

Acts Facts

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Theme: The beginning of the Church and its growth

Key verses: 1:8; 2:36-38; 2:42-47

Key chapter: Chapter 2



Quick Chapter Summaries:

- 1) Ascension of Christ; Appointment of Matthias (to replace Judas)
- 2) Peter preaches on Pentecost; The church is established
- 3) Peter & John heal a lame man; Peter preaches
- 4) Peter & John arrested and brought before the Sanhedrin
- 5) Ananias & Sapphira lie and die; Apostles arrested
- 6) The first deacons; Stephen brought before the Jewish council
- 7) Stoning of Stephen
- 8) Saul persecutes the church; Philip preaches to the Ethiopian eunuch
- 9) Saul's conversion; Peter raises Dorcas from the dead
- 10) Cornelius, the first Gentile convert
- 11) The gospel spreads
- 12) Herod kills James; Herod blasphemes and dies
- 13) Paul begins 1st missionary journey
- 14) 1st missionary journey ends
- 15) The Jerusalem Council, 2nd missionary journey begins
- 16) The Macedonian Call
- 17) Sermon on Mar's Hill
- 18) Aquila and Priscilla; 2nd missionary journey ends; 3rd missionary journey begins
- 19) Ephesus in uproar
- 20) Paul preaches til midnight; Meeting with the Ephesian elders
- 21) 3rd missionary journey is completed; Paul arrested in Jerusalem
- 22) Paul's defense before the crowd and the centurion
- 23) Paul's defense before the Sanhedrin; Plot to kill Paul
- 24) Paul's trial before Felix
- 25) Paul's trial before Festus
- 26) Paul's trial before Agrippa
- 27) Paul's shipwreck
- 28) Paul reaches Rome

Chapter 1 Review Questions:

1. Who wrote the book of Acts?
2. To whom was Acts written?
3. How many days was Jesus on the earth after his resurrection?
4. What city did Jesus command his disciples to stay in?
5. What was the "Promise of the Father"?
6. When would the apostles receive power?
7. After witnessing to others in Jerusalem, where were the apostles to preach next?
8. What happened after Jesus finished speaking to them?
9. Who appeared then?
10. How will Jesus come again one day?
11. Where was Jesus when he ascended?
12. How many apostles were waiting in an upper room in Jerusalem?
13. Who was missing and why?
14. How many disciples were assembled together in Jerusalem?
15. What was the name of the field where Judas died?
16. What did that name mean?
17. What two men were put forth as candidates to replace Judas?
18. What did Peter and the apostles do first in the decision-making process?
19. How did God show them His choice?
20. Who was chosen?

Chapter 2 Review Questions:

1. On what day does Acts 2 take place?
2. How many days was this after Passover?
3. What sound did the apostles hear as they waited in a room?
4. What appeared on each of the apostles' heads?
5. What did the apostles begin speaking?
6. Why were there several Jewish men from other countries gathered in Jerusalem?
7. What did these Jews hear as they listened to the apostles speaking?
8. What did some mockers accuse the apostles of?
9. What time of day was this?
10. Which Old Testament prophet did Peter quote from first?
11. What did Peter accuse the Jews of doing?
12. Who did Peter say had raised Jesus from the dead?
13. What Old Testament Jewish king did Peter quote from?
14. What did he say this king had prophesied?
15. Where did Peter say Jesus was now?
16. What was the reaction of the people to this sermon?
17. What did Peter tell them to do?
18. What is baptism for?
19. Upon baptism, what does one receive?
20. How many were baptized that day?
21. What four things did the new Christians continue in?
22. Who added people to the church?

Chapter 3 Review Questions:

1. At what time of day did Peter and John go to the temple?
2. Where did the lame man lay every day to beg alms?
3. How long had this man been lame?
4. What did Peter and John say they did not have?
5. In whose name did they heal the lame man?
6. What did the man do immediately after he was healed?
7. How old was the lame man?
8. Where did the people in the temple gather to see what had happened?
9. What did Peter take an opportunity to do with a crowd gathered around him?
10. What reason did Peter give for the Jews crucifying the Son of God?
11. What did Peter tell the people to do?
12. From which Old Testament prophet did Peter quote?
13. Christ was compared to which prophet from the Old Testament?
14. How many prophets foretold the things that were happening at this time?
15. To whom did God send Jesus first?

Chapter 4 Review Questions:

1. What did the Jewish Sanhedrin do to Peter and John in response to this miracle?
2. At this same time, how many people had now become Christians (men only)?
3. Who was the high priest?
4. What question did the Sanhedrin ask Peter and John?
5. What answer did they give?
6. Why were the Sanhedrin amazed?
7. What did the Sanhedrin do to them?
8. Did Peter and John agree to keep silent?
9. Why was the Sanhedrin reluctant to punish Peter and John?
10. When Peter and John were released and returned to their friends, what did they all do together?
11. What were they praying for?
12. What were they filled with?
13. What happened to the place where they were gathered as they prayed?
14. How did Christians help others who were in need?
15. What does Barnabas mean?

