

Connect Group Guide: "One Yes Can Change Your Life"



Passage: Acts 9:1-22

**Sermon Link:** • One Yes Can Change Your Life | Acts: Part 13

## Welcome:

(Choose a question for your group to discuss)

- What do you know about Saul's conversion story on the road to Damascus?
- The story of Paul's conversion shows us that even those who seem most unlikely to become Christians can be touched and changed by the gospel.
   Have you seen this to be true in your life, and those you come in contact with?

## Worship:

(You may choose to use YouTube or other mediums to facilitate your time of worship)

Trading My Sorrows - Legacy Nashville (Live from Presence Night Vol. II)

## Word:

(Discuss these questions in your group, encourage everyone to take part)

## Before reading the scripture:

- What is your conversion story? When did you say yes to Jesus for the first time?
- How are you currently challenged to live differently to those in your school, university or workplace?

#### Read: Acts 9:1-22

Which part of this passage spoke to you most when reading through it?



- Have you ever experienced how some Christians attempt to tear down other Christians over differing beliefs? How does the story of Saul's conversion speak into those situations?
- Saul was persecuting Christians, yet Jesus said to Saul "why do you persecute me?" Why do you think this is the case?
- Ananias was obedient to God's command, which changed Saul's life forever.
  Have you ever had someone speak to you, pray for you, or give you a word from God that altered the course of your life for the better?
- Ananias feared for his life and expressed this God, yet God still tells him to "Go!" How does this challenge and encourage you to be obedient even when it is difficult?
- Saul could not help but preach about Jesus after his experience. How does your experience of following Jesus flow over to others?

## Works:

(Take some time for personal reflecting on the following questions and then share back with the group)

- Saul's conversion had the biggest impact on those who knew him before he accepted Jesus. How does this encourage your faith journey?
- Where is God calling you to be obedient to Him?
- Who is God laying on your heart to share the Gospel with?

# **Closing:**

#### (Remember to ask for prayer requests.)

 Pray that the revelation of who Jesus is would speak to us, and to those who hear about Him for the first time.