Reading Questions for: "Travel and Communication in the New Testament." In *The New Interpreter's Dictionary of the Bible*. Nashville: Abingdon Press, 2009, 5.652–56.

As you read this article consider the following five questions:

- 1. How did the Roman Road system help to facilitate the spread of early Christianity?
- 2. How did the *Pax Romana* facilitate travel in the early Roman Empire?
- 3. How were letters, like those found in the New Testament, principally sent in the first century A.D.?
- 4. What were some of the perils of ancient travel?
- 5. How fast could people, or news, travel in the ancient world?