

ACTS

Growing Pains, Gospel Gains

Acts 9:32-10:35

In the Steps and Power of the Lord (Acts 9:32-43)

Context: Peter, the chief apostle to the Jews, to his credit was not sitting in Jerusalem, but traveling to check up on various Jewish communities. He visits two communities and while there, two miracles occur.

Community #1: _____ | Miracle: The _____ of Aeneas (Acts 9:32-35)

Community #2: _____ | Miracle: The _____ of Dorcas (Acts 9:36-43)

Reflections from this passage:

The _____ of Peter

The same _____ was working in Peter as had worked in _____.

_____ in the same _____.

_____ the same _____.

_____ the same _____.

The gospel _____.

The gospel is _____.

No Favorites With God (Acts 10:1-35)

Context: God divinely intervenes through the visions of Cornelius and Peter to initiate a forward movement to spread the gospel to the Gentiles.

Vision #1: _____ the _____ (Acts 10:1-8)

In this passage, Cornelius' _____ is being _____ for the message of the _____.

Point to consider: Cornelius was _____; he was a _____; active in his _____; _____ to those in need; and _____ to God regularly. Was Cornelius _____?

Vision #2: _____ the _____ (Acts 10:9-16)

In this passage, Peter is being _____ for his _____, to bring the _____ to the Gentiles.

The Problem: Peter had become a _____, but still thought as a _____.

Peter's Meeting with the Messengers (Acts 10:17-23)

Peter's Arrival in Caesarea (Acts 10:24-35)

Reflections from this passage:

Tremendous things happen when God prepares the _____ of both, the _____ and the _____.

As Christians, we _____.

The gospel is for ALL who will come to _____.

My Response:

If you are alive and know Jesus Christ, as your Savior, God is not _____ with you. (Acts 9:32-43)

God shows no _____, neither should I. The gospel is for _____. (Acts 10:1-35)

Challenges for this week:

1. Spend time reflecting on the goodness of God and how He orchestrated the people and events in your life that brought you the gospel and salvation in Jesus.
2. Call, write, or text that person who shared the gospel with you and thank them.
3. Pray for and leverage opportunities to share the gospel and to make disciples.