

Paul, the Minister to the Gentiles - Romans 15:14-22

Topics: Ambition, Evangelism, Humility, Mission, Pride, Serving, Witnessing

Open It

1. What foreign culture interests you most? Why?
- * 2. What factors influence a person's calling or vocation in life?

Explore It

3. How did Paul describe the Christians at Rome? (15:14)
4. How did Paul understand his own mission? (15:14-16)
- * 5. Why did Paul preach to the Gentiles? (15:16)
6. What was Paul's "priestly duty"? (15:16)
7. What was the focus of Paul's life? (15:17-18)
- * 8. What was the only thing that Paul was willing to speak of? (15:18-19)
9. To what did Paul credit his success in evangelism? (15:18-19)
- * 10. What was Paul's ambition? (15:20)
11. Why did Paul preach the gospel where Christ was not known? (15:20)
12. What had hindered Paul from coming to see the people in the church at Rome? (15:22)

Get It

13. What various tasks does God give to people like us to serve Him?
- * 14. What has God given you to use in serving Him?
15. For what do you want to be known?
16. When is being proud of your work for God a sin?
- * 17. How can you tell if your work for God is motivated by selfish pride or selfless devotion to God?
18. What groups of people have not heard the gospel message?
19. What sections of your community have not had enough opportunities to hear the gospel message?

Apply It

- * 20. At this point in your life, what could you do to determine whether your vocation is in line with God's desires for your life?
21. How can God best use you as a witness, both this week and in the future?