Chapter 5 Review Questions:

1. What did Ananias and Sapphira sell?
2. Was it wrong for them to keep part of the money?
3. What did they lie about?
4. Who did Peter say Ananias had lied to?
5. What happened to Ananias and Sapphira?
6. What was the effect on the church and others who heard?
7. Does God take lying seriously?
8. Did the church continue to grow at this time?
9. What were people coming from miles around for?
10. What was it of Peter that they wanted to fall on them?
11. How many were turned away from being healed?
12. Who got upset with the apostles?
13. What did they do to the apostles?
14. What happened that night?
15. Where were they commanded to go?
16. When they were arrested again the next day, were they harmed?
17. Why was the council upset with them?
18. Who did Peter say they were going to obey?
19. What did the council want to do to them?
20. Who calmed everyone down?
21. What kind of man was he?
22. What advice did he give?
23. What did they do to the apostles before they were released?

24. How did the apostles react to it?

25. What did the apostles continue to do?

Chapter 6 Review Questions:

1. What problem arose in the church?
2. Who complained?
3. What did the apostles tell the church to do?
4. What characteristics did these men need to have?
5. Why did the apostles not do the extra work themselves?
6. What were the names of the seven men chosen?
7. What two things did the apostles do to these men?
8. What group of Jews were obeying the gospel and becoming Christians?
9. What was Stephen doing among the people?
10. Who had a disagreement with Stephen?
11. How did Stephen speak with them?
12. Who did the Jewish freedmen stir up against Stephen?
13. Where did they take Stephen?
14. What did they accuse him of?
15. Was it a true or false accusation?
16. Was Stephen scared to be brought before the council?
17. What did his face look like as he faced the council?

Chapter 7 Review Questions:

1. Who is the first Jewish ancestor Stephen mentions to the Sanhedrin?
2. How long did God say His people would be in bondage to a foreign nation?
3. Who was the father of the twelve patriarchs?
4. Which of the twelve sons was sold into Egypt?
5. Who raised Moses?
6. What two things was Moses mighty in?
7. How old was Moses when he killed the Egyptian?
8. What country did he escape to?
9. How long did he live there before the Lord appeared to him in a burning bush?
10. What three places did Moses do great signs and wonders?
11. Who did Moses say God would raise up like him?
12. Who was he referring to?
13. Were the people obedient to Moses?
14. What did they build for themselves?
15. Did God warn them there would be consequences for their idolatry?
16. What were the consequences?
17. What was the portable place of worship that Moses built after a pattern God showed him?
18. Who built a house for the Lord?
19. Where is God's throne?
20. What is His footstool?
21. What did Stephen call the Jewish people?
22. Who did Stephen accuse the Sanhedrin of murdering?

23. How did the Sanhedrin react to Stephen's sermon?

24. What were Stephen's final words?

25. What is a martyr?

Chapter 8 Review Questions:

1. Who was involved with the persecution of the church?
2. What was one of the ways Christians were persecuted?
3. Where did Philip first go to preach?
4. Besides preaching, what else did Philip do there?
5. What was the name of the sorcerer who saw and heard Philip?
6. What is sorcery?
7. Which apostles came to Samaria?
8. What did they go to Samaria to do?
9. Did the new Christians receive the gift of the Holy Spirit when they were baptized as is stated in Acts 2:38?
10. In what way were these new Christians receiving the Holy Spirit from the apostles?
11. Why did Simon offer the apostles money?
12. How did Peter react to him?
13. Did Simon ask to be forgiven?
14. Who was Philip sent to preach to next?
15. What position did he hold?
16. Why had he been in Jerusalem?
17. What Old Testament book was he reading from?
18. What chapter in that book was he reading from?
19. What was his question about what he was reading?
20. After Philip preached to him, what did the man want to do?
21. Who went into the water?

22. What happened to Philip after he baptized the man?

23. What was the man doing as he continued his journey home?

Chapter 9 Review Questions:

1. Who did Saul go to for letters of authority?
2. What did the letters authorize Saul to do?
3. What did Saul see and hear on the road to Damascus?
4. Who was speaking to Saul and what did He say?
5. What was Saul's reaction?
6. Did the men traveling with him see or hear anything?
7. Once Saul knew who was speaking to him, what did he ask?
8. What was Saul told to do?
9. What was Saul's condition when the encounter was over?
10. How many days was he in this condition?
11. What did Saul not do for three days?
12. What was he doing during this time?
13. How did the Lord appear to Ananias?
14. Where was Saul staying?
15. Was Ananias willing to go to Saul at first?
16. What did the Lord tell Ananias Saul was to Him?
17. Who did the Lord say Saul would preach to?
18. What did Ananias do to Saul when he first encountered him?
19. After Ananias gave Saul the message from the Lord, what happened immediately?
20. What did Saul do immediately after that?
21. What did some of the Jews in Damascus want to do to Saul?
22. How did he escape the city?
23. What city did Saul go to next?

24. How did the church react to him?
25. Who convinced the apostles and the church that Saul was truly a fellow believer?
26. What group of people got into an argument with Saul in Jerusalem?
27. What did they want to do to Saul?
28. What did the brethren of the church do to help Saul?
29. What did the churches in the regions of Samaria, Judea and Galilee have?
30. Town where Aeneas lived.
31. How many years had Aeneas been bedridden?
32. What was physically wrong with Aeneas?
33. Peter told Aeneas that this is who healed him.
34. What did Peter tell Aeneas to do?
35. The people of what city saw the healed man and turned to the Lord.
36. What city did Tabitha live in?
37. What was Tabitha's other name?
38. What kind of woman was she?
39. What happened to Tabitha?
40. Where was her body laid?
41. Who sent for Peter?
42. Who was in Tabitha's house weeping when Peter arrived?
43. What had Tabitha made for them?
44. After Peter knelt by Tabitha's bed and prayed, what did he say to her?
45. Who did Peter show Tabitha to after raising her from the dead?
46. What was the result of that miracle on the people in Joppa?
47. Who did Peter stay with in Joppa?

