## **More Than Hearing Worksheet**

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Text: Acts 16:9-15

9 During the night Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." 10 When he had seen the vision, we immediately tried to cross over to Macedonia, being convinced that God had called us to proclaim the good news to them.

## *The Conversion of Lydia*

11 We set sail from Troas and took a straight course to Samothrace, the following day to Neapolis, 12 and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city for some days.

13 On the sabbath day we went outside the gate by the river, where we supposed there was a place of prayer; and we sat down and spoke to the women who had gathered there. 14 A certain woman named Lydia, a worshiper of God, was listening to us; she was from the city of Thyatira and a dealer in purple cloth. The Lord opened her heart to listen eagerly to what was said by Paul. 15 When she and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, "If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home." And she prevailed upon us.

## Eye - I, People - I/S, Self - I/S

Smarts	Images in the text	Illustrations	SFX
Word - Verbal/Linguistic			
Eye - Visual/Spatial	Vs. 11 - 12	For heaven's sake, get a map to show your people where all these places are! Include in the bulletin or display on screen. They went about 150 miles from Troas to Philippi.  http://www.bible-history.com/new-testament/pauls-second-missionary-journey.gif	
Math - Logical/Mathematical			
Body - Kinesthetic			

Musical			
Natural			
People - Interpersonal	where we supposed there was a place of prayer	Would this place be a common meeting place? Or a specific area designated for worship? They were in a Roman colony; it is likely there was no place for them to gather officially.	Discuss: If you were in a new place, what is the first familiar thing you would seek? Why? If you were looking to find people who you understood you were supposed to meet, where would you go?
Self - Intrapersonal	Paul had a vision  The Lord opened her heart	Visions in Scripture used to inspire people to action, correct a course of action, communicate a promise. Sometimes they were direct, sometimes they required interpretation. Some were prophetic. They are understood to be different from dreams as they occur while the recipient is awake.	Have you ever had a vision? Would you define it as a clear idea or thought? A gut feeling? A sense that you needed to do or not do something?  ***  How far would you be willing to travel to share the gospel with someone?  ***  What would it be like for
	heart		What would it be like for the Lord to open your heart? What in your heart needs to be opened to the Lord? What do you want to keep closed?