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They had flaky faith
They fell asleep while praying
They were afraid to ask Jesus questions
They fought amongst themselves
They were selfish and proud
They behaved in shameful ways

#### Luke 9:55-56 (NASB95)

**55** But He turned and rebuked them, and said, "You do not know what kind of spirit you are of;

**56** for the Son of Man did not come to destroy men's lives, but to save them." And they went on to another village.

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#### Numbers 11:24-25 (NLT)

- **24** So Moses went out and reported the Lord's words to the people. He gathered the seventy elders and stationed them around the Tabernacle.
- **25** And the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke to Moses. Then he gave the seventy elders the same Spirit that was upon Moses. And when the Spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But this never happened again.

## THE HARVEST

#### Luke 10:2-4 (NLT)

- 2 These were his instructions to them: "The harvest is great, but the workers are few. So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest; ask him to send more workers into his fields."
- **3** Now go, and remember that I am sending you out as lambs among wolves.
- **4** Don't take any money with you, nor a traveler's bag, nor an extra pair of sandals. And don't stop to greet anyone on the road.

## THE HARVEST

- 5 "Whenever you enter someone's home, first say, 'May God's peace be on this house.'
- 6 If those who live there are peaceful, the blessing will stand; if they are not, the blessing will return to you.
- 7 Don't move around from home to home. Stay in one place, eating and drinking what they provide. Don't hesitate to accept hospitality, because those who work deserve their pay.
- 8 "If you enter a town and it welcomes you, eat whatever is set before you.

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#### Luke 10:9-11 (NLT)

- 9 Heal the sick, and tell them, 'The Kingdom of God is near you now.'
- **10** But if a town refuses to welcome you, go out into its streets and say,
- 11 'We wipe even the dust of your town from our feet to show that we have abandoned you to your fate. And know this—the Kingdom of God is near!'

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# Luke 10:16 (NLT)

16 Then he said to the disciples, "Anyone who accepts your message is also accepting me. And anyone who rejects you is rejecting me. And anyone who rejects me is rejecting God, who sent me."

# **A LIFE CHANGING TRUTH**

### Luke 10:21 (NLT)

21 At that same time Jesus was filled with the joy of the Holy Spirit, and he said, "O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, thank you for hiding these things from those who think themselves wise and clever, and for revealing them to the childlike. Yes, Father, it pleased you to do it this way.

## **A LIFE CHANGING TRUTH**

#### Luke 10:17-19 (NLT)

- 17 When the seventy-two disciples returned, they joyfully reported to him, "Lord, even the demons obey us when we use your name!"
- 18 "Yes," he told them, "I saw Satan fall from heaven like lightning!
- 19 Look, I have given you authority over all the power of the enemy, and you can walk among snakes and scorpions and crush them. Nothing will injure you.

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Luke 10:20 (NLT)

**20** But don't rejoice because evil spirits obey you; rejoice because your names are registered in heaven."

"The world has yet to see what God can do with and for and through and in a man who is fully and wholly consecrated to Him."