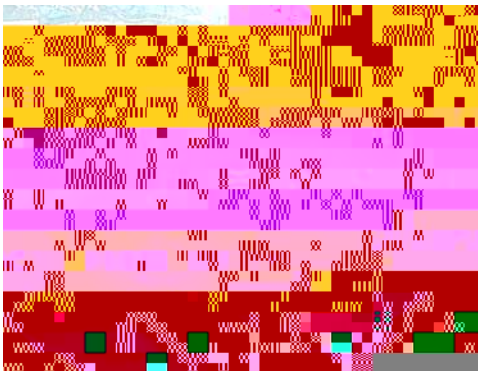




By now I'm feeling pretty sorry for myself. It was cold, it was dark, I was stranded in a dead car in South







reality. Specifically we noted that ABCUSA is already a multi-ethnic denomination, but what does that mean for our ministry as we move into the future.

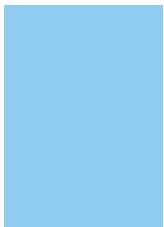
This is truly one of those difficult conversations. I would not be so bold as to suggest that I know all of the reasons why talking about multiculturalism is difficult, but two reasons come quickly to mind. First, the "right" people are rarely in the room when we begin a conversation about multiculturalism. Who are the right people? They are the people with the power. We often do not recognize power dynamics but they are real, particularly in places like the church. And the reality of the power dynamic is that power has











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