



# Matthew 8 & 9

## WINNING

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1 Corinthians 13:4-5 (ESV)

Love is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_; love does not \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_; it is not \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_. It does not insist on its own \_\_\_\_\_; it is not \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.

Matthew 8:5-13 ESV

When he had entered Capernaum, a centurion came forward to him, appealing to him, "Lord, my servant is lying paralyzed at home, suffering terribly." And he said to him, "I will come and heal him." But the centurion replied, "Lord, I am not worthy to have you come under my roof, but only say the word, and my servant will be healed. For I too am a man under authority,

with soldiers under me. And I say to one, 'Go,' and he goes, and to another, 'Come,' and he comes, and to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it." When Jesus heard this, he marveled and said to those who followed him, "Truly, I tell you, with no one in Israel have I found such faith. I tell you, many will come from east and west and recline at table with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven, while the sons of the kingdom will be thrown into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." And to the centurion Jesus said, "Go; let it be done for you as you have believed." And the servant was healed at that very moment.

A winning church understands their authority, and the miracle working power of God

Believe in the outcome more than the obstacle

Matthew 9:10-13 ESV

And as Jesus reclined at table in the house, behold, many tax collectors and sinners came and were reclining with Jesus and his disciples. And when the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" But when he heard it, he said, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. Go and learn what this means: 'I desire mercy, and not sacrifice.' For I came not to call the righteous, but sinners."

A winning church is a hospital not a country club

Matthew 9:35-38 ESV

And Jesus went...

A winning church is a moving church.

WHATEVER IT TAKES

Matthew 9:35-38 ESV

And Jesus went throughout all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."

A winning church is a saving church

A winning church is a burdened church

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A winning church is a serving church