

How God Works – From the Book of Acts

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02 Act of God	Dec	1:26	The 11 apostles cast lots to choose the new apostle, Matthias, trusting that God controlled the result.
02 Act of God	Action	16:26-27	An earthquake miraculously opened the prison doors and caused everyone's chains to come off. The jailor planned to kill himself, thinking the prisoners had escaped, but they all stayed there.
02 Agabus	Action	11:27-28	The prophet Agabus showed by the Spirit that there would be a famine throughout the world.
02 Agabus	Action	21:10-11	Agabus prophesied that if Paul went to Jerusalem, the Jews would bind Paul and deliver him to the Romans. The decision was up to Paul
02 God	Action	2:47	God added to the church those people who were being saved.
02 God	Action	19:11-12	God gave Paul unusual miraculous ability, so that even cloth that had touched his body would heal people.
02 Visions	Dir	10:9-17	Peter saw a vision of animals and a voice telling him to "kill and eat"—three times. He did not know what it meant to begin with, but later understood.
02 Visions	Dir	16:8-12	Paul received a vision to go to Macedonia from Troas. All the disciples concluded it was from the Lord and they went.
02 Women Leaders	Action	16:14-15	Merchant woman Lydia was baptized with her household and she offered Paul and his companions a place to stay.
02 Women Leaders	Dir	18:26-	Priscilla and Aquila accepted the good that Apollos did and helped him with his "doctrinal error".
06 Angel	Dir	1:10-11	Two angels told the disciples to stop gazing into heaven—Christ will come back!
06 Angel	Action	5:17-19	An angel let the apostles out of the prison in which they were incarcerated.
06 Angel	Dir	5:20-21	An angel told the apostles to go back to the temple and preach—even though they had just been jailed for doing it!

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06 Angel	Dir	10:1-8	An Angel told Cornelius, the first Roman to be baptized, to send for Peter; who was in Joppa.
06 Angel	Action	12:6-11	An angel took the chains off Peter's hands and escorted him out of prison, opening the gates as he went.
06 Angel	Dir	27:21-27	An angel told Paul that he must go to Rome and that all in the ship would be saved alive when they would run aground on an island. Paul conveyed the angel's message to the people on the ship and encouraged them to eat.
06 Jesus	Dir	1:4-8	Jesus Christ told the apostles not to be concerned with the time of His return, but to take the gospel to the ends of the earth.
06 Jesus	Dir	9:1-9	Just when Saul was about to bring the biggest persecution ever on the Church, Jesus showed up as a bright light and spoke Saul, reversing the course of his life. The men with Saul did not see anyone or understand the voice (Acts 22:9). So today, if someone tells us that Jesus spoke to them, but others at the same place and time say they witnessed nothing, are we sure that the person who "heard from Jesus" is wrong?
06 Jesus	Dir	9:10-16	In a vision, Jesus directed Ananias to go pray for Saul to receive his sight and to give him his commission to preach the Gospel. Ananias reminded Jesus of the danger that Saul posed, but Jesus was patient with him.
06 Jesus	Dir	18:9-17	Jesus, in a vision, told Paul to keep teaching in Corinth, that nobody would be able to harm him. Paul taught 18 months. The Jews brought him before the proconsul Gallio, but Gallio refused to adjudicate a religious matter. The Jews beat Sosthenes, the synagogue ruler who became a believer, but not Paul
06 Jesus	Dir	22:17-21	Jesus appeared to Paul in a trance while he was praying in the temple and told him that Jerusalem church would not accept his testimony now, so he should go teach the Gentiles.
06 Jesus	Dir	23:11	Jesus stood by Paul and told him that he must bear witness for Him in Rome.
10 Holy Spirit	Action	02:01-14	The Holy Spirit came upon the believers gathered on Pentecost and caused them to speak so that people from many nations could hear them speak, each in their own language..
10 Holy Spirit	Action	05:01-11	The Spirit revealed to Peter that Ananias and Sapphira would die for lying about the proceeds from their real estate sales.

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10 Holy Spirit	Dir	10:18-23	The Spirit told Peter to go with Cornelius' servants, doubting nothing.
10 Holy Spirit	Action	10:44-46	The Holy Spirit was poured out on Cornelius and his household while Peter was still speaking and they spoke with tongues. The believers watching were shocked—this was not the order taught in Acts 2:38.
10 Holy Spirit	Dir	13:01-4	The Holy Spirit told five prophets to separate Barnabas and Saul for the work to which they were called.
10 Holy Spirit	Dec	16:06-8	The Holy Spirit prevented Paul and his companions from preaching in Asia and then Bithynia. They continued to Troas.
10 Holy Spirit	Dir	18:05	The Spirit compelled Paul to testify to the Jews that Jesus is the Christ.
10 Holy Spirit	Dec	19:21	Paul “purposed in the Spirit” to go to Jerusalem
10 Holy Spirit	Action	20:22-23	The “Holy Spirit testifies in every city” that chains and tribulations await Paul in Jerusalem
10 Holy Spirit	Action	21:04	Disciples told Paul through the Spirit not to go to Jerusalem. Later, Paul went anyway.
10 Outsiders	Action	05:34-40	When the Jewish council was intent on destroying the Church, Gamaliel, a leading teacher of the rabbinic law, told them not to fight against the apostles: if they were not of God, they would come to nothing; but if they were of God, they would be “fighting against God”.
10 Outsiders	Action	08:01-4	A great persecution arose which caused the believers to be scattered everywhere preaching the gospel.
10 Outsiders	Dec	13:14-15	The rulers of the synagogue asked Paul to speak to the people after the Scripture readings. When we are spiritually ready, evangelism opportunities find us.
10 Outsiders	Action	13:42-43	The Gentiles, Jews and proselytes asked Paul to preach Jesus again on the next Sabbath.
10 Outsiders	Action	17:18-20	Epicurean and Stoic philosophers brought Paul to the Areopagus because they liked hearing new teachings and wanted to hear his.
10 Outsiders	Action	19:13-17	Seven Jewish exorcists tried to cast out a demon “by the Jesus whom Paul preachers”, but they were beaten up by it. Many people recognized the real power in Jesus from it.

