

Read Acts 8:26-33

26 As for Philip, an angel of the Lord said to him, “Go south down the desert road that runs from Jerusalem to Gaza.”

27 So he started out, and he met the treasurer of Ethiopia, a man of great authority under the Kandake, the queen of Ethiopia. The man had gone to Jerusalem to worship, **28** and he was now returning. Seated in his carriage, he was reading aloud from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

29 The Holy Spirit said to Philip, “Go over and walk along beside the carriage.”

30 Philip ran over and heard the man reading from the prophet Isaiah. Philip asked, “Do you understand what you are reading?”

31 The man replied, “How can I, unless someone instructs me?” And he urged Philip to come up into the carriage and sit with him.

32 The passage of Scripture he had been reading was this: “He was led like a sheep to the slaughter. And as a lamb is silent before the shearers, he did not open his mouth.

33 He was humiliated and received no justice. Who can speak of his descendants? For his life was taken from the earth.”

When Philip was done with Simon, what happened next (v. 26)? An angel met Philip and told him to go down to the desert road.

When Philip obeyed the angel, who did he meet on the road (v. 27)? A man who was very important from the country of Ethiopia in Africa. He was the treasurer who controlled all the money that the Queen of Ethiopia owned.

Where had the treasurer been (v. 27)? In Jerusalem **What had he been doing there?** Worshipping God. **Now where was he going (v. 28)?** Back to Ethiopia.

What was he reading while he was traveling along in the carriage (v. 28)? The book of the prophet Isaiah.

What did the Holy Spirit tell Philip to do (v. 29)? Go over and walk along beside the carriage.

When Philip obeyed the leading of the Holy Spirit, what did he hear (v. 30)? He heard the man reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

What did he ask the man? If he understood what he was reading.

What did the man say (v. 31)? No, I can’t understand it. I need someone to help me. Can you help me?

What was the man reading (vv. 32-33)? (Read vv. 32-33) This passage was from Isaiah 53:7-8.

Who was the passage talking about? Jesus and His crucifixion.