

Group Conversation Guide

Week of June 18

SERIES: Ordinary People, Acts of God

TITLE: BOLD

Scripture: Acts 3–4 (NIV)

BEFORE YOUR MEETING

- Watch or attend Pastor Jay Austin's message at Church at Viera: churchatviera.com/live/

BEGINNING THE CONVERSATION

1. When was a time you had to step out of your comfort zone?
2. Who is someone you consider "bold," and what stands out about them?

STUDY TOGETHER

Read Acts 3:1–3

- Bold people see what is broken instead of avoiding it
- What "broken places" do we tend to walk past in life?
- What would change if we truly noticed people the way Jesus does?

Read Acts 3:4–7

- Bold people act in Jesus' name, not their own strength
- What do you think it means to give "what you have" today?
- Where are you tempted to rely on your own ability instead of Jesus' power?

Read Acts 3:7–10

- Bold People Celebrate What God Does
- How does seeing God's work in others build your faith?
- Where have you seen God bring transformation in someone's life?

Read Acts 4:1–7

- Bold people stand for Jesus even when it is dangerous
- What pressures make it hard to speak about Jesus today?
- Why do you think opposition often follows obedience?
- How do you respond when your faith is challenged?

Read Acts 4:8–12

- Bold people know who and what they are willing to die for
- What stands out to you about Peter’s boldness?
- Why is it important that Peter was “filled with the Holy Spirit”?
- How can we explain Jesus to someone who doesn’t know Him?

Read Acts 4:13

- Bold people carry the unmistakable imprint of Jesus
- How can time with Jesus change the way we live and speak?
- What do you observe about others who have spent time with Jesus?

Read Acts 4:18–20

- Bold people bow only to the authority of Jesus
- Where or when is it hardest to stand for Jesus?
- What does it mean to say, “We cannot help speaking about what we have seen and heard”?

Read Acts 4:23–24

- Bold people respond with worship
- What does this teach us about community and faith?
- How do you typically respond after hard or stressful moments?

WORSHIP TOGETHER

- **I Speak Jesus | Charity Gayle ft. Steven Musso**
[youtube.com/watch?v=nsathUyznTw&list=RDnsathUyznTw&start_radio=1](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nsathUyznTw&list=RDnsathUyznTw&start_radio=1)

PRAYER TOGETHER

Pray for:

- Boldness to live and speak the name of Jesus
- Eyes to see brokenness around us
- Courage under pressure
- A deeper dependence on the Holy Spirit
- A life that reflects Jesus