LEADER TRAINING

WINTER 2026-27
Unit 2, Session 3

JESUS SENDS

ACTS 6:8-15; 7:1-8,54-60

BIBLE STUDIES FOR LIFE

What are students discussing this week?

LEVELS OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

COMMUNITY AND WORLD

God calls Christians to live on mission for the sake of reaching the lost across the street and around the world through prayer, giving resources, acting with love, and sharing the gospel.

THE QUESTION

What role does facing adversity play in sharing Jesus with others?

THE POINT

Sharing about Jesus can be difficult but is an essential task until He calls us home.

MEMORY VERSE

Stephen, full of the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven. He saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God.

Acts 7:55, CSB

What should I consider when leading students in this discussion?

Difficult times will come. When we follow Jesus, this is a guarantee and not simply a possibility. Students, like us, live in a world that is growing increasingly hostile to the Christian faith. Help students see that Jesus told His followers this would happen.

Help students see that just because challenging times come, it does not change our calling to reach people for Jesus, even if people don't like us. Stephen is a great example of someone who followed Jesus until his dying breath.

How can I pray for students this week?

PRAY

Pray that students persevere in the midst of potential friend loss or other circumstances, and that they say yes to Jesus and no to the world.