Chapter 10 Review Questions:

1. Where did Cornelius live?
2. What was his occupation?
3. What kind of man was Cornelius?
4. What two things did Cornelius do that came up to God as a memorial?
5. Who appeared to Cornelius in his vision?
6. What time of day was it and what was Cornelius doing?
7. What was Cornelius told to do?
8. Why was it necessary for Cornelius to send for Peter when he was already a good religious man?
9. Where was Peter staying?
10. In Joppa, where was Peter praying and what time of day was it?
11. What did Peter see in his vision?
12. What did a voice tell Peter to do?
13. Why did Peter not obey?
14. What did the voice respond?
15. How many times did this happen in Peter's vision?
16. Who was assembled at Cornelius' house?
17. What did Cornelius do as soon as Peter entered his house that Peter had to correct?
18. After listening to Cornelius talk about his vision and thinking about his own vision, what did Peter say?
19. Who did Peter preach about?
20. What happened to the listeners as Peter was finishing his sermon?

21. What did they begin to do?

22. How did this sign affect the Jews who were with Peter?

23. What was done to Cornelius and the others in his house?

24. How long did Peter stay?

Chapter 11 Review Questions:

1. Who heard that the *Gentiles* had received the word of *God*?
2. What city in *Judea* did Peter return to?
3. When Peter was accused of associating with *Gentiles*, how did he answer?
4. What was Peter's conclusion to what he saw and heard in *Joppa* and *Caesarea*?
5. What was the reaction of the *Jewish brethren* when they heard Peter's account?
6. Why had *Christians* scattered to different countries and cities?
7. As *Christians* scattered, they continued to preach the gospel. Who were they preaching it to?
8. How many believed and turned to the Lord?
9. Who did the church in *Jerusalem* send to *Antioch*?
10. How is he described?
11. Who did he go to *Tarsus* to look for?
12. How long did *Saul* and *Barnabas* stay in *Antioch*?
13. What were they doing there?
14. What were the disciples first called in *Antioch*?
15. Who was *Agabus*?
16. What event did he prophesy about?
17. When would this event take place?
18. What did the brethren in *Antioch* decide to do to help?
19. Who was to take it to *Judea*?
20. Who were they to give it to?

Chapter 12 Review Questions:

1. Who did King Herod start to harass and persecute?
2. Who did he kill with the sword?
3. Which James was this?
4. Why did he arrest Peter?
5. Why did he delay killing Peter?
6. What was the church doing after Peter was arrested?
7. Who appeared to Peter in prison?
8. What happened when Peter first stood up?
9. What did the angel tell Peter to do?
10. What did Peter think was happening?
11. When Peter made it past the guards and into the streets, what did the angel do?
12. Where did Peter go?
13. Who was John Mark?
14. Who came to the door when Peter knocked?
15. What were the people gathered inside the house doing?
16. What did the people in the house think was outside?
17. After Peter told them what had happened, what did he do?
18. What happened to the soldiers who had guarded him?
19. With whom did the people of Tyre and Sidon make peace?
20. Why did God's angel strike Herod?
21. How did Herod die?
22. Who did Barnabas and Saul take with them as they set out for Antioch?

Chapter 13 Review Questions:

1. Where did Paul and Barnabas begin their first missionary journey?
2. Who sent them on their journey?
3. What city was their first stop?
4. What two cities did they visit on Cyprus?
5. Who was the proconsul of the island?
6. Who was Bar-Jesus?
7. What was his other name?
8. What happened to him when the Lord's hand was on him?
9. Where did Paul and Barnabas travel to after leaving Cyprus?
10. Who left their group to return to Jerusalem?
11. Where were Paul and Barnabas teaching while in Antioch of Pisidia?
12. Who begged Paul and Barnabas to teach them as well?
13. What was the reason the Jews tried to stop Paul and Barnabas from preaching to them?
14. What did Paul and Barnabas do when they were forced out of Antioch of Pisidia?
15. Which city was their next stop?

Chapter 14 Review Questions:

1. Where did Paul and Barnabas go upon reaching Iconium?
2. How many Jews and Greeks believed in what they preached?
3. Who stirred up the Gentiles against Paul and Barnabas?
4. Did they stay a short or long time in Iconium?
5. What violent plan did Paul and Barnabas avoid in Iconium?
6. What two cities in Lycaonia did they travel to?
7. What miracle did Paul perform in Lystra?
8. What did some of the people of Lystra call Paul and Barnabas?
9. What did the priest of Zeus intend to do?
10. How did Paul and Barnabas respond to him and the people with him?
11. Who came to Lystra to stir up trouble against Paul and Barnabas?
12. What happened to Paul at Lystra?
13. After preaching in Derbe, why did Paul and Barnabas revisit all of the cities they had been to?
14. What did they do when they returned to Antioch?
15. How long did they stay in Antioch, and with whom did they stay?

