

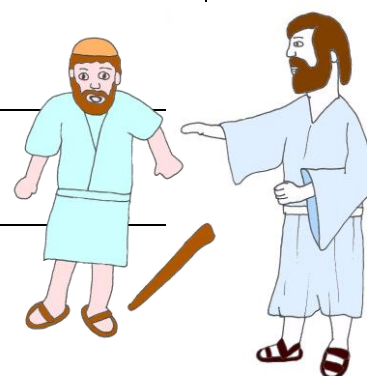


Compassion and Mercy

in the Scriptures

- Read the following scripture references.
- What does each have to say about compassion and mercy?

Matthew 9:35-38	
Matthew 15:32-39	
Matthew 20:29-34	
Luke 7:11-16	
Luke 15:20-24	
Romans 9:14-18	
Colossians 3:12-14	
Philippians 1:3-11	
Philippians 2: 1-2	
Hebrews 10:34	



- How is Jesus a model of compassion?
- What is required of us, as Christians?
- How do the above scripture references provide insight for actions based on mercy and compassion?



Solutions to Worksheet MJ-MJ601 Compassion and Mercy

Matthew 9:35-38	Compassion for the harassed and helpless.
Matthew 15:32-39	Compassion for those who have gone without food.
Matthew 20:29-34	Compassion for man without sight.
Luke 7:11-16	Compassion for the loss of a loved one.
Luke 15:20-24	Compassion for a lost son, who has returned.
Romans 9:14-18	God shows mercy and compassion
Colossians 3:12-14	As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive.
Philippians 1:3-11	Even in prison Paul's prayer to the Philippians is for compassion of Jesus Christ
Philippians 2: 1-2	Encouraged to share Christ's humility by showing compassion
Hebrews 10:34	Compassion for those in prison.