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DEEP COMING AND GOING
Matthew 11:28-30 & Luke 14:16-20

INTRODUCTION:

A. The two things Jesus tells His disciples to do are "COME" and "GO."

- We are to come to Christ when we are hurting, lost, broken, frustrated, guilty, stressed and depressed.

[Jesus said], "If you are tired from carrying heavy burdens, come to me and I will give you rest. Take the yoke I give you. Put it on your shoulders and learn from Me. I am gentle and humble, and you will find rest. My yoke is easy to bear, and this burden is light."
— Matthew 11:28-30 (Contemporary English Version)

An everlasting party: Luke 14:16-23

- **...sent his servant to go and tell those invited to "come for everything is ready!"**
- **...they all began to make excuses.**
- **...the Owner became angry and told the servant, "go quickly...bring in the poor, cripples...as my guests."**
- **...but there is still room for more in your banquet!**
- **Now go out of our city to the road and country lane, go everywhere and invite everyone to come.**

I. WHERE ARE YOU GOING? WHERE ARE WE GOING?

A. First we are going to go to God for help and direction.

Go to the Lord for help, and worship Him continually. — I Chronicles 16:11
(Today's English Version)

God helps them and rescues them and saves them from the wicked, because they go to Him for protection!
— Psalm 37:40 (Today's English Version)

B. Secondly, we go together for support.

...I want to hear that you are working together and that you are struggling side by side to get others to believe the Good News...Don't be intimidated by those who oppose you...You have been given not only the privilege of trusting in Christ, but also the privilege of suffering for Him. We are in this fight together... [so keep on] loving one another, and working together with one heart and purpose. — Philippians 1:27-2:2

C. Thirdly, we go on to maturity.

Let us leave the elementary teaching about Christ and go on to maturity...
— Hebrews 6:1

D. Finally, we go to share the Good News!

Anyone who asks the Lord for help will be saved. But before people can trust in the Lord, they must believe in Him. And before they can believe in Him, they must hear about Him. And to hear about Him someone must go and tell them! And before someone can go and tell them they must be sent. It is written, "How beautiful is the person who comes to bring Good News." — Romans 10:13-15 (international Contemporary Bible)

"Jesus said...'Your job is to go and tell others about God's kingdom.'" — Luke 9:60

CONCLUSION: