







WE ARE AGENTS OF MERCY



HOW CAN I BE MORE MERCIFUL?



WHERE CAN I BE MORE MERCIFUL?

1. Look for people in *Crisis*



GALATIANS 6

² Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. ³ If anyone thinks they are something when they are not, they deceive themselves.



GALATIANS 6

² Share each other's burdens, and in this way obey the law of Christ. ³ If you think you are too important to help someone, you are only fooling yourself. You are not that important.

(NLT)



WHERE CAN I BE MORE MERCIFUL?

1. Look for people in Crisis
2. Look for people in Need



ROMANS 15

² Each of us should please our neighbors for their good, to build them up. ³ For even Christ did not please himself but, as it is written: "The insults of those who insult you have fallen on me."



WHERE CAN I BE MORE MERCIFUL?

1. Look for people in *Crisis*
2. Look for people in *Need*
3. Look for people who are *Hurting*



2 CORINTHIANS 1

³ Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, ⁴ who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God.



WHERE CAN I BE MORE MERCIFUL?

1. Look for people in *Crisis*
2. Look for people in *Need*
3. Look for people who are *Hurting*
4. Look for people who are *Lonely*



*It's nice to go to church
that's friendly...*

*It's even better to go to
church with a friend...*

- Kris Kroger



LUKE 5

²⁰ When Jesus saw their faith, he said, "Friend, your sins are forgiven."



ROMANS 12:13

Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality.



WHERE CAN I BE MORE MERCIFUL?

1. Look for people in *Crisis*
2. Look for people in *Need*
3. Look for people who are *Hurting*
4. Look for people who are *Lonely*
5. Look for people who are *Unlovable*



1 PETER 3:9

Do not repay evil with evil or insult with insult. On the contrary, repay evil with blessing, because to this you were called so that you may inherit a blessing.



WHERE CAN I BE MORE MERCIFUL?

1. Look for people in Crisis
2. Look for people in Need
3. Look for people who are Hurting
4. Look for people who are Lonely
5. Look for people who are Unlovable
6. Look for people who need a 2nd Chance



2 CORINTHIANS 2:7

Now instead, you ought to forgive and comfort him, so that he will not be overwhelmed by excessive sorrow.



**Jesus is a friend of
sinners
are we?**


