

Paul's Exhortation

Acts 20

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Unstoppable

Reflect

Outline: Recap

Realize

Points to Ponder

Respond

Questions to draw out understanding.

REFLECT

The life of the apostle Paul is nothing short of amazing. From his exploits as an upstart Jewish rabbi to his miraculous conversion, Paul's journey is unique. As we continue to watch his third missionary journey, we find Paul making disciples and building up the body of Christ at every stop he makes. He is singularly focused on this one thing. This is such a great challenge and encouragement for us: that we might seek to live our lives like the apostle Paul!

REALIZE

1. Make disciples while going

- **Scripture Reference:** Acts 20, Matthew 28:19-20a
- **Questions for Reflection**
 - How is Jesus inviting me to join Him in making disciples?

2. Live a worthy testimony

- **Scripture Reference:** Acts 20, 2 Corinthians 3:1-3
- **Questions for Reflection**
 - What can I learn from Paul's exhortation to the Ephesian elders?

3. Take heed, watch, and remember

- **Scripture Reference:** Acts 20, Proverbs 4:23
- **Questions for Reflection**
 - Where do I need to cultivate a more pronounced testimony?

Optional Follow-up Questions:

- What makes you say that?
- How do you feel about that?
- How would you explain your answer to a non-Christian friend or neighbor?
- Why did God design it to work that way? Why not just do (whatever else) instead?
- What would you say to someone who disagrees with that?
- Why do we really have to do it like that? Why can't we just go (some other route) instead?