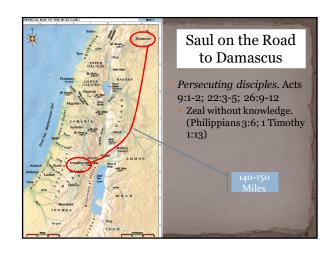
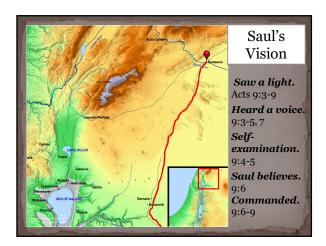


History & Character Of Saul Born of a great race. Acts 22:3; Philippians 3:5 Educated. Acts 22:3 Religious. Acts 26:4-5 Zealous. Galatians 1:14; Acts 22:3 Conscientious. Acts 23:1; 24:16; 26:9ff

History & Character Of Saul Persecuted the church. Galatians 1:13; 1 Timothy 1:13 Imprisoned disciples. Acts 8:3; 22:4 Compelled them to blaspheme. Acts 26:11 Voted to kill them. Acts 26:10; 7:58; 22:20 Traveled to strange cities to find Christians. Acts 26:11; 9:1-2 Chief of sinners. 1 Timothy 1:15; cf. Eph. 3:8





Why The Vision?

Not to save him.
To learn what to do in the city. Acts 9:6
Still lost after the vision. Acts 9:7-9

Saul saw the vision and heard the voice of Christ to qualify him to be an apostle. Acts 22:14-15; 26:16-18; 1 Corinthians 9:1
We need not expect these in our case!

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Saul's Conversion

Believed that Jesus is the Christ. Acts 9:4-5

- Jesus did not speak "Peace" to him. Why?
- Emphasis on "Must." Acts 9:6

<u>Repentance</u> – Miserable for three days.

Acts 9:9

Preacher sent. Acts 9:10-11

Taught what to do. Acts 22:16

Baptized, his agony passed away. Acts 9:18-19

Why Was Saul Converted To Christ?

Paul was persuaded. 2 Timothy 1:12; Acts 26:29

Conclusion:

Saul begins his life of faith in Christ and sacrifice in His service.

Galatians 2:20 "I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I that live, but Christ living in me: and that (life) which I now live in the flesh I live in faith, (the faith) which is in the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself up for me."

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