

Open Your Eyes and Look at the Fields

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Good News

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Bad News

John 4:1-30

John 4:31-42

The disciples:

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- Ø *knew* the Lord
- Ø *were walking* with the Lord
- Ø *were serving* the Lord

VALUE

Meanwhile, his disciples urged him,
"Rabbi, eat something."

But he said to them, "*I have food to eat that you know nothing about.*"

Then his disciples said to each other, "Could someone have brought him food?"

John 4:31-33

VALUE

MISSION

"My *food*," said Jesus, **"is to do the will of him who sent me, and to finish his work."**

John 4:34

MISSION

VISION

"Do you not say, 'Four months more and then the harvest?' I tell you, *open your eyes and look* at the fields! They are ripe for harvest."

John 4:35

VISION

TIME

"Even *now* the reaper draws his wages, even *now* he harvests the crop for eternal life."

John 4:36

TIME

PLACE

When the Lord learned of this, he left *Judea* and went back once more to *Galilee*. Now he had to go through *Samaria*.

John 4:3,4

PLACE

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SALVATION

Then, leaving her water jar, the woman went back to the town and said to the people, "Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did. *Could this be the Christ?*"

John 4:29

SALVATION

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