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10 Outsiders	Action	19:23-40	Demetrius, a silversmith, created an uproar against Paul and his helpers because their teachings were reducing their trade in statues of the goddess Diana. The people came to the theater and nearly started a riot, but the city clerk sent them all home.
10 Outsiders	Action	22:22-24	The Jewish crowd vehemently demanded the death of Paul when he told them he was sent to teach the Gentiles and the Romans prepared to examine Paul by scourging.
10 Outsiders	Dec	23:12-15	Forty men took an oath that they would neither eat nor drink until they had killed Paul. They conspired with the Jewish leaders to get Paul out of the barracks for more questioning so they could kill him.
10 Outsiders	Action	28:01-10	The people of Malta provided much help to Paul and those who were shipwrecked with him.
13 Apostles	Action	4:19-20	Peter and John said that they must obey God rather than the religious leaders.
13 Apostles	Action	4:33	Apostles gave powerful witness to the resurrection of Jesus.
13 Apostles	Action	5:12	Signs and wonders done through the apostles.
13 Apostles	Action	5:29-33	The apostles said they would obey God rather than the commands of the government of their day—even though that made leaders mad enough to want to kill them.
13 Apostles	Action	5:40-42	Even though they were being beaten for their preaching, they continued to teach daily in the temple and in many houses.
13 Apostles	Dec	13:5	John Mark was chosen as an assistant.
13 Apostles	Dec	6:1-4	When the Hellenists said their widows were being neglected, the apostles said they should choose seven men full of the Holy Spirit to do the job so the apostles could continue praying and teaching.
13 Apostles	Dec	6:6	Apostles laid hands on the men whom the believers had chosen.
13 Apostles	Dir	2:42-43	Believers continued in the apostles' doctrine. The apostles had power to do miracles.
13 Apostles	Dir	8:14-25	Apostles sent Peter and John to Samaria when they heard they had received the word of God. They prayed for the baptized believers to receive the Holy Spirit.
13 Apostles, Elders & Church	Dec	15:22-31	In resolving the circumcision question: "Then it pleased the apostles and elders, with the whole church, to send chosen men of their own company to Antioch with Paul and Barnabas, namely, Judas who was also named Barsabas, and Silas, leading men among the brethren."

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13 Apostles, Elders & Church	Dec	15:4-6	The Church, Apostles and elders received the men that came about the circumcision question and considered the matter.
13 Apostles, Elders & Church	Dir	16:4-5	The decisions made at Jerusalem were passed on to other cities that Paul visited.
13 Leader Ananias	Dir	9:17-18	Ananias, followed Jesus instructions, healed Saul, baptized him and prayed for the Holy Spirit to fill him.
13 Leader Apollos	Action	18:24-16	Apollos skillfully and accurately taught Jesus is the Christ from the Scriptures, but knew only the baptism of John
13 Leader Apollos	Action	18:28	Apollos vigorously refuted the Jews publicly, showing Jesus was the Christ.
13 Leader Apollos	Dec	18:27	Apollos wanted to go to Achaia to teach.
13 Leader Barnabas	Dec	9:27-28	Barnabas took Saul to the apostles and explained his conversion, and he became accepted there.
13 Leader Barnabas	Dir	11:25-26	Barnabas found Saul in Tarsus and brought him to Antioch where they taught for a whole year.
13 Leader James	Dec	15:13-21	In considering the circumcision question, James says “I judge that we should not trouble those who among the Gentiles who are turning to God, but that we write to them to abstain from things polluted by idols, from sexual immorality from things strangled, and from blood.”
13 Leader John Mark	Action	13:13	John Mark decided to leave Saul and Barnabas and return to Jerusalem.
13 Leader Philip	Action	8:5-12	Philip, recently appointed to “serve tables” preached Christ, baptized and performed many miracles in Samaria.
13 Leader Stephen	Action	6:5-8	Stephen did great signs and wonders through the Holy Spirit.
13 Leader Stephen	Action	6:9-15	Stephen was falsely accused, but he answered with great wisdom and his face looked like the face of an angel.
13 Leader Stephen	Action	7:1-54	Stephen, recently appointed to “serve tables” delivered a long lecture to the national leaders about the leaders in the past who rejected the leading of God and told them that they are rejecting the leading of God by rejecting Jesus. They got angry.
13 Leader Stephen	Action	7:55-60	Stephen explains that he sees a vision of the Father and the Son of Man in heaven—for which he was stoned to death. Even so, Stephen asks that this sin not be held against them.

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13 Leaders	Action	13:1-3	The five prophets and teachers laid hands on Saul and Barnabas after the Holy Spirit separated them for a ministry.
13 Leaders	Action	15:3	Even though they were on a doctrinal decision mission, Paul, Barnabas and others stop to encourage the brethren
13 Leaders	Action	20:4-6	Various leaders made various travel plans apparently to help Paul, but going in different ways and times to avoid detection.
13 Leaders	Dec	15:32-34	When the circumcision decision letter was read in Antioch, Judas and Silas strengthen the brethren. Silas decided to stay in Antioch while others returned to Jerusalem.
13 Leaders	Dec	16:25	Paul and Silas chose to sing praises to God in prison, which got the attention of the prisoners
13 Leaders	Dec	21:12	Leaders, including Luke, plead with Paul not to go to Jerusalem.
13 Leaders	Dir	21:21-25	James and the elders of Jerusalem said there was a rumor that Paul was teaching Jews living among the Gentiles to forsake the law. So they told him to counteract this teaching by taking part in the purification rights of four men than had a vow.
13 Leaders Paul & Barnabas	Action	14:7-18	Paul and Barnabas healed a man and the Greeks at Iconium treated them as Greek Gods and wanted to sacrifice to them. Paul and Barnabas taught them to turn from their worthless idols.
13 Leaders Paul & Barnabas	Dec	15:12	In considering the circumcision, Paul and Barnabas declared the many miracles that God did through them among the Gentiles.
13 Leaders Paul & Barnabas	Dec	15:35-41	Paul and Barnabas decided to go back and visit the churches where they had previously preached. Barnabas wanted to take Mark with them but Paul did not. So Barnabas took Mark and Paul took Silas. There were now two teams!
13 Leaders Paul and Barnabas	Action	14:1-6	Paul and Barnabas preached the gospel at Iconium until the unbelieving Jews stirred up people to drive them away.
13 Leaders Paul and Barnabas	Dec	12:24-25	Saul and Barnabas decided to take John Mark with them on their ministry.
13 leaders Paul and Barnabas	Dec	13:44-48	The Jews were filled with envy at the multitudes that came to hear Paul and Barnabas. So Paul and Barnabas decide to go to the Gentiles.

