

### Go Home & Make Disciples #2

#2 - God Opens Parents Hearts

Bobby Blakey ~ August 21 & 22, 2021 ~ The Book Of Acts #31



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Acts 16:6-15

6 And they went through the region of Phrygia and Galatia, having been forbidden by the Holy Spirit to speak the word in Asia.

7 And when they had come up to Mysia, they attempted to go into Bithynia, but the Spirit of Jesus did not allow them.

8 So, passing by Mysia, they went down to Troas.

9 And a vision appeared to Paul in the night: a man of Macedonia was standing there, urging him and saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us."

10 And when Paul had seen the vision, immediately we sought to go on into Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them.

**11** So, setting sail from Troas, we made a direct voyage to Samothrace, and the following day to Neapolis,

12 and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city some days.
13 And on the Sabbath day we went outside the gate to the riverside, where we supposed there was a place of prayer, and we sat down and spoke to the women who had come together.

14 One who heard us was a woman named Lydia, from the city of Thyatira, a seller of purple goods, who was a worshiper of God. The Lord opened her heart to pay attention to what was said by Paul.
15 And after she was baptized, and her household as well, she urged us, saying, "If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come to my house and stay." And she prevailed upon us.<sup>(ESV)</sup>

#### **Application Questions:**

#1. Who are you HELPing by sharing the gospel with them?

#2. **Read Matthew 10:32-33.** Do you consider yourself equipped to share the gospel? If so, when was the last time you did? If not, how can you get equipped to preach the good news of Jesus?

#3. When was a time God opened your heart to hear his word?

#4. Who can you pray for God to be a Heart Opener?

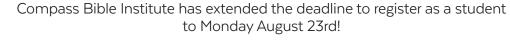
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#5. How are you doing at "paying attention" to the Word of God? What does it look like for you to pray for God to open your heart when you are going to read or hear the Word?

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# SUMMER IN THE PSALMS

Monday ~ Psalm 98-99

Encouragement for your SOUL! **Tuesday** ~ Psalm 100-101

Wednesday ~ Psalm 102

Thursday ~ Psalm 103

Friday ~ Psalm 104



Read how we are to sing to the Lord in worship together!