## Week 14: Acts 16:16-18

# ACTS2

# Tradition Versus Traditionalism

TODAY'S VERSES:

#### Acts 16:16-18

Matthew 9:13

Genesis 2:18

Psalm 33:20

Genesis 1:27-28

Luke 8

Luke 10:39

Luke 24

Acts 16:1-2

2 Timothy 1:5

2 Timothy 3:14-15

Acts 16:13-15

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#### **Easter**

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#### **Good Friday**

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#### BIG IDEA:

Reading Scripture alongside tradition is different than reading Scripture through a lens of tradition. God wants us to be a people who trust the words of Scripture over our own opinions that we have turned into traditionalism.

#### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

What is the difference between reading the Bible WITH tradition as opposed to THROUGH tradition?"

Why is reading the Bible THROUGH tradition a problem?

Do you feel or have you ever felt like the Bible is oppressive towards women? After hearing the message, has that opinion changed?

Who do you think of when you hear the term helper?

What does it actually mean biblically?

In what ways have you seen traditionalism overshadowed grace?

How has God changed some of your views to be more biblically based versus opinion based?

Name some ways that women were elevated by Jesus in His ministry.

Using the slave girl as our example, what does the fact that Jesus set her free from her dark mess tell us about what Jesus desires for us?

If you are willing, share a dark place where Jesus stepped in and set you free. If you are currently in a dark place and feel comfortable sharing, tell your GC about it and pray over the situation together.