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14 Peter	Action	2:15-41	Peter stood up to preach a message explaining the meaning of the miraculous events and the way to salvation. 3000 responded with the decision to be baptized.
14 Peter	Action	3:12-26	When people were amazed at the above miracle, Peter decided to give them another message about repentance.
14 Peter	Action	4:7-14	The Jewish religious leaders questioned Peter and John about the healed lame man and Peter explained it, telling them they must be saved in the name of Jesus Christ.
14 Peter	Action	5:15-16	The Shadow of Peter caused healing in the people who had come to him.
14 Peter	Action	8:18-23	When Simon the Sorcerer offered Peter money to be able to give the Holy Spirit, Peter told him he was “poisoned by bitterness and bound by iniquity”—and said Simon would have no part in Church leadership.
14 Peter	Action	9:32-35	Peter healed a paralyzed man and many people turned to Christ.
14 Peter	Action	9:40-42	Peter prayed for Dorcas and she came back to life. Many more people believed in Christ.
14 Peter	Dec	15:7-11	In considering the circumcision question, Peter explained how God gave the Holy Spirit to Gentiles based upon their heart, not their circumcision.
14 Peter	Dec	3:1-11	When asked for alms, Peter said he had no gold and silver, but gave the lame man healing instead.
14 Peter	Dir	1:15-22	Peter stated the need to replace Judas with a new apostle and listed some qualifications
14 Peter	Dir	10:24-43	Peter concluded that God shows no partiality, that all man have access to God through Christ, and that he must defy the custom of his time which prevented Jews from fellowshiping with other nationalities.
14 Peter	Dir	10:46-48	Peter commanded those who received the Holy Spirit to be baptized afterward.
14 Peter	Dir	11:1-18	Peter related the events of Acts 10 to Jewish believers who were skeptical of his eating with Gentiles and baptizing them. They heard his message and praised God.
14 Peter	Dir	12:12-17	Peter went to the house Mary, the mother of John Mark, told them how the angel got him out of prison, asked them to tell James and the other brethren and went on to some other undisclosed location.
15 Roman Government	Action	21:31-40	The Roman garrison commander heard the commotion of those trying to kill Paul and sent soldiers to take him away. After talking to Paul, he allowed him to speak to the crowd.

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15 Roman Government	Action	22:26-30	The Roman commander, upon finding Paul was a Roman citizen, did not scourge Paul, but arranged for him to have a legitimate trial with his accusers brought before him.
15 Roman Government	Action	23:10	The Roman commander again rescued Paul from the Jews who are about to pull him apart.
15 Roman Government	Action	23:16	Paul's sister's son told the Roman commander about the plot to kill Paul. The commander foiled the plot by sending a force of hundreds of soldiers to escort Paul to Caesarea where he was kept in Herod's Praetorium.
15 Roman Government	Action	27:1-8	Paul was put on a ship for Italy with Julias, a centurion, who allowed him to go to some believers along the way and receive care.
15 Roman Government	Action	27:28-32	The sailors of Paul's ship were afraid it would crash into rocks too far from the land, so they attempted to escape in the life boat. Paul informed the Centurion and he ordered the soldiers to cut the lifeboat ropes, so the sailors had to stay on the ship and do their best to bring it to land.
15 Roman Government	Action	27:42-44	The Roman soldiers planned to kill all the prisoners when their ship ran aground, but the Centurion wanted to keep Paul alive so he ordered all of the prisoners to swim in or use parts of the ship to float.
15 Roman Government	Action	28:11-15	After three months on Malta, the Centurion found another ship and took him to Rome, allowing him to visit believers along the way.
15 Roman Government	Dec	24:22-23	Felix adjourned the trial and kept Paul in custody, allowing his friends to come to him.
15 Roman Government	Dec	24:26-27	Felix hoped that Paul would give him a bribe to let him go, so he would hear him from time to time—leaving him in prison for 2 years until he was succeeded by Porcius Festus.
15 Roman Government	Dec	25:13-27	Herod Agrippa and Bernice came to Caesarea and accepted Festus' invitation to hear Paul. They Agreed that he should go to Caesar, but realized they needed to write some kind of charges.
15 Roman Government	Dec	25:1-9	Festus wanted to do the Jews a favor, so he agreed to send Paul back to Jerusalem where the Jews hoped to be able to convict or kill him.
15 Roman Government	Dec	26:28-32	Agrippa understood Paul' teaching and was almost persuaded to be a Christian, but he decided against it. Agrippa and Festus agreed that Paul could have been set free if he did not appeal to Caesar—but they did nothing to try to deliver him.

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15 Roman Government	Dec	27:11-20	The Centurion listened to others more than Paul, and they continued sailing, eventually getting caught in a bad wind and had to just let the ship go—eventually giving up hope that they would live
15 Roman Government	Dec	28:16	Caesar’s captain of the guard allowed Paul to dwell in his house with those who guarded him.
25 Believers	Action	11:19-21	Some believers who had fled from Jerusalem at the persecution that previously arose over Stephen had preached Jesus to the Greeks and God was with them.
25 Believers	Action	11:22-24	When the Church at Jerusalem heard of the Greeks coming to God in Antioch, they sent Barnabas to them because he was full of faith and the Holy Spirit.
25 Believers	Action	12:4-5	The Church prayed for Peter’s release from jail.
25 Believers	Action	17:10	Because of the persecution, the brethren sent Paul and Silas away by night to Berea.
25 Believers	Action	17:14-15	The brethren sent Paul away by sea to Athens
25 Believers	Action	18:20	Ephesian believers asked Paul to stay with them.
25 Believers	Action	19:18-20	Believers confessed their sins and burned magic books worth about a million dollars.
25 Believers	Action	19:30	The disciples stopped Paul from trying to talk to the riotous assembly in the Ephesian theater.
25 Believers	Action	28:30	Paul could not leave his house, but all who chose to come to him, he taught.
25 Believers	Action	4:23-31	Believers prayed together for protection and the ground shook afterward.
25 Believers	Action	9:36-39	When Dorcas died, the believers implored Peter to come to them quickly.
25 Believers	Dec	1:23-25	They proposed two possible replacements and prayed for a good decision.
25 Believers	Dec	10:48	Believers asked Peter to stay for a few days.
25 Believers	Dec	11:29-30	The disciples in Antioch—each according to their ability—decided to send relief to the brethren in Judea by Barnabas and Saul.
25 Believers	Dec	13:49-52	Even though Paul and Barnabas are ejected for their preaching, the disciples choose to be filled with the Holy Spirit and with joy.

