

Paul in Athens

1. Paul says, "I see that you are very religious in every way. As I walked around, I looked carefully at the things you worship. I even found an altar with to an unknown god written on it. So you don't know what you are worshipping. Now I am going to tell you about this 'unknown god.'"

2. "...God created the world and everything in it so that people would seek him. And perhaps they would reach out for him and find him. They would find him even though he is not far from any of us."

3. 'In him we live and move and exist.'
As some of your own poets have also said, 'We are his children.'

4. "Yes, we are God's children. So we shouldn't think that God is made out of gold or silver or stone. He isn't a statue planned and made by clever people.

5. When they heard Paul talk about people being raised from the dead, some of them made fun of him. Others said, "We want to hear you speak more on this!"

6. Paul told people about Jesus. We can be bold and share about Jesus, too.

Reflection Questions:

1. Is there anything about Paul that is interesting, surprising, or encouraging to you?
2. Paul shared about Jesus. We can be bold and do that too. How could you do that?