

International Bible Lessons Commentary

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Application — Five Takeaways August 27, 2017 Acts 10:19-33

- 1. God used the words and example of Jesus when Peter walked with Him, a vision, commands from the Holy Spirit, the arrival of three men just as the Holy Spirit told him, and the confirming words of a righteous and God-fearing Gentile to show Peter that he could and should preach the gospel to Gentiles who had not first converted to Judaism.
- 2. In addition to what the Scriptures say, God will sometimes use other people and historical or personal events to show us how we are to serve Him and others.
- 3. Rather than label someone impure or unclean to avoid them, Peter learned Christians are called and responsible to share the gospel of Jesus Christ with everyone.
- 4. Rather than blindly obey the interpretations of God's law by others, we need to prayerfully study and obey the Bible with the Holy Spirit to help.
- 5. We need to overcome all prejudice and joyfully tell all people about Jesus.

Your Application — Your Takeaway Notes

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