

7 EASY WAYS TO DERAIL THE CHURCH



May 28 & 29, 2022

⁴² The soldiers wanted to kill the prisoners to make sure they didn't swim ashore and escape.

⁴³ But the commanding officer wanted to spare Paul, so he didn't let them carry out their plan. Then he ordered all who could swim to jump overboard first and make for land.

- Acts 27:42-43 NLT

Reflect

Read the full passage in your Bible - Acts 27:27-44

What word or phrase is the Holy Spirit highlighting from the scripture reading?

What might be God's invitation to you in this?

What might be God's challenge to you in this?

How might God be calling you to respond?

Be curious...and then do it.

TAKE IT DEEPER



Pray

Take a moment to be still in God's presence...(after a moment) offer this prayer: "Lord Jesus, I'm here to connect with you, to just be with you as your child."

Invite God to show you if you've become complacent in your faith (and to not be afraid to take an honest look at this).

Thank God that he has the power to awaken hearts, and reawaken hearts...like yours!

Live It Out

Taking a risk to live like Jesus can be uncomfortable, even scary. Start with prayer...what risk might Jesus be calling to you to take this week to be more like him, to live the Gospel? Trust Jesus for the confidence that he is with you and for the courage to act. Make a plan and do it!