



## **UE3: ROAD TRIP**

### **BIBLE STUDY**

This is a Bible study for your group to use with Urban Entry's "Road Trip" video. The study is designed to be about an hour, including the opening conversation and the "Road Trip" video. Review the study and questions ahead of time to decide what material is most helpful for the purposes of your group.

If you want to use a more general discussion guide, you will find one at [www.urbanentry.org](http://www.urbanentry.org).

#### **OPENING CONVERSATION** (before watching the DVD):

- Who are some people in the Bible who crossed cultures in their work, family, or other parts of their lives?

#### **DVD – 15 MINUTES**

#### **BIBLE STUDY: PAUL – A MAN WHO CROSSED CULTURES** (after watching the DVD):

- Describe Paul's cultural background. Was that background important to him? How did it influence his understanding of God?
  - Romans 3:1-2; Phil. 3:4-11; Acts 9:1-19
  - What is your cultural background? Is that background important to you? How does it influence your understanding of God?
- How did Paul give up his culture or suffer in crossing cultures? Did Paul lose his culture or become "color-blind" to do this?
  - 1 Cor. 9:19-23; Gal. 2:11-21; Phil. 3:7-11; 2 Cor. 11:21-29
  - When have you suffered in crossing cultures?
- Paul stressed unity among Christ's followers of different ages, cultures, genders, and class. Why does Paul call for unity among diverse believers?
  - Gal. 3:26-29; Eph. 3:6-13; 2 Cor. 5:16-20; 1 Tim. 6:17-19
  - What motivates your work for reconciliation and unity?
- How does Paul expect communities to deal with diverse cultures?
  - 1 Cor. 12:12-26; Gal. 5:1-6, 13-15; Phil. 2:1-5; Rom. 14:13-23
  - How does your church or group deal with diverse cultures?