



Life Group Study Questions*
Sent - Part 4 (Acts 3) "Raising Expectations"

- 1. What were the expectations of the lame man in Acts 3 before he met Peter and John? For what was he asking?**
- 2. What are the expectations of an average church attender on Sunday mornings? How should our expectations be different? How can we ensure that we don't get in a rut in our expectations, as the lame man did?**
- 3. This man came expecting to meet men, and he met God! Are you coming to Church to meet men or God?**
- 4. Peter says, "Look at us," to the man to get his attention. How does God get our attention? How has God gotten your attention?**
- 5. By putting yourself in Peter and John's shoes, how easy would it have been to just pass by this man? How many people do we just "pass by?" How can we see the world as Jesus sees it, and how can we be more attentive to the needs of others?**
- 6. How did Peter and John take a chance, physical meeting with someone and turn it into a divine appointment?**

Note that Peter and John were not on a mission trip; they were traveling to a place they regularly attended. How, then, are you relying on the Holy Spirit to guide and empower you in your day-to-day routine and encounters with others?

- 7. How is this story one of obedience?
How have you been affected personally by others' obedience to Christ?
Share a time when you were obedient to the Holy Spirit's prompting and He blessed a "chance encounter" with another person.
How can we be available to future opportunities to serve?**

* For quality discussion take time to answer all questions as thoroughly as possible