



# newlife link

## UNCOMFORTABLE

Paul – Life on the Line

## Discussion Points

June 10, 2018

### Read & Reflect:

1. Read Acts 20:13-38. -- Imagine yourself sitting there in this meeting with Paul. As you listen to him what emotions and reactions do you have about the way he has lived his life?

### Explore:

2. How would you assess your “humility meter” when it comes to serving? Conversely, how would you assess your level of celebration (of the gospel) when it comes to serving?
3. What could guard you from being egotistic when serving? How can you take satisfaction in what God is doing in and through you?
4. What for the sake of the gospel breaks your heart? How do you tend to react in those situations?

<input type="checkbox"/> I want to fix it	<input type="checkbox"/> It reminds me where hope lies	<input type="checkbox"/> It gives me a sense of urgency
<input type="checkbox"/> I weep	<input type="checkbox"/> I despair	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> I give advice	<input type="checkbox"/> I pray	
5. Think of an instance in your life that you consider a trial or a time when you think God should have helped you out? --- “I think he used that time. . .

<input type="checkbox"/> To strengthen my character	<input type="checkbox"/> To deepen my faith
<input type="checkbox"/> To show me his grace	<input type="checkbox"/> To accomplish something unknown to me
<input type="checkbox"/> To advance the gospel	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

### Pray:

- “Lord God, I give you the praise and glory for the good things you've placed in my life, and I ask you to break my arrogance in any areas of personal pride.”
- “Father God, thank you for your promise to walk with us through the valley and in the darkness. All I have needed your hand has provided. I know that you will never abandon me, and it is on that truth that I am able to stand during my times of sorrow.”