

MULTIPLYING DISCIPLES

DISCUSSION GUIDE | SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 2022

MESSAGE DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Read Acts 9. What are some questions you have about this passage?

EXPLORE THE TEXT

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| ACTS 9:23-25 | Why did the Jews plot to kill Saul? What did the disciples do for him? |
| ACTS 9:26 | What did Saul try to do in Jerusalem? What happened at first? Why? |
| ACTS 9:27 | What did Barnabas do? Why? What did Barnabas say Saul had done? |
| ACTS 9:28 | Once Saul was 'accepted', what did he do? Why? |
| ACTS 9:29 | How did the 'Hellenists' (Greek speaking Jews) respond to Saul? Why? |
| ACTS 9:30 | What did the brothers do for Saul? |
| ACTS 9:31 | What was true of the church at that time? Why did this happen? |

TRUTH TO LIVE BY

SPIRITUAL FORMATION, WHO WE BECOME, HAPPENS IN THE GAPS (ROUTINE).

1. Share a couple of "high points" (mountain top, life changing moments or events) in your spiritual formation. What did each "high point" do in you?
2. Share a couple "in the gap" (normal routine) experiences that have helped shape who you are. Why do these help change you to be more "like Jesus"?

FORMATION IN THE GAPS TAKES FRIENDS

3. Share how Jesus has used spiritual friends to help you grow in your intimacy with Him and follow Him. What specifically did these friends do for you?
4. Who is someone you could be this kind of "spiritual friend" (discipler) for?
5. Are you willing to sign up for Rockpoint's Multiplying Disciples (Destined) ministry, either to be discipled or to disciple someone else? Why/why not?

FORMATION IN THE GAPS TAKES TIME & PRACTICE

6. What three spiritual disciplines (regular Bible reading, believing prayer, fasting, fellowship with others, etc.) have been most helpful for you? Why?
7. What spiritual discipline (practice) do you need to do better? Why? How will you make this discipline stronger in your life?
8. What keeps you from investing enough time (& practice) to grow in your relationship with Jesus? What do you need to do to change this?
9. What keeps you from helping someone else grow in their relationship with Jesus (discipling)? What do you need to do to change this?

Which of the above truths do you need to practice this next week? Why?