

Suggested Discussion Questions for 10/17/2021

Trials, pt 3 (Acts 26:1-32)

1. Is there something in your life story you might like to erase, but in the end, would not because of the good things it eventually produced?
2. Share some ways you see God was at work in your life before you came to faith in Christ?
3. How did God use Paul's pre-Christian experiences in our text?
4. How might Paul's defense have changed if his pre-Christian experiences were erased?
5. Why do you think Luke continues to record another repetition of Paul's conversion? What is added here that wasn't included in previous accounts?
6. How would you explain "*kicking against the goads*"?
7. What do verses 19-23 teach us about the focus our lives should take?
8. What are some reasons that many today resist the idea of repentance? How do you keep living a lifestyle of repentance?
9. If someone accused you of being crazy (out of your mind) for believing in Jesus, how would you respond?
10. If you are doing this study, you are still living and breathing, so God still has a plan for you. How do you seek and discern it? How do you avoid getting sucked into making plans that are self-centered and self-destructive?
11. What in this study challenges you to change or progress in your walk with God?