



1) Read Acts 17:16-17... Paul's observation of the people of Athens generated a significant response within him, which then spring him into action. Has there been a time in your life when you similarly saw what was happening and felt stirred by God to do something about it?

2) Andy described two groups of philosophers in this way:

Epicureanism

A life free of pain

A life that maximizes pleasure

"Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow we die"

No gods – no problem

Stoicism

"I can figure this out"

A life that maximizes virtue

"Be ready... you can handle it"

A mind made everything... so use yours!

How would you say those philosophies match up to what people believe today?

3) Andy said "Paul knew that everyone is, at the core, 'religious'". Do you agree with Andy's assertion?

If so, how have you seen that at work in people you know who are from away from Christ?

4) Read 1 Corinthians 9:18-23... How does Paul demonstrate what he said in 1 Corinthians 9 through the actions we see in Acts 17?

5) Was there anything else that stood out to you from Andy's sermon on Acts 17?