

Series "The Acts Of God"
"Who Will God Accept?"
Acts 10:1-35
Study-19

Acts 10:9-16

Acts 10-11 – Peter's vision is told 2X and Cornelius' is told 4X.

Matthew 28:19-20

- 1. Verses 1-8 – Preparation Of Cornelius**
- 2. Verses 9-23 – Preparation Of Peter**
- 3. Verses 24-35 – Preparation Of Caesarea**

1. Verses 1-8 – Preparation Of Cornelius:

Acts 10:1

Acts 9:43

Acts 10:2

"a devout man," – "to be reverent, pious or godly"

Cornelius was not a Believer: Acts 11:14

John 3:3

Acts 10:3

Salvation Is Always Initiated by God – (Divine Sovereign Grace)

Acts 10:4

Matt 7:7-8

Acts 10:5

Joppa – "Beautiful"

John 10:16

Acts 10:6-7

Cornelius Cooperated With God – (Human Responsibility)

Acts 10:8

2. Verses 9-23 – Preparation Of Peter:

Acts 10:9

Peter is Seeking God: about the sixth hour to pray.

Acts 10:10

“trance,” – (distraction, disturbance) – “is passing out of ones self, being driven out of ones senses”

Acts 10:11

“a certain object like a great sheet coming down, lowered by four corners”; the great sheet is the Church.

Acts 10:12-14

Lev 11

Acts 10:15

1 Cor 6:9-11

Acts 10:16

“and immediately the object was taken up into the sky.” – The Church was born of God and the believers will return to God!

Acts 10:12 – crawling creatures of the earth; What is that? It is you and me!

Acts 10:17-19

The only way to understand this abolishing of the dietary laws is to see them as a dispensation, a period of time that God was using these foods to separate Israel from the world. Col 2:14

Col 2:16-17

Acts 10:20-23

Acts 11:12

3. Verses 24-35 – Preparation Of Caesarea:

Acts 10:24-29

Verses- 30-33 Cornelius Recounts His Vision:

Acts 10:34 Understand – “take hold of, to grasp with the mind”; We would say “I get it!”

Deut 10:17

Acts 10:35

Application:

1. When A Person Responds To The Light, God In Turn Gives Further Light, Leading To Jesus:
2. Having Salvation Should Humble Us, Not Inflate Us With Pride:
3. God’s Choosing Of Us Is His Business, But Believing Is Man’s: John 6:37