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25 Believers	Dec	15:1-2	Certain believers from Judea came to Antioch to teach the brethren that they had to be circumcised after the custom of Moses to be saved. When Paul and Barnabas disagreed, they determined that Paul, Barnabas and some others should go to Jerusalem to the apostles and elders to get an answer to the question.
25 Believers	Dec	16:1-2	Believers at Derbe and Lystra gave Timothy a good recommendation.
25 Believers	Dec	2:44-47	Believers decided to live together with all things in common, praising God and having favor with all people.
25 Believers	Dec	21:17	The Jerusalem brethren received Paul gladly.
25 Believers	Dec	4:32-37	Believers decided to sell their property, give the money to the apostles and have all things in common.
25 Believers	Dec	6:3-6	The believers chose Stephen, Philip, Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas, and Nicolas.
25 Believers	Dec	9:24-25	Damascus disciples helped Saul escape death by letting him down through the wall in a basket
25 Believers	Dec	9:26	Jerusalem disciples were afraid of Saul and did not believe he was one of them.
25 Believers	Dec	9:29-31	When the brethren found that Saul's teaching was provoking the Jews to want to kill him, they took him back to Tarsus, and they had peace.
25 Believers	Dir	18:27-28	Ephesian brethren encouraged those in Achaia to receive Apollos as a teacher.
38 Paul	Action	13:16-41	Paul preached Jesus to the synagogue from the Old Testament, adding in present day facts.
38 Paul	Action	13:6-12	Saul, filled with the Holy Spirit, blinded Elymas the sorcerer when he tried to stop him from preaching to Sergius Paulus.
38 Paul	Action	14:19-28	Even though the Jews from Antioch and Iconium stirred up the multitudes to stone Paul and they nearly killed him, he got back up the next day and continued to travel, preaching the Gospel and encouraging many.
38 Paul	Action	16:13	Paul found the place where women met for prayer on the Sabbath and went to meet with them.
38 Paul	Action	16:16-24	Paul cast the demon out of a fortune-telling woman who had been pestering him, but that caused her owners to make false accusations against Paul. He was beaten and thrown in prison.

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38 Paul	Action	17:11-13	Paul preached Christ at Berea and they did a good job of searching the Scriptures, but persecution from Thessalonica followed.
38 Paul	Action	17:16-17	Paul's "spirit was provoked within him" when he saw the idolatry of Athens, so he taught Jews and Gentiles in the synagogue and the marketplace.
38 Paul	Action	17:1-9	Paul and companions went to Thessalonica and preached Jesus in the synagogues were many believed. The Jews were jealous, so they made false charges against them, causing Jason to be beaten and security to be taken from others.
38 Paul	Action	17:21-34	Paul used their monument to the "unknown God" and some of their own poetry to explain the true God to these Greeks. Some of them believed.
38 Paul	Action	18:1-4	Paul went to Corinth, stayed with Aquila and Priscilla and taught in the synagogue every Sabbath.
38 Paul	Action	18:18-19	Paul went to Syria, Cenchrea and Ephesus. He had his hair cut off because of a vow.
38 Paul	Action	18:20-23	Paul refused the Ephesians request, but headed for Jerusalem for Pentecost. He left by way of Caesarea, Galatia and Phrygia.
38 Paul	Action	18:6-8	Paul left the Jews because they blasphemed Jesus and taught in the house next door to the synagogue where some Jews and Gentiles believed and were baptized.
38 Paul	Action	19:1-8	When Paul found 12 men who were not baptized in the name of Jesus and had not received the Holy Spirit, he baptized them and laid hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit. He taught in the synagogue three months.
38 Paul	Action	20:7-12	Paul taught past midnight and brought Eutychus back to life after he was killed by falling out of a third-story window.
38 Paul	Action	21:1-16	Paul travels to Jerusalem, strengthening believers along the way, determined to go in spite of many prophecies of trouble for him..
38 Paul	Action	21:18-20	Paul explained to James and the elders of Jerusalem the great things that God had done among the Gentiles.
38 Paul	Action	21:26-31	Paul followed James and the elder's instructions to take part in the purification in the temple, but the Jews made false accusations against him, stirred up the people and tried to kill him.
38 Paul	Action	21:39-40	Rescued by Romans from a Jewish mob trying to kill him, Paul obtained permission to speak to the mob.

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38 Paul	Action	22:1-22	Paul told his conversion story from Act 9 to the Jewish crowd that was against him. They listened until he explained a revelation from Jesus that he was to go to the Gentiles.
38 Paul	Action	22:25	Paul asserted his legal rights as a Roman citizen and avoided being “examine by scourging”.
38 Paul	Action	23:1-9	Paul is called before the Jewish council, but creates division between the Pharisees and Sadducees over the issues of the resurrection of the dead and angels.
38 Paul	Action	24:1-21	Paul defends himself against Ananias the high priest and the lawyer Tertullus. His effort to divide the Pharisees and Sadducees do not work.
38 Paul	Action	26:1-32	Paul explained his conversion story to King Agrippa and Festus—and how that story enraged the Jews. He was well received and Herod was almost persuaded to become a Christian.
38 Paul	Action	27:33-44	Paul encouraged everyone to eat so they would have strength to swim to shore. He ate himself and the others followed, being able to accomplish their purpose. The sailors maneuvered the ship to the island till it ran aground and people could swim in.
38 Paul	Action	28:17-31	Paul called the Jewish leaders together in Rome and taught them about Jesus. Some believed and some did not, causing a great dispute among themselves. Paul taught any who came to him.
38 Paul	Action	9:19-23	Saul spent time with disciples at Damascus and preached Christ in the synagogues so well that the Jews wanted to kill him.
38 Paul	Actions	24:24-25	Felix send for Paul to hear him concerning faith in Christ, but was afraid when Paul talked about judgment to come.
38 Paul	Dec	16:28-34	Paul and the other prisoners chose not escape, but convinced the jailor not to kill himself and preached Jesus Christ to him and baptized his entire household. In return, Paul and his companions received medical attention and a meal.
38 Paul	Dec	16:3	Paul circumcised Timothy and took him on his ministry trip.
38 Paul	Dec	16:35-40	The town magistrates sent officers with order to release Paul and his companions, but Paul demanded that the magistrates come themselves to do it as they had been beaten and jailed illegally as Roman citizens. Even so, they went back to Lydia’s house to encourage the brethren.