Chapter 15 Review Questions:

1. What did some of the Jewish Christians say the new Gentile Christians had to do?
2. Who disagreed with their teaching?
3. What city did they all go to in order to settle the matter?
4. Who was it specifically that wanted the Gentile Christians to be circumcised?
5. Who stood up and spoke first?
6. What did he compare the circumcising of the Gentiles to?
7. How did he say all are saved?
8. Who spoke next?
9. Who spoke third?
10. What Old Testament prophet did he quote from?
11. What suggestion did he give to the group?
12. What four things were they told in the letter to abstain (keep away) from?
13. Who delivered the letter to the church in Antioch?
14. What was the reaction of the Gentile Christians when the letter was read?
15. Who returned to Jerusalem?
16. What did Paul want he and Barnabas to do?
17. Who did Barnabas want to take with them?
18. Why did Paul not agree to Barnabas' suggestion?
19. Who did Paul take with him to Syria and Cilicia?
20. Where did Barnabas and John Mark go?

Chapter 16 Review Questions:

1. What nationality was Timothy's mother? Father?
2. What kind of reputation did Timothy have?
3. What did Paul do to Timothy before taking him with him?
4. Who did not allow Paul and his companions to preach in Asia?
5. What city were they in when Paul received a vision?
6. In the vision, a man was pleading for them to come help them. Where was he from?
7. After sailing from Troas to Samothrace, what city was reached next?
8. What foremost city of Macedonia did they stay in for several days?
9. Who did they meet at the riverside that was a seller of purple?
10. What city was she from?
11. What did she and her household do after hearing the word of the Lord taught?
12. Who followed Paul and his companions around the city for days?
13. What was wrong with her?
14. How did her masters make money off of her?
15. What did Paul do to her?
16. What did her masters do in response to this?
17. What was done to Paul and Silas?
18. What happened at midnight?
19. What was the jailer about to do to himself?
20. How many prisoners escaped?
21. What question did the jailer ask Paul and Silas?
22. After hearing the gospel, what did the jailer and all of his household do?

23. What did the jailer do for Paul and Silas?

24. What claim did Paul and Silas make to the Philippian magistrates?

25. Where did Paul and Silas stay after being released from prison?



"Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" - *Acts xvi. 30.*

Chapter 17 Review Questions:

1. At the beginning of Acts 17, what city did Paul preach in first?
2. What was the real reason behind the Jews stirring up trouble against Paul and his companions?
3. Whose house was attacked?
4. What were Paul and his companions accused of doing to the world?
5. Where did Paul and Silas go after leaving Thessalonica?
6. What were the people of that city diligent in doing?
7. Who came to Berea to stir up trouble against Paul and Silas?
8. Where did Paul travel to after leaving Berea?
9. What was that city filled with?
10. What two groups of philosophers confronted Paul?
11. How did Athenians spend their time?
12. Where was Paul taken to in Athens?
13. What inscription did Paul particularly notice on an altar in the city?
14. How did Paul first introduce God in his sermon?
15. What did Paul say all men of every nation were made from?
16. What had some of the Greek poets written that Paul quoted?
17. What had God overlooked concerning the Gentiles?
18. What does God command all men everywhere to do?
19. What will God do on the day He has appointed?
20. What proof did Paul give of the coming day?
21. What two people are named as becoming believers in Christ after hearing Paul preach?

Chapter 18 Review Questions:

1. What city did Paul travel to after he left Athens?
2. Who did he stay with while in that city?
3. What occupation did Paul have to help support himself?
4. Who came from Macedonia to join Paul in Corinth?
5. Did the Jews in Corinth gladly receive the gospel?
6. Who was a worshiper of God whose house was next door to the synagogue?
7. What ruler of the synagogue was baptized along with his household?
8. Were any Corinthians converted?
9. What message did the Lord have for Paul in the vision?
10. How long did Paul stay in Corinth?
11. Who was the proconsul of Achaia?
12. What was his answer to the Jews who brought Paul before him?
13. Who was beaten before the judgment seat and by whom?
14. Who traveled to Ephesus with Paul?
15. What did Paul do at Cenchrea?
16. What did Paul do at each stop as he journeyed toward Jerusalem?
17. Who was Apollos?
18. What baptism was he preaching?
19. Who taught him the gospel privately?
20. What region did Apollos travel through preaching that Jesus is the Christ?

Chapter 19 Review Questions:

1. What was John the Baptist baptizing for?
2. How many disciples, who had only heard of the baptism of John, did Paul baptize into Christ in Ephesus?
3. Whose school did Paul preach in every day while in Ephesus?
4. How long did Paul preach at this school?
5. What two articles of clothing were used to heal people after they had touched Paul?
6. Who tried to cast out an evil spirit, but it did not work?
7. What did the man with the evil spirit do to them?
8. What condition were they in when they ran out of the house?
9. What did the magicians of the city do that was unusual?
10. They did this after confessing their sins. What were their actions a sign of?
11. Where did Paul send Timothy and Erastus?
12. Who was Demetrius?
13. What item did he make that made him a lot of money?
14. Why did he gather the other silversmiths together?
15. Why did they consider Paul a threat to them?
16. Who did the crowd grab and drag into the theater?
17. Was Paul seized?
18. What Jew was put forward to make a defense to the crowd?
19. How long did the crowd shout?
20. Who was able to quiet the crowd?
21. What did he tell the crowd Demetrius should do?

