

2f Loving God/Loving Neighbor – Faith Family Devotional

Paul Is Changed

Acts 9:1-19

A man named Saul had made it his mission to throw in jail all the people who believed in Jesus. He was very cruel to the church. One day on his way to Damascus, a bright light shone down on him. Saul fell to his knees. Then a voice from heaven said, "Saul, why are you bullying me?" Saul realized that Jesus was talking to him. The men with him helped him to Damascus, because Saul was blind. God told a man named Ananias, who loved God, to go help Saul. Ananias obeyed God. Saul was filled with the Holy Spirit, and his sight was restored.

Verse of the Month

"As for us, we can't stop speaking about what we have seen and heard." Acts 4:20

What Do You Think?

How do you think Saul felt when Jesus, the person he had been bullying, spoke to him?

How do you think Ananias felt when God told him to go help Saul?

Family Activity

Talk about how Saul's life totally changed when Jesus spoke to him. Saul was given a new mission—take the good news to the Gentiles. How has knowing Jesus changed your life?

What plans do you think God has for your family? Is there a special group of people you could share the good news with?

Prayer

Dear God, thank you for loving us just the way we are. Show us what we can change in our lives to bring us closer to God; in Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.