



1. God gives vision for change to come (Acts 10:1–13)

God is working behind the scenes through visions given to Cornelius and Peter. Cornelius is devout but does not yet know the gospel. Peter is faithful but still limited by his categories. God is orchestrating a meeting that will expand the mission of the church and challenge long-held assumptions.

Application Questions

1. Where might God be preparing you for something you don't fully understand yet?
2. Who outside of your normal circle might God be leading you toward?
3. How does this passage show that God is already at work in people before you arrive?

2, God makes common things clean (Acts 10:14–16)

Peter resists the vision because it violates everything he has known. God repeats the command: "What God has made clean, do not call common." This is not just about food—it is about people. God is dismantling the categories that separate.

Application Questions

1. What assumptions or categories do you hold that may not align with how God sees people?
2. Where are you resisting God because His work feels uncomfortable or unfamiliar?
3. How should this truth reshape the way you view people who are different from you?

3. God wants obedience, even if it doesn't make sense (Acts 10:17–23)

Peter does not fully understand the vision, but he obeys the Spirit and goes with the men from Cornelius. Obedience comes before clarity. God's mission moves forward when His people are willing to act without having all the answers.

Application Questions

1. Where is God asking you to obey without having all the answers?
2. What fears or hesitations are holding you back from responding to God's leading?
3. What would it look like to take a clear next step of obedience this week?

Peter enters Cornelius' home and begins to understand the meaning of the vision. What began with animals now becomes clear—it is about people. God shows no partiality, and the gospel is for all nations. Understanding grows over time as Peter walks in obedience.



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Application Questions

1. Where are you still growing in your understanding of what God is doing?
2. How does this passage encourage patience in your spiritual growth?
3. What would it look like to trust God while your understanding is still developing?

Final Questions

1. Who have you been tempted to treat as “common” that God has made clean?
2. Where is God calling you to cross a boundary you’ve been avoiding?
3. How will you respond in obedience to the Spirit this week?