

Luke 10:1-24 (NIV)

¹ After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them two by two ahead of him to every town and place where he was about to go. ² He told them, “The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. **Ask the Lord** of the harvest, therefore, to **send out workers** into his harvest field.” ³ **Go! I am sending you out** like lambs among wolves. ⁴ Do not take a purse or bag or sandals; and do not greet anyone on the road. ⁵ “When you enter a house, first say, ‘Peace to this house.’ ⁶ If someone who promotes peace is there, your peace will rest on them; if not, it will return to you. ⁷ Stay there, eating and drinking whatever they give you, for the worker deserves his wages. Do not move around from house to house. ⁸ “When you enter a town and are welcomed, eat what is offered to you. ⁹ Heal the sick who are there and tell them, ‘The kingdom of God has come near to you.’ ¹⁰ But when you enter a town and are not welcomed, go into its streets and say, ¹¹ ‘Even the dust of your town we wipe from our feet as a warning to you. Yet be sure of this: The kingdom of God has come near.’ ¹² I tell you, it will be more bearable on that day for Sodom than for that town. ¹³ “Woe to you, Chorazin! Woe to you, Bethsaida! For if the miracles that were performed in you had been performed in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago, sitting in sackcloth and ashes. ¹⁴ But it will be more bearable for Tyre and Sidon at the judgment than for you. ¹⁵ And you, Capernaum, will you be lifted to the heavens? No, you will go down to Hades. ¹⁶ “Whoever listens to you listens to me; whoever rejects you rejects me; but whoever rejects me rejects him who sent me.” ¹⁷ The seventy-two returned with joy and said, “Lord, even the demons submit to us in your name.” ¹⁸ He replied, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. ¹⁹ I have given you authority to trample on snakes and scorpions and to overcome all the power of the enemy; nothing will harm you. [see Luke 21:16-19] ²⁰ However, do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but **rejoice that your names are written in heaven.**” ²¹ At that time Jesus, full of joy through the Holy Spirit, said, “I praise you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and learned, and revealed them to little children. Yes, Father, for this is what you were pleased to do. ²² “All things have been committed to me by my Father. No one knows who the Son is except the Father, and no one knows who the Father is except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.” ²³ Then he turned to his disciples and said privately, “Blessed are the eyes that see what you see. ²⁴ For I tell you that many prophets and kings wanted to see what you see but did not see it, and to hear what you hear but did not hear it.”



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Discussion Questions

Harvest & Judgment Luke 10:1-24

1. Share any '**aha**' moments in today's study...what you learned or how you were challenged.
2. **Read Luke 10:2-3.** What 2 actions did Jesus tell His disciples to participate in order to help with the harvest of those ready to respond to the Good News? How are WE to apply these timeless truths?
3. **Read Luke 10:10-15.** What warnings does Jesus give to those who don't respond to His message & why are they more responsible than Sodom?
4. **Read Luke 10:19-20 & Luke 21:16-19.** How would you respond to the person who says, "Jesus said 'nothing will harm you', so this is a promise that followers of Jesus will never face physical harm. After reading both of these passages answer these: 1) Can God protect 2) Must God protect 3) Is there a more important concern than physical welfare?
5. **Read Luke 10:20.** What is the greatest hope for the follower of Jesus? Explain what this verse means & why it is so important.
6. What does God want YOU to do with what we studied today? * Pray for one another.

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