



Small Group/ Reflection Notes

	07-06-2020	She sold purple cloth
 Read	Philippians 1:1-11 & Acts 16:11-15	 Listen again ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk/Watch ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk/Talks
 Discuss	<input type="checkbox"/> When do/ have you witnessed racism? <input type="checkbox"/> Why is it necessary to say, Black Lives Matter? <input type="checkbox"/> If someone is said to have been 'born with a silver spoon in their mouth', what does that mean? What is 'white privilege'?	
 Go further	<input type="checkbox"/> v.3 What are you thankful to God about for each person in this small group? <input type="checkbox"/> v.4 Take a moment to pray, thanking God for each other. <input type="checkbox"/> v.6 Coming to faith often begins with a 'moment'. Tell us about yours? <input type="checkbox"/> v.6 What's the difference between <i>belief</i> and <i>discipleship</i> ? What is whole-life 'access-all-areas' discipleship? <input type="checkbox"/> Acts 16 v.14 Lydia traded with the Romans. What happens when we collude with Empire? How/when do we collude with 'Empire'? <input type="checkbox"/> Acts 16:15 Why/how is God's <i>Kingdom</i> different to our <i>Empires</i> ?	
 Reflect	<input type="checkbox"/> Which one verse stands out to you? Why do you think it grabs your attention? <input type="checkbox"/> Which verse(s) will you need to think more about? Why? <input type="checkbox"/> How are you privileged? <input type="checkbox"/> What does it feel to be in the minority? What does <i>Kingdom</i> do?	
 Do	<input type="checkbox"/> Read Ben Lindsay's book, <i>We Need To Talk About Race: Understanding the Black Experience in White Majority Churches</i> (2019) NB There are 11 copies purchased by Chester Road Baptist Church that are in circulation	
 Pray	<i>Dear God, Search my heart. I am sorry when I _____. Teach me the difference between our Empires and Your Kingdom. Give me the grace, courage, and strength to _____. Your Kingdom come, Your will be done, here on earth as it is in heaven. Amen</i>	
 My question:		



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