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38 Paul	Dec	19:9-10	When some unbelievers spoke evil against Paul he left the synagogue and taught in the school of Tyrannus for two years.
38 Paul	Dec	25:10-12	In order to avoid Jerusalem, Paul appealed to Caesar.
38 Paul	Dir	17:15	Paul commanded Silas and Timothy to come to him when they could.
38 Paul	Dir	19:21-22	Paul planned to go to Rome after staying in Asia, but sent Timothy and Erastus to Macedonia
38 Paul	Dir	20:13-17	Paul gives various orders for disciples to travel in different ways. He called for the Elders in Ephesus.
38 Paul	Dir	20:1-6	Paul called the disciples to himself and left for Macedonia and eventually Troas, dodging persecutions of the Jews.
38 Paul	Dir	20:17-40	Paul spoke to the elders of the church, telling them this was the last time he would see them, explaining his ministry and telling them that the Holy Spirit has made them overseers to “shepherd the Church of God”. He also explained that false leaders would arise both from without and within the church—and that he never coveted anyone’s silver or gold, but worked to take care of himself.
38 Paul	Dir	27:9-10	Paul advised the Centurion not to sail after the “fast” (Day of Atonement).

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Apostles	Action	4:19-20	Peter and John said that they must obey God rather than the religious leaders.
Believers	Action	4:23-31	Believers prayed together for protection and the ground shook afterward.
Believers	Dec	4:32-37	Believers decided to sell their property, give the money to the apostles and have all things in common.
Apostles	Action	4:33	Apostles gave powerful witness to the resurrection of Jesus.
Holy Spirit	Action	5:1-11	The Spirit revealed to Peter that Ananias and Sapphira would die for lying about the proceeds from their real estate sales.

Apostles	Action	5:12	Signs and wonders done through the apostles.
Peter	Action	5:15-16	The Shadow of Peter caused healing in the people who had come to him.
Angel	Action	5:17-19	An angel let the apostles out of the prison in which they were incarcerated.
Angel	Dir	5:20-21	An angel to the apostles to go back to the temple in preach—even though they had just been jailed for doing it.
Apostles	Action	5:29-33	The apostles said they would obey God rather than the commands of the government of their day—even though that made leaders mad enough to want to kill them.
Outsider	Action	5:34-40	Gamaliel, a leading teacher of the rabbinic law, told the Jewish counsel not to fight against the apostles: if they were not of God, they would come to nothing; but if they were of God, they would be “fighting against God”. This is how God protected his Church.
Apostles	Action	5:40-42	Even though they were beating for their preaching, they continued to teach daily in the temple and in many houses.
Apostles	Dec	6:1-4	When the Helenists said their widows were being neglected, the apostles said they should choose seven men full of the Holy Spirit to do the job so the apostles could continue praying and teaching.
Believers	Dec	6:3-6	The believers chose Stephen, Philip, Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas, and Nicolas.
Apostles	Dec	6:6	Apostles laid hands on the men whom the believers had chosen.
Stephen	Action	6:5-8	Stephen did great signs and wonders through the Holy Spirit.
Stephen	Action	6:9-15	Stephen was falsely accused, but he answered with great wisdom and his face looked like the face of an angel.
Stephen	Action	7:1-54	Stephen, recently appointed to “serve tables” delivered a long lecture to the national leaders about the leaders in the past who rejected the leading of God and told them that they are rejecting the leading of God by rejecting Jesus. They got angry.
Stephen	Action	7:55-60	Stephen explains that he sees a vision of the Father and the Son of Man in heaven—for which he was stoned to death. Even so, Stephen asks that this sin not be held against them.
Outsider	Dir	8:1-4	A great persecution arose which caused the believers to be scattered everywhere preaching the gospel
Philip	Action	8:5-12	Philip, recently appointed to “serve tables” preached Christ, baptized and performed many miracles in Samaria.
Apostles	Dir	8:14-25	Apostles sent Peter and John to Samaria when they heard they had received the word of God. They prayed for the baptized believers to receive the Holy Spirit.

Peter	Action	8:18-23	When Simon the Sorcerer offered Peter money to be able to give the Holy Spirit, Peter told him he was “poisoned by bitterness and bound by iniquity”—and said Simon would have no part in Church leadership.
Jesus	Dir	9:1-9	Just when Saul was about to bring the biggest persecution ever on the Church, Jesus showed up as a bright light and spoke Saul, reversing the course of his life. The men with Saul did not see anyone or understand the voice (Acts 22:9). So today, if someone tells us that Jesus spoke to them, but others at the same place and time say they witnessed nothing, are we sure that the person who “heard from Jesus” is wrong?
Jesus	Dir	9:10-16	In a vision, Jesus directed Ananias to go pray for Saul to receive his sight and to give him his commission to preach the Gospel. Ananias reminded Jesus of the danger that Saul posed, but Jesus was patient with him.
Ananias	Dir	9:17-18	Ananias, followed Jesus instructions, healed Saul, baptized him and prayed for the Holy Spirit to fill him.
Paul	Action	9:19-23	Saul spent time with disciples at Damascus and preached Christ in the synagogues so well that the Jews wanted to kill him.
Believers	Dec	9:24-25	Damascus disciples helped Saul escape death by letting him down through the wall in a basket
Believers	Dec	9:26	Jerusalem disciples were afraid of Saul and did not believe he was one of them.
Barnabas	Dec	9:27-28	Barnabas took Saul to the apostles and explained his conversion, and he became accepted there.
Believers	Dec	9:29-31	When the brethren found that Saul’s teaching was provoking the Jews to want to kill him, they took him back to Tarsus, and they had peace.
Peter	Action	9:32-35	Peter healed a paralyzed man and many people turned to Christ.
Believers	Action	9:36-39	When Dorcas died, the believers implored Peter to come to them quickly.
Peter	Action	9:40-42	Peter prayed for Dorcas and she came back to life. Many more people believed in Christ.
Angel	Dir	10:1-8	Angel told Cornelius to send for Peter; who was in Joppa.
Vision	Dir	10:9-17	Peter saw a vision of animals and a voice telling him to “kill and eat”—three times. He did not know what it meant to begin with.
Holy Spirit	Dir	10:18-23	The spirit told Peter to go with Cornelius’ servants, doubting nothing.
Peter	Dir	10:24-43	Peter concluded that God shows no partiality, that all man have access to God through Christ, and that he must defy the custom of his time which prevented Jews from fellowshiping with other nationalities.

