Sermon Outline by Scott Nichols 8-18-19 "Living Out God's Mission for My Life" Acts 11:19-30

God often uses trouble to accomplish his will in our lives. That was true for Jesus' first followers as recorded in Acts 11:19-30. God used the turmoil of persecution, unexpected moves, and new experiences to grow the church. The small band of believers in Antioch risked dramatic change for the sake of the Great Commission. In response, God blessed that church and extended the mission to a whole new people group. You and I don't always control the circumstances of our lives, but we always have the opportunity to serve Jesus right where we find ourselves.

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•	When disciples "speak the word" and 'testify about Jesus," they are being
•	When disciples learn and grow, they become
•	When disciples hear about a need, they are called to
•	Living out God's mission requires risk. Don't be afraid.
•	Growing God's people requires teamwork. Don't serve alone.
•	Caring for God's people requires sacrifice. Don't hold back.