



2/16/25 Expedition III: Part 3 - How Will You Spend the Time You've Been Given?

1. When was the first time you realized that your time on earth was limited? How has that knowledge changed you?
2. Read Acts 20:13-38. As Paul traveled on his way to Jerusalem, he passed by Ephesus in verse 16. Why do you think he stopped for about 4 to 5 days in Miletus to wait for the elders of the church at Ephesus 30 miles away to come to him?
3. How do you imagine Paul teaching from house to house as mentioned in vs 20?
4. What clues do you see in this passage that point to a great mutual love between Paul and these elders?
5. What responsibilities were given by Paul or the Holy Spirit to the elders of the church at Ephesus?
6. Who do you think of as your elders today who are caring for you in those ways?
7. Who has God put into your life for you to care for and protect?

Other verses to consider: Acts 14:23, 1 Timothy 3:1-7, 1 Peter 5:1-11