Holy Spirit	Action	10:44-46	The Holy Spirit was poured out on Cornelius and his household while Peter was still speaking and they spoke with tongues. The believers watching were shocked—this was not the order taught in Acts 2:38.
Peter	Dir	10:46-48	Peter commanded those who received the Holy Spirit to be baptized afterward.
Believers	Dec	10:48	Believers asked Peter to stay for a few days.
Peter	Dir	11:1-18	Peter related the events of Acts 10 to Jewish believers who were skeptical of his eating with Gentiles and baptizing them. They heard his message and praised God.
Believers	Action	11:19-21	Some believers who had fled from Jerusalem at the persecution that previously arose over Stephen had preached Jesus to the Greeks and God was with them.
Church	Action	11:22-24	When the Church at Jerusalem heard of the Greeks coming to God in Antioch, they sent Barnabas to them because he was full of faith and the Holy Spirit.
Barnabas	Dir	11:25-26	Barnabas found Saul in Tarsus and brought him to Antioch where they taught for a whole year.
Agabus	Action	11:27-28	The prophet Agabus showed by the Spirit that there would be a famine throughout the world.
Believers	Dec	11:29-30	The disciples in Antioch—each according to their ability—decided to send relief to the brethren in Judea by Barnabas and Saul.
Church	Action	12:4-5	The Church prayed for Peter's release from jail.
Angel	Action	12:6-11	An angel took the chains off Peter's hands and told him to follow him out of the prison, opening the gates as he went.
Peter	Dir	12:12-17	Peter went to the house Mary, the mother of John Mark, told them how the angel got him out of prison, asked them to tell James and the other brethren and went on to some other undisclosed location.
Paul and Barnabas	Dec	12:24-25	Saul and Barnabas decided to take John Mark with them on their ministry.
Holy Spirit	Dir	13:1-4	The Holy Spirit told five prophets to separate Barnabas and Saul for the work to which they were called.
Leaders	Action	13:1-3	The five prophets and teachers laid hands on Saul and Barnabas after the Holy Spirit separated them for a ministry.
Apostles	Dec	13:5	John Mark was chosen as an assistant.
Paul	Action	13:6-12	Saul, filled with the Holy Spirit, blinded Elymas the sorcerer when he tried to stop him from preaching to Sergius Paulus.
John Mark	Action	13:13	John Mark decided to leave Saul and Barnabas and return to Jerusalem.
Outsiders	Dec	13:14-15	The rulers of the synagogue asked Paul to speak to the people after the Scripture readings.

Paul	Action	13:16-41	Paul preached Jesus to the synagogue from the Old Testament, adding in present day facts.
Outsiders	Action	13:42-43	The Gentiles, Jews and proselytes asked Paul to preach Jesus again on the next Sabbath.
Paul and Barnabas	Dec	13:44-48	The Jews were filled with envy at the multitudes that came to hear Paul and Barnabas. So Paul and Barnabas decide to go to the Gentiles.
Believers	Dec	13:49-52	Even though Paul and Barnabas are ejected for their preaching, the disciples choose to be filled with the Holy Spirit and with joy.
Paul and Barnabas	Action	14:1-6	Paul and Barnabas preached the gospel at Iconium until the unbelieving Jews stirred up people to drive them away.
Paul & Barnabas	Action	14:7-18	Paul and Barnabas healed a man and the Greeks at Iconium treated them as Greek Gods and wanted to sacrifice to them. Paul and Barnabas taught them to turn from their worthless idols.
Paul	Action	14:19-28	Even though the Jews from Antioch and Iconium stirred up the multitudes to stone Paul and they nearly killed him, he got back up the next day and continued to travel, preaching the Gospel and encouraging many.
Believers	Dec	15:1-2	Certain believers from Judea came to Antioch to teach the brethren that they had to be circumcised after the custom of Moses to be saved. When Paul and Barnabas disagreed, they determined that Paul, Barnabas and some others should go to Jerusalem to the apostles and elders to get an answer to the question.
Leaders	Action	15:3	Even though they were on a doctrinal decision mission, Paul, Barnabas and others stop to encourage the brethren
Apostles, Elders & Church	Dec	15:4-6	The Church, Apostles and elders received the men that came about the circumcision question and considered the matter.
Peter	Dec	15:7-11	In considering the circumcision question, Peter explained how God gave the Holy Spirit to Gentiles based upon their heart, not their circumcision.
Paul & Barnabas	Dec	15:12	In considering the circumcision, Paul and Barnabas declared the many miracles that God did through them among the Gentiles.
James	Dec	15:13-21	In considering the circumcision question, James says "I judge that we should not trouble those who among the Gentiles who are turning to God, but that we write to them to abstain from things polluted by idols, from sexual immorality from things strangled, and from blood."
Apostles, Elders & Church	Dec	15:22-31	In resolving the circumcision question: "Then it pleased the apostles and elders, with the whole church, to send chosen men of their own company to Antioch with Paul and Barnabas, namely, Judas who was also named Barsabas, and Silas, leading men among the brethren."

