

From One Person to Another

Acts 18:18–28

Paul stayed in Corinth for some time. He then left the brothers and sisters and sailed for Syria, accompanied by Priscilla and Aquila. Before he sailed, he had his hair cut off at Cenchreae because of a vow he had taken. They arrived at Ephesus, where Paul left Priscilla and Aquila.

Meanwhile a Jew named Apollos, a native of Alexandria, came to Ephesus. He was a learned man, with a thorough knowledge of the Scriptures. He had been instructed in the way of the Lord, and he spoke with great fervor and taught about Jesus accurately, though he knew only the baptism of John. He began to speak boldly in the synagogue. When Priscilla and Aquila heard him, they invited him to their home and explained to him the way of God more adequately.

When Apollos wanted to go to Achaia, the brothers and sisters encouraged him and wrote to the disciples there to welcome him. When he arrived, he was a great help to those who by grace had believed. For he vigorously refuted his Jewish opponents in public debate, proving from the Scriptures that Jesus was the Messiah.



Photo: From one to another, we tell others about Jesus.

Every Day with God

All along Paul's journeys he preached and taught. Some of those who heard his message like Priscilla and Aquila followed his ways and taught others about the message that Paul preached. Apollos was someone who was also teaching but his lack of knowledge motivated Priscilla and Aquila to help him improve his knowledge of Jesus.

This is the way Jesus had intended his word to be delivered, from one person to another person. Not much has changed today. We hear God's word, tell others, and they tell others and others. In reality, not too much has changed.

Prayer: Thank you, Jesus, for giving me the gift to tell others.