

Working for Grace
Matthew 20:1-16

Parables: Portraits of a God and His Kingdom Who We Really Don't Know

Grace Initiates - He Makes the First Move - Matt 20:1

- He comes to find us at our point of need
- We are all "11th hour" workers! - Matt 20:6

Grace Gives Us What We Do Not Deserve

- Under "Law", we get what we earned
- Under "grace", we get what we need - Ro 6:14

The Kingdom of God Is Not About Merit and Reward, But Grace and
Need

- If we realized we were working for "Mr Grace", we would be...
 - ...Amazed! - at God who descends to us - Phil 2:6-8
 - ...Thankful! - that God is not fair - Ps 103:10
 - ...Relieved! - that God is generous - Matt 20:15
 - ...More Gracious with Others! - Ro 15:7