Judas & Silas	Dec	15:32-34	When the circumcision decision letter was read in Antioch, Judas and Silas strengthen the brethren. Silas decided to stay in Antioch while others returned to Jerusalem.
Paul & Barnabas	Dec	15:35-41	Paul and Barnabas decided to go back and visit the churches where they had previously preached. Barnabas wanted to take Mark with them but Paul did not. So Barnabas took Mark and Paul took Silas. There were now two teams!
Believers	Dec	16:1-2	Believers at Derbe and Lystra gave Timothy a good recommendation.
Paul	Dec	16:3	Paul circumcised Timothy and took him on his ministry trip.
Apostles Elders & Church	Dir`	16:4-5	The decisions made at Jerusalem were passed on to other cities that Paul visited.
Holy Spirit	Dec	16:6-7	The holy spirit prevented them from preaching in Asia and Bithynia.
Vision	Dir	16:8-12	Paul received a vision to go to Macedonia from Troas. They concluded it was from the Lord and they went.
Paul	Action	16:13	Paul found the place where women met for prayer on the Sabbath and went to meet with them.
Lydia	Action	16:14-15	Merchant woman Lydia was baptized with her household and she offered Paul and his companions a place to stay.
Paul	Action	16:16-24	Paul cast the demon out of a fortune-telling woman who had been pestering him, but that caused her owners to make false accusations against Paul. He was beaten and thrown in prison.
Paul and Silas	Dec	16:25	Paul and Silas chose to sing praises to God in prison, which got the attention of the prisoners
Act of God	Action	16:26-27	An earthquake miraculously opened the prison doors and caused everyone's chains to come off. The jailor planned to kill himself, thinking the prisoners had escaped.
Paul	Dec	16:28-34	Paul and the other prisoners chose not to escape, but convinced the jailor not to kill himself and preached Jesus Christ to him and baptized his entire household. In return, Paul and his companions received medical attention and a meal.
Paul	Dec	16:35-40	The town magistrates sent officers with order to release Paul and his companions, but Paul demanded that the magistrates come themselves to do it as they had been beaten and jailed illegally as Roman citizens. Even so, they went back to Lydia's house to encourage the brethren.
Paul	Action	17:1-9	Paul and companions went to Thessalonica and preached Jesus in the synagogues where many believed. The Jews were jealous, so they made false charges against them, causing Jason to be beaten and security to be taken from others.
Believers	Action	17:10	Because of the persecution, the brethren sent Paul and Silas away by night to Berea.

Paul	Action	17:11-13	Paul preached Christ at Berea and they did a good job of searching the Scriptures, but persecution from Thessalonica followed.
Believers	Action	17:14-15	The brethren sent Paul away by sea to Athens
Paul	Dir	17:15	Paul commanded Silas and Timothy to come to him when they could.
Paul	Action	17:16-17	Paul's "spirit was provoked within him" when he saw the idolatry of Athens, so he taught Jews and Gentiles in the synagogue and the marketplace.
Outsiders	Action	17:18-20	Epicurean and Stoic philosophers brought Paul to the Areopagus because they liked hearing new teachings and wanted to hear his.
Paul	Action	17:21-34	Paul used their monument to the "unknown God" and some of their own poetry to explain the true God to these Greeks. Some of them believed.
Paul	Action	18:1-4	Paul went to Corinth, stayed with Aquila and Priscilla and taught in the synagogue every Sabbath.
Holy Spirit	Dir	18:5	The Spirit compelled Paul to testify to the Jews that Jesus is the Christ.
Paul	Action	18:6-8	Paul left the Jews because they blasphemed Jesus and taught in the house next door to the synagogue where some Jews and Gentiles believed and were baptized.
Jesus	Dir	18:9-17	Jesus in a vision told Paul to keep teaching in Corinth, that nobody would be able to harm him. Paul taught 18 months. The Jews brought him before the proconsul Gallio, but Gallio refused to here a religious matter. The Jews beat Sosthenes, the synagogue ruler who became a believer, but not Paul
Paul	Action	18:18-19	Paul went to Syria, Cenchrea and Ephesus. He had his hair cut off because of a vow.
Believers	Action	18:20	Ephesian believers asked Paul to stay with them.
Paul	Action	18:20-23	Paul refused the Ephesians request, but headed for Jerusalem for Pentecost. He left by way of Caesarea, Galatia and Phrygia.
Apollos	Action	18:24-16	Apollos skillfully and accurately taught Jesus is the Christ from the Scriptures, but knew only the baptism of John
Priscilla & Aquila	Dir	18:26-	Priscilla and Aquila accepted the good that Apollos did and helped him with his "doctrinal error".
Apollos	Dec	18:27	Apollos wanted to go to Achaia to teach.
Believers	Dir	18:27-28	Ephesian brethren encouraged those in Achaia to receive Apollos as a teacher.
Apollos	Action	18:28	Apollos vigorously refuted the Jews publicly, showing Jesus was the Christ.

Paul	Action	19:1-8	When Paul found 12 men who were not baptized in the name of Jesus and had not received the Holy Spirit, he baptized them and laid hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit. He taught in the synagogue three months.
Paul	Dec	19:9-10	When some unbelievers spoke evil against Paul he left the synagogue and taught in the school of Tyrannus for two years.
God	Action	19:11-12	God gave Paul unusual miraculous ability, so that even cloth that had touched his body would heal people.
Outsiders	Action	19:13-17	Seven Jewish would-be exorcists tried to cast out a demon “by the Jesus whom Paul preachers”, but they were beaten up by it. Many people recognized the real power in Jesus from it.
Believers	Action	19:18-20	Believers confessed their sins and burned magic books worth about a million dollars.
Holy Spirit	Dec	19:21	Paul “purposed in the Spirit” to go to Jerusalem
Paul	Dir	19:21-22	Paul planned to go to Rome after staying in Asia, but sent Timothy and Erastus to Macedonia
Outsiders	Action	19:23-40	Demetrius, a silversmith, created an uproar against Paul and his helpers because their teachings was reducing their trade in statues of the goddess Diana. The people came to the theater and nearly started a riot, but the city clerk sent them all home.
Believers	Action	19:30	The disciples stopped Paul from trying to talk to the riotous assembly in the Ephesian theater.
Paul	Dir	20:1-6	Paul called the disciples to himself and left for Macedonia and eventually Troas, dodging persecutions of the Jews.
Leaders	Action	20:4-6	Various leaders made various travel plans apparently to help Paul, but going in different ways and times to avoid detection.
Paul	Action	20:7-12	Paul taught past midnight and brought Eutychus back to life after he was killed by falling out of a third-story window.
Paul	Dir	20:13-17	Paul gives various orders for disciples to travel in different ways. He called for the Elders in Ephesus.
Paul	Dir	20:17-40	Paul spoke to the elders of the church, telling them this was the last time he would see them, explaining his ministry and telling them that the Holy Spirit has made them overseers to “shepherd the Church of God”. He also explained that false leaders would arise both from without and within the church—and that he never coveted anyone’s silver or gold, but worked to take care of himself.
Holy Spirit	Action	20:22-23	The “Holy Spirit testifies in every city” that chains and tribulations await Paul in Jerusalem
Paul	Action	21:1-16	Paul travels to Jerusalem, strengthening believers along the way, determined to go in spite of many prophecies of trouble for him..
Holy Spirit	Action	21:4	Disciples told Paul through the spirit not to go to Jerusalem.

