

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

These questions are designed to help you talk about God's word and Pastor Brian's message with friends and family. You of course can use your own questions, but we'd like to give you this tool to encourage Biblical fellowship and discipleship in your circle of relationships. We hope you are well and discovering new ways to relate to God and His Word.

LIVING RIGHT SIDE UP IN AN UPSIDE DOWN WORLD

ACTS 17:1-9

PASTOR BRIAN

WARM-UP QUESTION:

What is a funny or interesting example of someone having something totally wrong or backwards?

"Thessalonica" (Acts. 17: 1-9)

In verses 2 and 3, it says Paul would reason, explain, and prove that the Christ had to suffer according to the Scriptures. Who is someone you think of who has the gift or skill of reasoning, explaining and proving things? What do they do that makes them good at these skills?

In verses 4 and 5, we see that people in Thessalonica have a variety of reactions to the gospel. What are different ways people react to the gospel today?

In verse 6, Paul and his team are described as people who have "turned the world upside down." They were Revolutionaries. In what ways is Christianity still revolutionary today? In what ways has Christianity struggled to remain revolutionary?

REFLECTION QUESTION:

Pastor Brian unpacks how Jesus is revolutionary in our hearts by saying that our beliefs, our pleasures, our home life, and our hopes are all turned right side up from our upside down ways. Have you lately asked Jesus to show you ways that you are still upside down? If so, what has He shown you?