



- Breaking Barriers-

Ice-Breaker:

- **Growing up, what was something you thought made you “good” enough (a ritual, a behavior, or a tradition)? How has your view of that changed?**

Discussion Questions:

Read Acts 10:1-2, 22, 44-48 and Romans 3:23-24

1. Why do you think “good people” can struggle to see their need for Jesus?

Read Acts 10:34-36 and Revelation 7:9

2. How does the Gospel break down walls of race, culture, and background?
3. What’s one way your life group/church can better reflect the unity of Christ across differences?

Read Acts 10:9-16 and Colossians 2:16-17

4. Do God’s dietary laws still apply today? What about His moral laws?
5. Why do people still tend to add rituals or regulations as requirements for being accepted by God?
6. What are some subtle ways people today can put leaders, traditions, or even good things in the place of Jesus?

Application:

- **Identify one “Cornelius” in your life—someone who seems moral or religious but still needs the Gospel. Pray for them by name.**