

Starting Point: Character

Life Steps | January 13 & 14, 2018

Monday

Acts 10:1-7

How would you describe Cornelius's character? (Also notice Vs.22) What does it mean to you to be (Vs2) devout and god fearing? What is the significance of Cornelius praying at 3 in the afternoon? What does "pray regularly" mean to you?

Tuesday

Acts 10:8-23

What does this passage teach us about godly obedience? God spoke to Peter in a Vision and the Spirit. How do you most hear God speak to you? Why did Peter resist what God was teaching him? When have you resisted the leading of the Lord in your life? What did you learn from that experience?

Wednesday

Acts 10:23-33

What is the significance of Peter inviting the men into his house to be his guests? What can we learn from Peter's response to Cornelius in Vs. 26? What was God teaching Peter through the sheet in the vision? How does Peter's lesson apply to you?

Acts 10:34

Thursday

Deuteronomy 10:17 | Chronicles 19:7 | Romans 2:11

What does it mean to you that God does not show favoritism? How did Israel show favoritism? How does the church show favoritism? How do you show favoritism, consciously and unconsciously? Pray for God to help Pathway and yourself to eliminate all bias from our/your character.

Friday

Acts 10:35-48

Summarize the heart of Peter's testimony? So you are prepared when God speaks to you like Peter, what is the heart of your personal testimony? How do you think the experience with Cornelius and his family changed Peter's life? Who has most impacted your life with the unbiased love of God? Explain.

Saturday

James 2:1-12

Why do you think people show favoritism or what are some of the root causes? What are the different ways Paul says we can eliminate favoritism? How is God challenging you through this text?

Sunday

Psalms 103

Identify all of the character traits of God revealed in Psalm 103. Which of these traits do you most want to become a part of your character?