

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FROM MARCH 26/27 SERMON

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Scripture from this week's sermon: Acts 16:16-40.

This past week, I attended a Word of Life board meeting and heard a report from a missionary in Hungary where his team is ministering to those fleeing Ukraine. He said that at present, 1 in 4 Ukrainians are displaced. 1.5 million children are refugees.

One man had 15 minutes to get want he wanted from his home. He took his Bible and a wedding picture. The man said all he had was Jesus. And, of course, that is all he needed. Take some time to pray for the Ukrainian tragedy and Christians in surrounding countries caring for those fleeing Ukraine.

- 1. Read Acts 16:16-24. Why were Paul and Silas put in prison? Check out Acts 19:23-29—another time where there is a conflict with money and ministry.
- 2. Read Acts 16:23-34. Jesus transforms lives. Discuss God's miraculous work and the drastic change in the jailor's actions.
- 3. Read Acts 16:36-40. Why did Paul insist on an apology from the magistrates?
- 4. Read Acts 15:25. C. H. Spurgeon wrote that anyone could sing during the day—when things are going well in their lives. But "songs in the night come only from God; they are not in the power of men." Share a time God gave you the power to sing a song of praise in a dark time in your life.