

“Why Is Life So Weird? Why the Twists and Turns?”

A couple questions to get our discussion started:

1) Have you ever thought to yourself, “How did I end up here? I’m living in the Elk Grove/Wilton area, I’ve given my life to Christ, and now I’m serving Him here in my family and my community?” What circumstances did it take to bring you to this place in your life?

2) Jed points out that all the twists and turns in the life of Paul were what God had used to bring the gospel to the Corinthians in the first place; that God doesn’t do random! And, that Paul and his companions were not insincere salesmen, peddling some product for profit, but rather preaching the gospel in the sight of God, answering only to Him. Of all the difficulties and troubles that Paul and the others experienced on their missionary journeys, how could Paul say that he was being led by Christ in His triumphal procession, bringing the fragrant aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved?