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Scene Two

Peter has a vision of all kinds of animals.—Acts 10:9-23

Scene Three

The dots connect, and Peter visits Cornelius.

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1. God is a God for ALL people.
 - The Holy Spirit must destroy all biases and prejudices in our lives.
 - The ground at the foot of the cross is level.
 - You can't reach people you don't love!
2. God is a God of PROCESS.
 - It begins with Dorcas, the dead lady.—Acs 9:40-42
 - It continued with Simon the tanner.—Acts 9:43
 - It continued with Cornelius the Gentile.—Acts 10:1
3. The Good News exponentially explodes when we let Him drill down in our lives.—Acts 13:1-3

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