22. Was he able to get the crowd to disperse and go home?

Chapter 20 Review Questions:

1. Which day of the week did the church meet?
2. What does "break bread" refer to in Acts 20:7?
3. How late did Paul preach that day?
4. Who fell asleep during Paul's sermon?
5. Where was he sitting?
6. What happened to him?
7. What did Paul do to him?
8. What city did this event take place in?
9. When Paul was in Miletus, he sent for the elders of what city?
10. What did he warn them about?
11. Why was Paul in a hurry to get to Jerusalem?
12. How many days after Passover would this take place?
13. What did Paul quote Jesus as saying?
14. What did Paul with the elders do before he left?
15. Why were the elders sorrowful?

Chapter 21 Review Questions:

1. As Paul sailed to Phoenicia, was Luke with him?
2. Whose house did Paul stay at while in Caesarea?
3. How many unmarried daughters did Philip have?
4. What did these women do?
5. What was the name of the prophet who came to Philip's house?
6. What did he say would happen to Paul at Jerusalem?
7. What did Paul say he was willing to do for Jesus?
8. How did the church at Jerusalem receive Paul?
9. Who stirred up the crowd in Jerusalem against Paul?
10. What did they assume Paul had done?
11. Where was Paul when the crowd seized him?
12. What did they do to Paul once they dragged him into the street?
13. Who came to break it up?
14. What language did Paul speak to the Roman commander?
15. Who did the Roman commander think Paul was at first?
16. In what language did Paul speak to the Jews?

Chapter 22 Review Questions:

1. Where did Paul say he was born?
2. Who did he say educated him?
3. What time of day was it when the light shone from heaven on the road to Damascus?
4. Who spoke to Paul from heaven?
5. What question did he ask Paul?
6. What did those with Paul see or hear at this time?
7. How did Paul get to Damascus being blind?
8. How long was Paul blind?
9. Who, in the city of Damascus, preached the gospel to Paul?
10. How was this man described?
11. What was Paul told to do to wash away his sins?
12. Who did the Lord tell Paul he was to go preach to?
13. What were the Roman soldiers going to do to Paul until they found out he was a Roman citizen?
14. How did Paul obtain his citizenship?
15. When the Roman commander released Paul, who did he set him before to testify?

Chapter 23 Review Questions:

1. What did Paul tell the Jewish council he had lived in before God?
2. Who was the high priest?
3. What did the high priest command those standing near Paul to do to him?
4. What did Paul call the Jewish rulers?
5. What two groups made up the council?
6. What did the Sadducees not believe in?
7. What topic did Paul bring up that put the council in an uproar?
8. Who rescued Paul from any violence by the Jewish council?
9. What message of encouragement did the Lord give to Paul?
10. How many Jews plotted to take Paul's life?
11. What did they vow not to do until they had killed Paul?
12. Who discovered the plot against Paul?
13. Whom did he tell it to first?
14. Whom did he tell it to next?
15. What was the name of the Roman commander?
16. What was the name of the Roman governor?
17. How many soldiers did the Roman commander gather as an escort for Paul?
18. What city did they take him to for trial?
19. Who else was headed to that city for Paul's trial?
20. What did the soldiers give to the governor when they arrived in the city?
21. Where was Paul confined until his trial was held?

Chapter 24 Review Questions:

1. How many days did it take for Ananias and Paul's accusers to reach Caesarea?
2. Who was Tertullus?
3. What three things did Tertullus accuse Paul of?
4. What was Paul's attitude as he stood to make his defense?
5. How many days had it been since Paul had first arrived in Jerusalem?
6. Did Paul say he was guilty of any of the accusations made against him?
7. How did Paul always try to live before God and man?
8. What one thing did Paul say was the reason he was being judged?
9. What did Felix say he was going to wait for before giving his decision in the case?
10. Who was Felix's wife?
11. While Paul was kept prisoner, who was allowed to visit him?
12. What three things did Paul preach to Felix about?
13. How much longer did Felix remain governor before he was replaced?
14. Who replaced him?
15. What did Felix hope that Paul would do?
16. Why did Felix not release Paul before Festus took over as governor?

Chapter 25 Review Questions:

1. Who was the new Roman governor?
2. What favor did the Jews ask of him?
3. Did Festus grant this request?
4. What was the real reason the Jews requested this?
5. In what city was Paul's second trial held?
6. Did Festus listen to both Paul's accusers and to Paul?
7. To whom did Festus want to do a favor?
8. What city did Festus ask Paul if he would be willing to go to for trial?
9. Where did Paul say he should stand trial?
10. Was Paul afraid to die?
11. To whom did Paul appeal?
12. Which Caesar was the ruling emperor in Rome at this time?
13. What was Festus' decision in Paul's case?
14. Who came to Caesarea and visited Festus?
15. What relation was Bernice to Agrippa?
16. Was Agrippa interested in Paul's case?
17. Why was Festus not able to release Paul?
18. Who will Paul's third trial be held before?
19. How did Agrippa and Bernice enter the judgment hall?
20. What problem was Festus having concerning Paul's case?

