

Sermon Discussion Questions | Acts 8:26-40

Introduction

In seeking to follow Jesus, have you ever found yourself doing something you never thought you would do? If so, share your experience.

Head: *What is the passage saying?*

In your own words, describe the story/events of Acts 8:26-40.

In this story, where do you see God working in the lives of people?

In Acts 8:32-33, we learn the eunuch is reading Isaiah 53:7-8. In verse 35, we read that Philip, "began with that very passage of Scripture and told him the good news about Jesus." How would you use those verses (or the whole chapter of Isaiah 53) to share the good news of Jesus to someone learning about Jesus?

Heart: *How does this passage influence my inner being?*

Verse 39 says that the eunuch went on his way rejoicing. How do you find ongoing joy in following Jesus?

In verse 27, Philip displays a willingness to share the good news of Jesus. Are you willing to share Jesus with someone else?

Hands: *How do I practically live this out?*

Prepare: Be intentional this week to prepare your mind and heart to share the good news of Jesus. Perhaps that means reading through the Gospel of John, or other passages of Scripture, and focusing your prayer time to ask God to prepare you.

Pray: Be intentional to pray for people that you know who are far from God. Perhaps create a prayer list, and pray regularly for them, and be open to letting God use you in the process.

Serve: Be intentional for however God is calling you, and be willing to use you. Perhaps there are practical ways to serve someone this week. Reach out to someone this week, and be open to God working through you.

Journal: Write out words that you would use from Isaiah 53 to share the good news of Jesus.

Digging Deeper Study: Invest time in learning more about the good news of Jesus, and how you can share this with others. Watch the series, [The Good Gospel](#), by Jennie Allen on [Rightnow Media](#). Or read a book about sharing your faith, or better understanding the good news. Here are some suggestions: [Tell Someone](#) by Greg Laurie, [How to Give Away Your Faith](#) by Paul Little, or [Basic Christianity](#), and [Why I am a Christian](#) by John Stott.