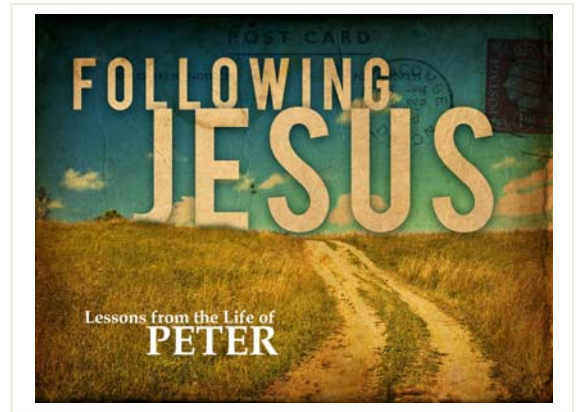


**Discussion guide for:
"Onward"
(Following Jesus session #17)**



Opening up

Has there ever been a period where your spiritual life seemed stuck?

What helped you get moving again?

Observing the scriptures

Read Acts 1:8 Note the various locations where the gospel was to spread

Review Acts 5, 9:14-25, 9:32-43 Note how Peter is moving in the same outward and onward direction.

For Discussion

1. What did the persecution of the church do to its outreach?
2. Note the events in Acts 9, in overcoming disease and death, how would the signs authenticate the truth of Peter's message? How did they relate to Jesus' miracles?
3. Why is it difficult for us to minister to the sub-cultures in our society as well as cultures that are foreign to us?
4. What role can we play in moving onward into these areas for Christ?
5. Where have you seen this at work?