



2020 VISION:

SEEING AS JESUS SEES

THOSE WHO ARE HURTING





# What We Often See

- **An Inconvenience/Interruption**
  - **Because It Takes Time To Address**
  - **It May Not Have An Easy Resolution**

**Luke 10:30-37**



# What We Often See

- **Something Unworthy Of Our Time**
- **Evaluating The Person, Not The Need**
- **Not Knowing How Long It Will Take**

**Jas. 2:2-4**



# What We Often See

- **Just 'Part Of Life'**
- **Expecting Them To 'Just Get Over It'**
- **We Reason 'It Is Not So Bad'**

**Matt. 11:26**





# Our Response To These Views

- **We Do Nothing To Help**
  - **We Make Excuses**
  - **We Seek To Justify Ourselves**





# Our Response To These Views

- **We Pretend We Don't See**
  - **We Avoid Them**
  - **We Ignore Them**

**Luke 10:31, 32**





# Our Response To These Views

- **We Add To The Pain**

- **Pointing Out Their Faults**

**Job 2:11-13; 4:7; 8:4; 11:6**

- **Offering No Sympathy**





# How Jesus Sees

- **Ones Worthy Of His Time**

- **Even When He Was Hurting**

**Matt. 14:13, 14**

- **Our Time Demonstrates What We Value**

**Prov. 25:11**





# How Jesus Sees

- **Ones Who Need Our Compassion**

- **Weeping When They Weep**

**John 15:12; Rom. 12:15**

- **Suffering When They Suffer**

**1<sup>st</sup> Cor. 12:26**





# How Jesus Sees

- **A Factor By Which We Will Be Judged**

- **Have We Helped The Hurting?**

**Matt. 25:41-43**

- **Our Responsibility**

**Prov. 14:31; 19:17; Heb. 13:3; 1<sup>st</sup> Pet. 3:8**



