

Acts 16:6-10

Game Changer! God's "Nos!" Are Actually "Yeses!"

The 2MJ: Acts 15:36-18:22 April 50AD to September 52AD

Began by Revisiting the Galatian Churches and Ended Up Going to Europe to Plant New Churches in the Key Cities of Philippi, Thessalonica and Corinth.

After Visiting the Galatian Churches, the Missionary Team Was Forbidden to Go to (Roman) Asia and Bithynia, so They Visited Troas Instead v6-8

- Many "No" Answers to Prayer are...
...Actually "Not Yet But Later" Answers
- When God Closes a Door We Wanted Open...
...He Will Open Another Door(s) He Wanted Open

After Receiving His "Macedonian Vision" Paul Made Plans for the Missionary Team to Travel to Europe (Macedonia and Achaia) v9-10

Q: Who in the world is "we/us?" A: Paul, Silas, Timothy and _____?

- While "Bigger" isn't Necessarily "Better" Quite Often God's "Vision" for Us Is Different (and Bigger) Than Our "Vision" for Us
- God's "Nos" are Actually "Yeses" // For Every Negative in the Bible There is Almost Always a Corresponding Positive and Usually in the Same Context

Take This To Heart

Relax and Rejoice! God Can and Does Use Us to Further His Program But He Does Not Need Our Help! So, We Can/Should Serve Him But While at the Same Time Never Notice How Great We Are But How Great He/His Grace Is.