



“A Lovely Gazelle Leaps Again”

Acts 9:36-43

May 8, 2022

Questions for Application and Fellowship

SERMON REVIEW

After some time of ministry in Jerusalem following the resurrection, God had plans for Peter that sent him out into all of Judea and beyond. He was given an itinerant ministry as traveling preacher. God performed miracles through him to certify the message he proclaimed. God was at work establishing and advancing the Gospel message.

All of this was done that many would believe and trust in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. This purpose is extended into our day and our lives.

To create and strengthen trust in Christ, this account includes:

1. The devotion of _____ (9:36)
2. The intrusion of _____ (9:37-38)
3. The display of _____ (9:39-41)
4. The response of _____ (9:42)

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. What experiences with bereavement have you had? Did those experiences strengthen or weaken your faith in Christ?
2. Why do we have the experience of death? Why do you think believers—who forgiven of sin and gifted with righteousness in Christ—are required to pass through death as well? (Genesis 2:15-17; Romans 6:20-23; I Corinthians 15:54-58; other scriptures?)
3. Have you witness a miraculous healing or resurrection? Or, have you read or heard of credible accounts outside of the Bible?
4. Why does the Bible give so many accounts of miraculous healing and even resuscitation? Should all Christians expect to be healed of their diseases? (Psalms 103:1-5; I Corinthians 15:42-47; other scriptures?)
5. Read James 1:22-25. Mature discipleship involves hearing and doing the word of God. Where do you need to step up and grow? In your study of scripture or in your practice of good works?
6. Read James 1:26-27. Mature discipleship also involves caring for those in vulnerable situations. How is Tabitha an example? How can you help someone in need?