Chapter 26 Review Questions:

1. What was Agrippa an expert in?
2. Explain "the hope of the promise of our fathers".
3. Before Paul became a Christian, what were some of the things he did to persecute Christians?
4. Who had given Paul permission to go to Damascus to continue the persecution?
5. What language did Jesus speak to Paul from heaven?
6. To whom was Paul sent to preach?
7. What effect would the preaching have?
8. What two things would the Gentiles receive if they believed and obeyed the preaching?
9. What scriptures did Paul say his preaching was in agreement with?
10. What three things did Paul say Moses and the prophets had predicted about the Christ?
11. What did Festus accuse Paul of?
12. What did Paul say Agrippa believed in?
13. Is belief enough? (James 2:19)
14. Was Agrippa familiar with all of the things Paul had talked about?
15. Did Paul's preaching persuade Agrippa to become a Christian?
16. Did Agrippa and the other officials decide Paul was guilty or not guilty?
17. Why was Paul not released?

Chapter 27 Review Questions:

1. What was the name of the centurion who was given charge of Paul and the other prisoners?
2. What two companions of Paul went with him on this journey?
3. At what city did they change ships?
4. What port did Paul suggest they stay at for the winter?
5. What port did the ship's captain and owners want to reach for winter?
6. What was the name of the wind that blew up against them?
7. What danger in the sea did the sailors greatly fear running into?
8. What did the people on board not see for days because of the storm?
9. How long had the storm lasted?
10. What had no one been doing from the time the storm began?
11. How did Paul know the ship would be lost, but no one would die?
12. Who tried to escape the ship?
13. Who prevented them from doing so?
14. How many people were on board?
15. What cargo was the ship carrying?
16. On the 14th day of the storm, what did Paul encourage everyone to do that helped them?
17. Where did the ship run aground?
18. What did the Roman soldiers plan to do with the prisoners?
19. Who stopped them?
20. How many people successfully made it ashore?

Chapter 28 Review Questions:

1. What was the name of the island Paul and the others had been shipwrecked on?
2. Who showed great kindness to all who had been shipwrecked?
3. As Paul added sticks to the fire, what bit him on the hand?
4. What did the island people think Paul was because of this?
5. What happened to Paul as a result of the snake bite?
6. What did the island people think of Paul then?
7. Who was a chief man of the island with a great estate?
8. What was wrong with his father?
9. What did Paul do to him?
10. What did Paul do to everyone on the island who was sick or diseased?
11. How long did Paul and the others stay on Malta?
12. What was the figurehead on the ship that took them to Italy?
13. Who kept meeting Paul at each stop in Italy before he reached Rome?
14. Where was Paul allowed to live when he arrived in Rome?
15. Was Paul still considered a prisoner?
16. If so, what was done to him?
17. Who did Paul invite to his home to preach to?
18. What did the Jews want to hear more about?
19. Were any of the Jews persuaded to believe in Jesus Christ?
20. From which Old Testament prophet did Paul quote?
21. Who did Paul say salvation was sent to?
22. How long did Paul live in Rome?
23. What did he continue to do even as he was under "house arrest"?

Answer

Key

Chapter 1 Review Questions:

1. Who wrote the book of Acts? (Luke)
2. To whom was Acts written? (Theophilus)
3. How many days was Jesus on the earth after his resurrection? (40)
4. What city did Jesus command his disciples to stay in? (Jerusalem)
5. What was the "Promise of the Father"? (The Holy Spirit)
6. When would the apostles receive power? (When the Holy Spirit came upon them)
7. After witnessing to others in Jerusalem, where were the apostles to preach next? (Judea, then Samaria, then all parts of the earth)
8. What happened after Jesus finished speaking to them? (He ascended into heaven.)
9. Who appeared then? (Two angels)
10. How will Jesus come again one day? (As he was taken up - in a cloud)
11. Where was Jesus when he ascended? (Mt. of Olives)
12. How many apostles were waiting in an upper room in Jerusalem? (11)
13. Who was missing and why? (Judas Iscariot was missing because he was dead.)
14. How many disciples were assembled together in Jerusalem? (120)
15. What was the name of the field where Judas died? (Akel dama)
16. What did that name mean? (Field of blood)
17. What two men were put forth as candidates to replace Judas? (Joseph and Matthias)
18. What did Peter and the apostles do first in the decision-making process? (Prayed to God)
19. How did God show them His choice? (Through the casting of lots)
20. Who was chosen? (Matthias)

Chapter 2 Review Questions:

1. On what day does Acts 2 take place? (Day of Pentecost)
2. How many days was this after Passover? (50)
3. What sound did the apostles hear as they waited in a room? (A mighty, rushing wind)
4. What appeared on each of the apostles' heads? (Tongues of fire)
5. What did the apostles begin speaking? (Languages of other nations)
6. Why were there several Jewish men from other countries gathered in Jerusalem? (They were there for the feast of Pentecost)
7. What did these Jews hear as they listened to the apostles speaking? (Every one heard them speak in his own language.)
8. What did some mockers accuse the apostles of? (Being drunk)
9. What time of day was this? (3rd hour of the day or 9:00 a.m.)
10. Which Old Testament prophet did Peter quote from first? (Joel)
11. What did Peter accuse the Jews of doing? (Crucifying Jesus, the Son of God)
12. Whom did Peter say had raised Jesus from the dead? (God)
13. What Old Testament Jewish king did Peter quote from? (David)
14. What did he say this king had prophesied? (Jesus' resurrection)
15. Where did Peter say Jesus was now? (At the right hand of God)
16. What was the reaction of the people to this sermon? (They were cut to the heart.)
17. What did Peter tell them to do? (Repent and be baptized.)
18. What is baptism for? (Remission of sins)
19. Upon baptism, what does one receive? (The gift of the Holy Spirit)
20. How many were baptized that day? (3,000)

