



I. Open the Door

- "Compassion" means to be affected deeply in one's inner being.
- Jesus did not see people as a pain or inconvenience.
- He saw them for what they were, sheep without a shepherd.

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- How many opportunities do we miss because we do not open the door to people?
- Are you looking at people – both the lost and saved – with compassion or as a distraction?

II. You Have to Set the Table

- Jesus desires us to be actively involved in His work.
- Jesus said to His disciples, "YOU give them something to eat!"

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- Jesus invited the disciples to join in and help Him serve the others. Today, Jesus is inviting us to join in Him in ministering to the needs of our community.

III. Jesus Provides More

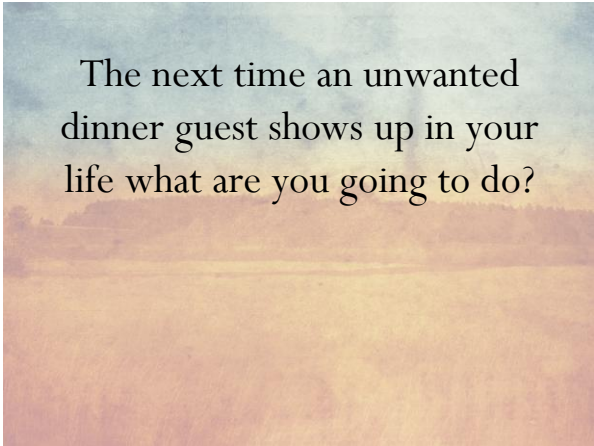
- Jesus can take a little and make a lot out of it.
- Jesus shows us that He can take what little we have to offer to Him and multiply it.

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- Faith must learn to draw on divine resources!
- I believe we have all we need to reach this community; but it will take all of us offering what little we have to God.

IV. No One Goes Away Hungry

- When we serve Jesus we will walk away satisfied and fulfilled!



The next time an unwanted
dinner guest shows up in your
life what are you going to do?