Live, Give, Grow ,**Go** (49)  *Sent to* See

* **Cleveland Clinic put this out to train their medical professionals to be more sensitive to what others might be going through on an emotional level…**

**VIDEO “If We Could See Inside Others’ Hearts”**

* **This is one of the MOST IMPORTANT Lessons and Skills I have learned in 42 years as a Follower of Jesus…**
* **God Gives His Children the Intuitive & Discerning Ability if They Desire and Pursue it…**
	+ Not For Judgment or Condemnation…
	+ For Healing and For Hope…

**Matthew 9:36-38**

**Seeing the people**, He felt **compassion** for them, because **they were distressed and dispirited** like **sheep without a shepherd.**Then He \*said to His disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Therefore beseech the Lord of the harvest to **send out workers into His harvest.”**

* Implicit that we **LOOK** at people intentionally and intently enough to **SEE** their distress and discouragement…

**Do You See People?**

* **So Lost in Our Agenda**
	+ Home Depot (Young Man Helping Me Load)
		- Conviction and **Then the Connection of Compassion – Someone I Love**
* **Deeply Troubled People…**
	+ Doesn’t Matter Who They Are…Incredibly Successful or Lowest of the Low…
	+ All People Have Secret Wounds, Secret Failures, Secret Shame & Guilt…
* Roughest…most tender
* Most Arrogant…most insecure
* Most Angry…deepest shame or loss
* Most Pretentious… loneliest
* Most Self Absorbed…feel least valued
* Most Judgmental…most full of fear

***Most men lead lives of quiet desperation and go to the grave with the song still in them.***

***– Thoreau***

**Are You Sensitive to the Holy Spirit’s Lead & Agenda for Each Day?**

**Jeremiah 10:21**

The pastors of my people have become stupid.
    **They no longer seek wisdom from the Lord.**Therefore, they fail completely,
    and their flocks are scattered.

**Gal. 5:25** If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.

* **One of the most important and Life-Changing Truths I can share and reshare with you is how vital it is for you to wake up each morning and ask God for His plans for the day…**
	+ What’s on the agenda today Lord?
	+ Who do you have plans for me to bless with Good News?
	+ Who’s in my path today that’s hurting for whom I can be your representative?
	+ Where can I bring healing and hope?

Otherwise, we **“fail completely…and the flocks are scattered…”**

**Do You Have the Courage to Be Kind?**

* **Why does it take courage to be kind?**
	+ Because it costs us Self.
	+ Kindness requires that we’re intentionally Seeing others – not just ourselves.
	+ Kindness requires that we trust God will take care of us – all our hurts, loss, fears, and needs…
	+ Then we are free to take care of others…
* **A kind gesture, or word holds the power of life in death in a person’s life (Prov. 18:21).**
	+ It may be what reaches a wound that only compassion can heal…
	+ It is the most persuasive argument for what we believe about Jesus.

**Gal. 6:10** Whenever we have the opportunity, we should do good to everyone…