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HIRING, HIDING, HEALING - FOREIGN WORKERS IN SGP

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Matthew 20:29-34  
2 Blind Men Receive Sight
As Jesus and his disciples were leaving Jericho, a large crowd followed him. Two blind men were sitting by the roadside, and when they heard that Jesus was going by, they shouted, “Lord, Son of David, have mercy on us!”

The crowd rebuked them and told them to be quiet, but they shouted all the louder, “Lord, Son of David, have mercy on us!”
Jesus stopped and called them. “What do you want me to do for you?” he asked.
“Lord,” they answered, “we want our sight.”
Jesus had compassion on them and touched their eyes. Immediately they received their sight and followed him.
Matt 21:12-14

Jesus entered the temple courts and drove out all who were buying and selling there. He overturned the tables of the money changers and the benches of those selling doves.

“It is written,” he said to them, “‘My house will be called a house of prayer, but you are making it a den of robbers.”

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Jericho To Jerusalem

- Approximately 23 miles (37 kilometers) between Jericho and Jerusalem.
- Lowest point at +2,133 feet (+650 meters).
- Total difference in elevation: 2,986 feet (498 meters).
Why Did Jesus Clear the Temple?
Yunnan 1996-2010
Caring For the Poor
Sharing Knowledge
Loving People
People in Tough Situations
JERICHO
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JERUSALEM
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Compassion
Clearing Courtyards
Creating Space
Learning ...
Life Long Learning
“I am many happy that you can be with your mother”
Care Givers .....
Cleaner, Care Giver, Cook or ________

Singapore

Maid jailed 4 months for ill-treating bedridden young boy

“There was no malice involved and (Kusrini) is not a trained person,” Judge Low Wee Ping says, dismissing the prosecution’s wish for 18 months’ imprisonment.
Inter-Dormitory Cricket  ...  write a letter
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Compassion

- Caring for the blind
- Clearing the courtyards
- Creating space for ______
Compassion
Clearing Courtyards
Creating Space
Thank You