



“A Chosen Instrument of Mine”

Acts 9:10-19

September 29, 2024

SERMON REVIEW

To encourage our hearts as we carry His name, let’s understand...

1. God often chooses _____ instruments (9:10-12).
2. God hears our _____ about his instruments (9:13-16).
3. God conveys _____ through human instruments (9:17-19).

Was any point in this weekend’s message or portion of Scripture particularly challenging, encouraging or helpful for you?

Why did God want you to hear this message now?

DIGGING DEEPER

1. Paul used the Greek word *skueos* a number of times in his writings. It was from the realm of pottery. It's often translated "instrument," "vessel," "jar," or "pot." What do we learn from Paul's use of the word in his letters? Summarize each of the following passages.

Acts 9:13-16

Romans 9:19-24

II Corinthians 4:5-12

II Timothy 2:20-21

2. God wants to use you as a vessel to carry the name of Jesus. What are some different ways that can happen? Where is he calling you to carry the Lord's Name and the Good News connected to it?
3. We often experience hesitations and fear as we carry the name of Jesus. The Word of the Lord brought assurance to Ananias. How does Isaiah 51:7-16 bring courage to God's people? What other passages have you been strengthened by?
4. Sometimes people say "the scales fell from my eyes" when they come to see God's grace and power more clearly. When have you had such an experience?