

ACTS - FROM RESURRECTION TO REVELATION

Lesson 31

Review: *Paul's European ministry begins with the exercising of spiritual discernment as it applies to those with whom we associate, and the spirit behind those who would desire to associate themselves with us. Now Paul's discernment is applied to...*

God's Providential Purposes In Our Problems, Pains, And Predicaments

I. We Start By Discerning What Placed Us Here - Acts 16:17-24

- A) Am I in full OBEDIENCE to the written Word of God
- B) Am I in full SUBMISSION to the revealed Will of God
- C) Am I in full YIELDING to the directive Spirit of God

II. We Prayerfully Seek Why God Placed Us Here - Acts 16:25

- A) Has God positioned me to experience His PROMISES
- B) Has God positioned me to experience His PERCEPTION
- C) Has God positioned me to experience His POWER
- D) Has God positioned me to experience His PRESENCE

III. We Praise God Expectantly Acts 16:26-40

- A) Because we expect Him to reveal His PLAN
- B) Because we expect Him to reveal our PART
 - 1) Were they to ESCAPE
 - 2) Were they to STAY
- C) Because we expect Him to complete His PURPOSE