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INTRODUCTION

In the book of Acts, we see Philip – a deacon in the early church – send by God to the desert area between Jerusalem and Gaza, a desert area. Philip obeyed this calling and went. God gave him further instruction to go talk to a travelling Ethiopian man. It just so happened that the traveller was reading Isaiah Chapter 53. Philip took the initiative to talk to him about the passage and then explain how it was all pointing to Jesus' completed work on the cross. The Ethiopian was shown the way of salvation and made a commitment right there and then and got baptised.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Read Acts 8:26-40
2. Why does God seem to only give bite size directions to us?
3. How was Isaiah 53 able to describe what Jesus did 700 years before it happened?
4. How can we connect with the community around us?
5. How can we raise God conversations with people?
6. What are some of the ways we can share the gospel with people we have God conversations with?
7. What was the pre-requisite to baptism?
8. Why get baptised?

THINK ABOUT IT

God calls us all to evangelise to those around us and share the good news of Jesus. This will likely take us out of our comfort zone – but sharing the gospel with others is crucial. If we love others – then it will naturally result in wanting to share this truth.

MEMORISE

"And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature."

Mark 16:15