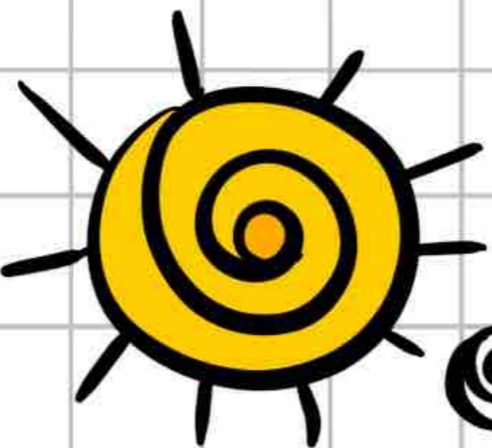


asked for authority to capture Christians

Three years of chaos when Roman empire lost temp control



© Saul Introduced

such 'VIP' in history of Christianity but painted as a villain!

Where is the credibility?
Nothing of personal qualification

This is not just abt. conversion of Paul BUT MIGHTINESS of GOD!!

vs accolades, accomplishments, qualification

(What only matter is our encounter with God)

God used this opportunity to change Anaias so that he would not obstruct His work thro' Paul

© Saul Approached by God's call to Anaias

Reluctance

- We treasure our lives;
- we do not qualify;
- we want to be in control

- God's Call formula
- 1 This is God
 - 2 Here I am
 - 3 Do this
 - 4 No-no
 - 5 Don't worry
 - 6 Okay

© Saul's calling to suffering

discrepancy in the message?

Jesus went thro' @ same passage

suffering expected @ filling of Holy Spirit

To be filled @ the Spirit =

Suffer for the sake of @ gospel

* Discipleship & Suffering goes hand in hand

* Mission Work - obey @ calling

called to qualify not qualified to called

Follow me! do not be afraid

called to

Saul-to-Paul



make a difference

ACTS 9:1-19

Be filled and yield

"Wherever He leads - I will go"