Persecutor to Persecuted. Life of Paul. Part 5 - Arise and Go

Philippians 1:21 "For me to live is Christ, to die is gain."

Acts 9:6-9.

Sum up last week,

Saul - Arise and go.

3 day fast.

Oppression to Submission.

Acts 9:10-18

Ananias. Certain disciple. Follower of Christ.

Lord "Ananias." Behold, I am here, Lord. Reminder of Eli and Samuel.

Arise and go.

Strait street.

Saul of Tarsus - He prayeth.

Did Ananias hear anything after "Saul of Tarsus."

Ananias confirms who Saul was.

Heard by MANY. How much evil. Saul's authority from Chief Priest to BIND All who call on Jesus.

Vs. !5. BUT the Lord said. Repeats "GO."

Who is Saul presently? NOW - Chosen vessels. Bear my name. Gentiles; kings and children of Israel.

He will suffer great things. He committed great persecution; now he will suffer great things. For my sake.

Vs. 17. Brother Saul. Same Jesus sent me. Filled with Holy Ghost. Baptized. Paul preached CHRIST! Where? Synagogue. Very Christ.

Between Verses 22 -26. 3years has elapsed.

Galatians 1:16-18. 3 Years spent in Arabis.

Preached Christ. Bore witness of Christ.

Hymn: I'll Go Where You want Me to Go."

It may not be on the mountain height

Or over the stormy sea,

It may not be at the battle's front

My Lord will have need of me.

But if, by a still, small voice he calls

To paths that I do not know,

I'll answer, dear Lord, with my hand in thine:

I'll go where you want me to go.

I'll go where you want me to go, dear Lord,

Over mountain or plain or sea;

I'll say what you want me to say, dear Lord;

I'll be what you want me to be.

Perhaps today there are loving words

Which Jesus would have me speak;

There may be now in the paths of sin

Some wand'rer whom I should seek.

O Savior, if thou wilt be my guide,

Tho dark and rugged the way,

My voice shall echo the message sweet:

I'll say what you want me to say.

There's surely somewhere a lowly place

In earth's harvest fields so wide

Where I may labor through life's short day

For Jesus, the Crucified.

So trusting my all to thy tender care,
And knowing thou lovest me,
I'll do thy will with a heart sincere:
I'll be what you want me to be.