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John 16:5

“But now I am going to my Father who sent me. None of you asks me, ‘*Where are you going?*’
⁶ Rather, you are filled with grief because I have said these things. ⁷ But I tell you the truth, *is for your good* that I am going away.”

John 16:22-23

“Now is your time of grief, but I will see you again and you will rejoice, and no one will take away your joy. ²³ In that day you will no longer ask me anything. I am telling you, my Father will give you whatever you ask in my name.”

John 16:26-28

“In that day you will ask in my name. I am not saying that I will ask the Father on your behalf. No, the Father Himself loves you because you have loved me and believe that I came from God. I came from the Father and entered the world; now I am leaving the world and going back to the Father.”

John 14:11-12

“Believe me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; or at least believe on the evidence of the works themselves. Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father.”

How do we represent Jesus, dispense
His love and fulfill our purpose?

We just do what He did:

“Stop for the one”

When you are willing to be interrupted,

“Availability trumps ability”

*“You don’t need to do great things;
just small things with great love”*

Mother Theresa

