








WEEKEND RECAP DISCUSSION GUIDE

 <p>SERIES & TITLE</p>	LOVE BEYOND...By Being Open to God's Leading
 <p>BIG IDEA</p>	If you want to hear God speak, listen for Him.
 <p>ICE BREAKER</p>	Have you ever experienced a “coincidence” that felt more like God moving? What was it?
 <p>MAIN POINTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• God cares about each of us and wants to guide us if we listen for his voice.• To understand Scripture fully, we need community. God often speaks through others.• God arranges "divine appointments" where we are in the right place at the right time to minister to others. We need to be spiritually aware to recognize these moments.• Our role is not to start anything new, but to join what God is already doing in people's lives.• We never know how powerfully sharing the gospel can impact someone, as with the Ethiopian eunuch. We need to be ready to share at any time.• If we want to hear God's voice, we need to actively listen for how he is leading us each day. God still speaks if we tune our hearts to him.
 <p>DISCUSS</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. How do you feel about the conflict between Israel and Palestine? Do you think Jesus' words about loving our enemies apply in this situation? Why or why not?2. The sermon asks if we believe God is still active and involved in the world today. What do you think? How have you experienced God's involvement in your life or in the world?3. Philip was open to God's leading and followed the Spirit's prompting to approach the Ethiopian eunuch. When have you sensed God leading you to talk to someone? What was the outcome?4. Do you think "divine appointments" really happen today? Why or why not? How can we be more aware of opportunities God might be putting in our path?
 <p>CHALLENGE</p>	Keep an open heart and mind to God's prompting this week! Ask God to set up “divine appointments” and for you to be faithful.
 <p>SCRIPTURE</p>	Acts 8:29-31 The Spirit told Philip, “Go to that chariot and stay near it.” Then Philip ran up to the chariot and heard the man reading Isaiah the prophet. “Do you understand what you are reading?” Philip asked. “How can I,” he said, “unless someone explains it to me?” So he invited Philip to come up and sit with him.

Acts 8:36 As they traveled along the road, they came to some water and the eunuch said, “Look, here is water. What can stand in the way of my being baptized?”



**NEXT WEEK
SNEAK PEAK**

Join us next week as we continue looking at the Book of Acts through the LOVE BEYOND! series.

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