Acts 16:9–15

1. Paul had a vision in the middle of the night. In it, a man from Macedonia pleaded with him. He said, “Come over to Macedonia and help us.” Paul and his people knew they had to listen.

2. They started in Troas and sailed to many places, including Samothrace, Neapolis, and Philippi, in Macedonia. Once they arrived in Philippi, they remained there for a few days.

3. On the sabbath day, they went to a gate outside the river and spoke to a group of women gathered there. One of them, a purple cloth dealer named Lydia, listened eagerly to what Paul said.

4. God opened Lydia’s heart to Paul’s words and she and her household were baptized. She told Paul, “If you believe I am faithful to God, come and stay at my home.” She convinced them!