magazines about Cambodia now. Nobody cares to talk about it, it seems like. But if you read the facts about Cambodia there is no question what has happened. It's perfectly clear that one day the forces of the Komer Rouge broke into the capital city and immediately ord ordered everyone out of the country. They went into the hospitals