21. What four things did the new Christians continue in? (1-Apostles' doctrine, 2-fellowship, 3-breaking of bread, 4-prayers)
22. Who added people to the church? (The Lord)

Chapter 3 Review Questions:

1. At what time of day did Peter and John go to the temple? (They went at the hour of prayer, the ninth hour.)
2. Where did the lame man lay every day to beg alms? (The Beautiful Gate at the temple)
3. How long had this man been lame? (He had been lame from birth.)
4. What did Peter and John say they did not have? (Silver and gold)
5. In whose name did they heal the lame man? (In the name of Jesus Christ)
6. What did the man do immediately after he was healed? (Walked and leaped and praised God)
7. How old was the lame man? (Over 40)
8. Where did the people in the temple gather to see what had happened? (Solomon's porch)
9. What did Peter take an opportunity to do with a crowd gathered around him? (Preach a sermon)
10. What reason did Peter give for the Jews crucifying the Son of God? (Ignorance)
11. What did Peter tell the people to do? (Repent and be converted)
12. From which Old Testament prophet did Peter quote? (Moses)
13. Christ was compared to which prophet from the Old Testament? (Moses)
14. How many prophets foretold the things that were happening at this time? (All of the prophets from Samuel and following)
15. To whom did God send Jesus first? (The Jews)

Chapter 4 Review Questions:

1. What did the Jewish Sanhedrin do to Peter and John in response to this miracle? (Arrested them)
2. At this same time, how many people had now become Christians (men only)? (5,000)
3. Who was the high priest? (Annas)
4. What question did the Sanhedrin ask Peter and John? (By what power or by what name have you done this?)
5. What answer did they give? (By the name of Jesus Christ)
6. Why were the Sanhedrin amazed? (They were surprised at the boldness of Peter and John when they knew them to be poor, uneducated men.)
7. What did the Sanhedrin do to them? (Threatened them not to preach about Jesus anymore)
8. Did Peter and John agree to keep silent? (No)
9. Why was the Sanhedrin reluctant to punish Peter and John? (Because all of the people were glorifying God over the miracle that had been done)
10. When Peter and John were released and returned to their friends, what did they all do together? (Prayed)
11. What were they praying for? (More boldness to preach and heal)
12. What were they filled with? (Holy Spirit)
13. What happened to the place where they were gathered as they prayed? (It shook)
14. How did Christians help others who were in need? (By sharing what they had or selling possessions and giving the money)
15. What does Barnabas mean? (Son of encouragement)

Chapter 5 Review Questions:

1. What did Ananias and Sapphira sell? (Some land)
2. Was it wrong for them to keep part of the money? (No)
3. What did they lie about? (The amount they were giving. They said it was all of the money when it was only part.)
4. Who did Peter say Ananias had lied to? (The Holy Spirit and God)
5. What happened to Ananias and Sapphira? (They fell down dead.)
6. What was the effect on the church and others who heard? (They feared greatly.)
7. Does God take lying seriously? (Yes, it is a sin.)
8. Did the church continue to grow at this time? (Yes)
9. What were people coming from miles around for? (To be healed by Peter)
10. What was it of Peter that they wanted to fall on them? (His shadow)
11. How many were turned away from being healed? (None)
12. Who got upset with the apostles? (The Jewish council, particularly the Sadducees)
13. What did they do to the apostles? (Put them in prison)
14. What happened that night? (An angel released them.)
15. Where were they commanded to go? (Back to the temple to preach)
16. When they were arrested again the next day, were they harmed? (No)
17. Why was the council upset with them? (For disobeying their order to stop preaching and for blaming the death of Jesus on them)
18. Who did Peter say they were going to obey? (God)
19. What did the council want to do to them? (Kill them)
20. Who calmed everyone down? (Gamaliel)
21. What kind of man was he? (A Pharisee, teacher of the law, and well-respected)

22. What advice did he give? (Leave them alone and see what happens - if it's from men, it will die away, if it's from God, nothing will stop it.)
23. What did they do to the apostles before they were released? (Beat them)
24. How did the apostles react to it? (They rejoiced to suffer for Christ's sake.)
25. What did the apostles continue to do? (Preach and teach)

Chapter 6 Review Questions:

1. What problem arose in the church? (Certain widows were being neglected)
2. Who complained? (The Hellenists)
3. What did the apostles tell the church to do? (Select seven men to handle the work)
4. What characteristics did these men need to have? (Good reputations, full of the Holy Spirit and wise)
5. Why did the apostles not do the extra work themselves? (Their job was to preach the gospel.)
6. What were the names of the seven men chosen? (Stephen, Philip, Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas, Nicolas)
7. What two things did the apostles do to these men? (Prayed for them and laid their hands on them)
8. What group of Jews were obeying the gospel and becoming Christians? (Priests)
9. What was Stephen doing among the people? (Great wonders and signs)
10. Who had a disagreement with Stephen? (Jewish freedmen)
11. How did Stephen speak with them? (With wisdom and the Spirit of God)
12. Who did the Jewish freedmen stir up against Stephen? (The people, the elders and the scribes)
13. Where did they take Stephen? (Before the Sanhedrin, the Jewish council)
14. What did they accuse him of? (Speaking against God, Moses and the temple)
15. Was it a true or false accusation? (False)
16. Was Stephen scared to be brought before the council? (No)
17. What did his face look like as he faced the council? (An angel)

