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**Peter**  
***BUT GOD*—Part 5**

The But God story in \_\_\_\_\_ life  
may very well be what God uses to bring about  
a But God story in \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ life

Acts 10

When it comes to how we see people and respond to people, we often say,

“Not \_\_\_\_\_ and not \_\_\_\_\_.”

But God wants to change how we see people and how we respond to people  
so that we no longer see them and respond to them through our \_\_\_\_\_ perspective,  
but rather through \_\_\_\_\_ perspective.

**PONDER & APPLY**

1. Think back through your own life. When were you impacted by someone else seeing you and responding to you the way God led them to do so?
2. How does it make you feel to know that even someone used by God as greatly as Peter had been previous to this story in Acts 10, still had areas of their life where God wanted to change them and help them to grow and mature? Is there an area of your life where God has shown you lately that He wants to work on in order to change you?
3. When Cornelius was told by God to send for Peter, Cornelius had to trust that God was at work on the other end of things bringing Peter to the place where he would be willing to come and visit Cornelius. Is there something specific that God is at work doing in your life right now where you also have to trust that God is at work on the other end of things? If so, what is it? Instead of trusting that God is at work on the other end of things, what are some ways that we try to shortcut the process and make things happen on our own instead of trusting God to work?
4. Do you have someone in your life that you've said, “Not them, not me,” about, when God told you to reach out to them? Would you be willing to stop right now and admit that to God and allow Him to change how you see and respond to that person?