



**SERMON TITLE**

**WHEN HE REROUTES YOU**

**SERIES**

**MOVE WITH THE WIND**

**DATE**

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**KEY SCRIPTURE**

**Acts 8:26-40**

**SYNOPSIS**

When God moves you somewhere that makes no sense and never tells you why, obey anyway—the Spirit doesn't reroute you for less.

**HIGHLIGHTS**



## **BIG IDEA**

The Spirit will move you off a road that's working to reach the one person only you could reach. You won't always see why. Move with Him anyway.

"Those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God." (Romans 8:14)

### **Notes:**

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## **OUT — before it makes sense**

Philip was in the middle of a revival, and the Spirit sent him to an empty desert road. No reason given. When the glory's here, we want to pitch a tent and stay.

**The wind doesn't camp. And it won't let you camp either.**

"Go south to the road... that goes down from Jerusalem to Gaza." (Acts 8:26)

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## **IN - to the one you couldn't see**

The reroute had an address: one chariot, one man. An Ethiopian official the Law had kept on the outside. And the Spirit sent Philip to bring him all the way in.

**Always close. Never in.**

"...an everlasting name that will not be cut off." (Isaiah 56:5)

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## **THE WATER**

The man who'd spent his whole life being told what stood in the way asked it one more time—and this time the answer was nothing. He went down a man kept out and came up a man who is in.

**"What can stand in the way?" ... Nothing.**

"Look, here is water. What can stand in the way of my being baptized?" (Acts 8:36)

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**ON – to fruit you may never see**

The Spirit carried Philip off the second the man came up. Two men carried opposite directions—the eunuch home to Ethiopia, possibly carrying the gospel to a whole nation. Philip never knew. You'll do the small, rerouted thing and file it under nothing. Obey anyway.

**The Spirit doesn't reroute you for less. He knows what he's reaching, even when you don't.**

*"The Spirit of the Lord suddenly took Philip away." (Acts 8:39)*

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**THE GOSPEL**

The eunuch was reading about a Servant who was *cut off*—never knowing the words described the One who came to bring him in. Jesus took the exclusion so the excluded wouldn't be anymore. That's why nothing stood in the way of the water.

**Jesus was cut off so we could be carried.**

*"...he was cut off from the land of the living." (Isaiah 53:8)*

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**MAKE IT PERSONAL**

What's standing in the way this morning? For most of us it's not a place to go—it's a situation we didn't choose and can't fix. You're not deciding whether to go. You're already there. Stop praying *get me out*. Start praying *carry me through*.

**Not "get me out." "Carry me through."**

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