Agabus	Action	21:10-11	Agabus prophesied that if Paul went to Jerusalem ,the Jews would bind Paul and deliver him to the Romans.
Leaders	Dec	21:12	Leaders, including Luke, plead with Paul not to go to Jerusalem.
Brethren	Dec	21:17	The Jerusalem brethren received Paul gladly.
Paul	Action	21:18-20	Paul explained to James and the elders of Jerusalem the great things that God had done among the Gentiles.
Leaders	Dir	21:21-25	James and the elders of Jerusalem said there was a rumor that Paul was teaching Jews living among the Gentiles to forsake the law. So they told him to counteract this teaching by taking part in the purification rights of four men than had a vow.
Paul	Action	21:26-31	Paul followed James and the elder’s instructions to take part in the purification in the temple, but the Jews made false accusations against him, stirred up the people and tried to kill him.
Roman Government	Action	21:31-40	The Roman garrison commander heard the commotion of those trying to kill Paul and sent soldiers to take him away. After talking to Paul, he allowed him to speak to the crowd.
Paul	Action	21:39-40	Rescued by Romans from a Jewish mob trying to kill him, Paul obtained permission to speak to the mob.
Paul	Action	22:1-22	Paul told his conversion story from Act 9 to the Jewish crowd that was against him. They listened until he explained a revelation from Jesus that he was to go to the Gentiles.
Jesus	Dir	22:17-21	Jesus appeared to Paul in a trance while he was praying in the temple and told him that Jerusalem church would not accept his testimony now, so he should go teach the Gentiles.
Outsiders	Action	22:22-24	The Jewish crowd vehemently demanded the death of Paul when he told them he was sent to teach the Gentiles and the Romans prepared to examine Paul by scourging.
Paul	Action	22:25	Paul asserted his legal rights as a Roman citizen and avoided being “examined by scourging”.
Roman Government	Action	22:26-30	The Roman commander, upon finding Paul was a Roman citizen, did not scourge Paul, but arranged for him to have a legitimate trial with his accusers brought before him.
Paul	Action	23:1-9	Paul is called before the Jewish council, but creates division between the Pharisees and Sadducees over the issues of the resurrection of the dead and angels.
Roman Government	Action	23:10	The Roman commander again rescued Paul from the Jews who are about to pull him apart.
Jesus	Dir	23:11	Jesus stood by Paul and told him that he must bear witness for Him in Rome.
Outsiders	Dec	23:12-15	Forty men took an oath that they would neither eat nor drink until they had killed Paul. They conspired with the Jewish leaders to get Paul out of the barracks for more questioning so they could kill him.

Roman Government	Action	23:16	Paul's sister's son told the Roman commander about the plot to kill Paul. The commander foiled the plot by sending a force of hundreds of soldiers to escort Paul to Caesarea where he was kept in Herod's Praetorium.
Paul	Action	24:1-21	Paul defends himself against Ananias the high priest and the lawyer Tertullus. His effort to divide the Pharisees and Sadducees do not work.
Roman Government	Dec	24:22-23	Felix adjourned the trial and kept Paul in custody, allowing his friends to come to him.
Paul	Actions	24:24-25	Felix send for Paul to hear him concerning faith in Christ, but was afraid when Paul talked about judgment to come.
Roman Government	Dec	24:26-27	Felix hoped that Paul would give him a bribe to let him go, so he would hear him from time to time—leaving him in prison for 2 years until he was succeeded by Porcius Festus.
Roman Government	Dec	25:1-9	Festus wanted to do the Jews a favor, so he agreed to send Paul back to Jerusalem where the Jews hoped to be able to convict or kill him.
Paul	Dec	25:10-12	In order to avoid Jerusalem, Paul appealed to Caesar.
Roman Government	Dec	25:13-27	Herod Agrippa and Bernice came to Caesarea and accepted Festus' invitation to hear Paul. They Agreed that he should go to Caesar, but realized they needed to write some kind of charges.
Paul	Action	26:1-32	Paul explained his conversion story to King Agrippa and Festus—and how that story enraged the Jews. He was well received and Herod was almost persuaded to become a Christian.
Roman Government	Dec	26:28-32	Agrippa understood Paul' teaching and was almost persuaded to be a Christian, but he decided against it. Agrippa and Festus agreed that Paul could have been set free if he did not appeal to Caesar—but they did nothing to try to deliver him.
Roman Government	Action	27:1-8	Paul was put on a ship for Italy with Julias, a centurion, who allowed him to go to some believers along the way and receive care.
Paul	Dir	27:9-10	Paul advised the Centurion not to sale after the “fast” (Day of Atonement).
Roman Government	Action	27:11-20	The Centurion listened to others more than Paul, and they continued sailing, eventually getting caught in a bad wind and had to just let the ship go—eventually giving up hope that they would live
Angel	Dir	27:21-27	An angel told Paul that he must go to Rome and that all in the ship would be saved alive when they run aground on an island. Paul conveyed the angels message to the people on the ship and encouraged them to eat.

Roman Government	Action	27:28-32	The sailors of Paul's ship were afraid it would crash into rocks too far from the land, so they attempted to escape in the life boat. Paul informed the Centurion and he ordered the soldiers to cut the lifeboat ropes, so the sailors had to stay on the ship and do their best to bring it to land.
Paul	Action	27:33-44	Paul encouraged everyone to eat so they would have strength to swim to shore. He ate himself and the others followed, being able to accomplish their purpose. The sailors maneuvered the ship to the island till it ran aground and people could swim in.
Roman Government	Action	27:42-44	The Roman soldiers planned to kill all the prisoners when their ship ran aground, but the Centurion wanted to keep Paul alive so he ordered all of the prisoners to swim in or use parts of the ship to float.
Outsiders	Action	28:1-10	The people of Malta provided much help to Paul and those who were shipwrecked with him.
Roman Government	Action	28:11-15	After three months on Malta, the Centurion found another ship and took him to Rome, allowing him to visit believers along the way.
Roman Government	Dec	28:16	Caesar's captain of the guard allowed Paul to dwell in his house with those who guarded him.
Paul	Action	28:17-31	Paul called the Jewish leaders together in Rome and taught them about Jesus. Some believed and some did not, causing a great dispute among themselves. Paul taught any who came to him.
Believers	Action	28:30	Paul could not leave his house, but all who chose to come to him, he taught.