

God Changes Peter's Perspective

Acts 10:1-11:18

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Last Week

Change in Purpose

Unbelievable

Challenges

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God is preparing Jewish Believers
for the inclusion of Gentiles into the Church

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Passages

Acts 10:1-8

Acts 10:9-23a

Acts 10:23b-48

Acts 11:1-18

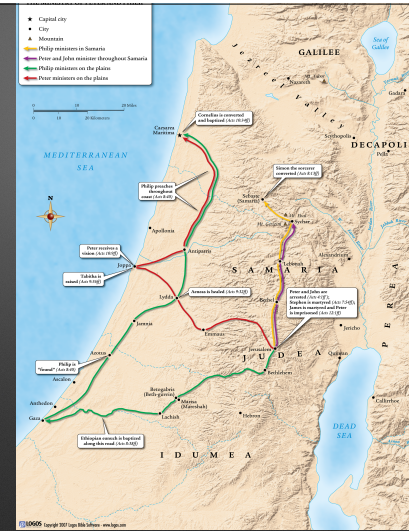
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The Lead-In

Healing of Aeneas

Raising of Dorcas

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The Lead-In

Acts 9:32-43

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The Seeker

Acts 10:1-8

Key Thought: God will respond to those who seek Him

- Caesarea
- Cornelius
- Vision
- Obedience

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Preparing Peter

Acts 10:9-23a

Key Thought: God prepared Peter for including Gentiles into the Church

- Joppa
- Peter
- Vision
- Obedience

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Holy Spirit comes on Gentiles

Acts 10:23b-48

Key Thought: God's Holy Spirit is for all Believers - both Jews and Gentiles

- Caesarea
- Peter and Cornelius
- Preaching the Gospel
- Obedience

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Understanding God's Big Plan

Acts 11:1-18

Key Thought: God is helping the Jewish church understand His plan

- Jerusalem
- Peter with Jewish believers
- Recounting the Event
- Obedience

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Why is this a Big Deal?

- Matthew 28:18-20
- Acts 1:8
- Genesis 12:1-9

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Matthew 28:18-20

¹⁸ Jesus came near and said to them, "All authority has been given to me in heaven and on earth. ¹⁹ Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ teaching them to observe everything I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

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Acts 1:7-8

⁷ He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. ⁸ But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come on you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."

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Genesis 12:1-3

The Lord said to Abram:

Go out from your land,
your relatives,
and your father's house
to the land that I will show you.

² I will make you into a great nation,
I will bless you,
I will make your name great,
and you will be a blessing.

³ I will bless those who bless you,
I will curse anyone who treats you with contempt,
and all the peoples on earth
will be blessed through you.

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