



Capitalizing on Soul-Winning Opportunities

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Acts 8:26-40

I. Philip Was **Commissioned** From A Place of Comfort.

Acts 8:4-8 & 26-27a

A. He was a part of a great rejuvenate revival.

1. He was preaching daily.
2. People were hungry for God.

B. He was commissioned to go to a place of dryness.

Acts 8:26

1. It was simply a road.
2. It was called “desert.”

Ezekiel 37:1-8

C. He was not only instructed, but he also heeded God’s command.

Acts 27a

Many opportunities are missed because:

1. We don’t listen.
2. We don’t prioritize our time.
3. We often enter with our own perception of the outcome.

II. Philip Took His **Opportunity** Seriously.

Acts 27-35

A. There was a divine appointment.

Acts 27-28

1. The eunuch was exactly where God was sending Philip.
2. The eunuch had been prepared for Philip.

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B. There was the intervention of the Holy Spirit. **Acts 29**

C. There was enthusiasm with the opportunity. **Acts 30-35**

“So Philip ran to him...” **Acts 30**

1. Philip was excited to share the gospel.

2. Philip initiated the conversation.

3. Philip kept the message simple. **Acts 8:35**

III. Philip Witnessed An Amazing Outcome. **Acts 36-40**

A. The Ethiopian Eunuch was gloriously saved. **Acts 36-38**

1. His belief and confession came first.

2. His baptism came second.

B. Philip didn't settle with the Eunuch's salvation. **Acts 39-40**

1. God moved him to another place.

2. He stayed faithful to spread the Gospel.

C. There was the most likely the law of the harvest. **Acts 39b**

1. The eunuch was rejoicing in his salvation.

2. The eunuch went back changed and with a testimony.