

## **SPIRITUAL TASK —FREELY GIVE** (Matthew 10)

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**Story** The Lord commissioned His disciples to make disciples of all the nations to share the teachings, love, healing with others. “Freely you have received, freely give.”

**Meaning** Jesus called ordinary people to come and follow him and become “fishers of men.” The Lord called them to bring people to the teachings of the Word and the healing love of the Lord. They left what they were doing and devoted their lives to this mission.

**Task** This week find a way to give an idea, or thought that you find helpful to somebody else. Second, find a way to contribute to the life of this church or an organization that you feel contributes to the good of others. If you don’t know how to get involved ask somebody. We are all part of one body. That body needs all of its various parts and components to function properly and healthily. When we are functioning well as one we can then more effectively help others and be an organization that serves and helps those in need. “Freely you have received, freely give.”