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- "Make disciples" is the primary command of the Great Commission. "
- "Going," "baptizing," and "teaching" are the means by which we fulfill the command to "make disciples."

The first step in making disciples is GOING. This is the means by which you are in the **<u>right place</u>** at the **<u>right time</u>** with the **<u>right person</u>**.

<sup>35</sup> Jesus continued **going** around to all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and every sickness. <sup>36</sup> When he saw the crowds, he felt compassion for them, because they were distressed and dejected, like sheep without a shepherd. <sup>37</sup> Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is abundant, but the workers are few. <sup>38</sup> Therefore, pray to the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into his harvest." Matthew 9:35-38 CSB

- v. 35 describes the Walk of the Master.
- He taught in their synagogues.
  - o The spiritually confident, confused, and curious
- He preached the Gospel of the Kingdom.
  o His Kingdom vs. satan's kingdom
- He healed.
  - $_{\odot}$  Every disease; every sickness (affliction)
- v. 36 describes the Heart of the Master.
- He had compassion (not sympathy but gut-wrenching pain)
  - o Distressed and dejected (harassed and helpless)
  - $_{\odot}$  Like sheep without a shepherd.

<sup>1</sup> The LORD is my shepherd; I have what I need. <sup>2</sup> He lets me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside quiet waters. <sup>3</sup> He renews my life; he leads me along the right paths for his name's sake. <sup>4</sup> Even when I go through the darkest valley, fear no danger, for you are with me; your rod and your staff—they comfort me. **Psalm 23:1-4 CSB** 

v. 37 describes the Explanation of the Master.

- Harvest is abundant.
- Workers are few.

v. 38 describes the Identity and Provision of the Master.

- Lord of the Harvest
- More workers