Chapter 7 Review Questions:

1. Who is the first Jewish ancestor Stephen mentions to the Sanhedrin? (Abraham)
2. How long did God say His people would be in bondage to a foreign nation? (400 years)
3. Who was the father of the twelve patriarchs? (Jacob)
4. Which of the twelve sons was sold into Egypt? (Joseph)
5. Who raised Moses? (The daughter of Pharaoh)
6. What two things was Moses mighty in? (Words and deeds)
7. How old was Moses when he killed the Egyptian? (40)
8. What country did he escape to? (Midian)
9. How long did he live there before the Lord appeared to him in a burning bush? (40 years)
10. What three places did Moses do great signs and wonders? (Land of Egypt, the Red Sea, the wilderness)
11. Who did Moses say God would raise up like him? (A Prophet)
12. Who was he referring to? (Jesus)
13. Were the people obedient to Moses? (No)
14. What did they build for themselves? (A golden calf as an idol to worship)
15. Did God warn them there would be consequences for their idolatry? (Yes)
16. What were the consequences? (Captivity in a foreign land - Babylon)
17. What was the portable place of worship that Moses built after a pattern God showed him? (The tabernacle)
18. Who built a house for the Lord? (Solomon)
19. Where is God's throne? (Heaven)
20. What is His footstool? (Earth)

21. What did Stephen call the Jewish people? (Stiff-necked)
22. Who did Stephen accuse the Sanhedrin of murdering? (The Just One - Jesus)
23. How did the Sanhedrin react to Stephen's sermon? (They were furious and took him outside the city to stone him.)
24. What were Stephen's final words? ("Lord, do not charge them with this sin.")
25. What is a martyr? (One who is killed for his religious beliefs)

Chapter 8 Review Questions:

1. Who was involved with the persecution of the church? (Saul)
2. What was one of the ways Christians were persecuted? (They were put in prison.)
3. Where did Philip first go to preach? (Samaria)
4. Besides preaching, what else did Philip do there? (Miracles)
5. What was the name of the sorcerer who saw and heard Philip? (Simon)
6. What is sorcery? (Using magical powers that are obtained through evil spirits)
7. Which apostles came to Samaria? (Peter and John)
8. What did they go to Samaria to do? (Pray for and lay hands on the new Christians so they would receive the Holy Spirit)
9. Did the new Christians receive the gift of the Holy Spirit when they were baptized as is stated in Acts 2:38? (Yes)
10. In what way were these new Christians receiving the Holy Spirit from the apostles? (When the apostles laid their hands on them, they were giving them the power of the Holy Spirit to perform miracles and to have miraculous gifts such as speaking in tongues and prophesying.)
11. Why did Simon offer the apostles money? (He wanted to buy the miraculous power of the Holy Spirit.)
12. How did Peter react to him? (He told Simon that the power of God could not be bought and that he needed to repent and ask for forgiveness.)
13. Did Simon ask to be forgiven? (Yes)
14. Who was Philip sent to preach to next? (The Ethiopian)
15. What position did he hold? (He was treasurer to the queen.)
16. Why had he been in Jerusalem? (To worship)
17. What Old Testament book was he reading from? (Isaiah)
18. What chapter in that book was he reading from? (Chapter 53)

19. What was his question about what he was reading? (Was the prophet referring to himself or someone else?)
20. After Philip preached to him, what did the man want to do? (Be baptized)
21. Who went into the water? (Both Philip and the Ethiopian)
22. What happened to Philip after he baptized the man? (The Spirit of the Lord took him away to Azotus.)
23. What was the man doing as he continued his journey home? (Rejoicing)

Chapter 9 Review Questions:

1. Who did Saul go to for letters of authority? (The high priest)
2. What did the letters authorize Saul to do? (Go to Damascus to arrest followers of the Way [Christians])
3. What did Saul see and hear on the road to Damascus? (A light and a voice from heaven)
4. Who was speaking to Saul and what did He say? (Jesus spoke to Saul and said, "Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting Me?")
5. What was Saul's reaction? (He trembled and was astonished.)
6. Did the men traveling with him see or hear anything? (They heard a voice but saw no one)
7. Once Saul knew who was speaking to him, what did he ask? ("Lord, what do you want me to do?")
8. What was Saul told to do? (Go into the city and he would be told what to do)
9. What was Saul's condition when the encounter was over? (He was blind.)
10. How many days was he in this condition? (3)
11. What did Saul not do for three days? (Eat or drink)
12. What was he doing during this time? (Praying)
13. How did the Lord appear to Ananias? (In a vision)
14. Where was Saul staying? (At the house of Judas on Straight Street)
15. Was Ananias willing to go to Saul at first? (No)
16. What did the Lord tell Ananias Saul was to Him? (A chosen vessel)
17. Who did the Lord say Saul would preach to? (Gentiles, kings, and children of Israel)
18. What did Ananias do to Saul when he first encountered him? (Laid his hands on him)

19. After Ananias gave Saul the message from the Lord, what happened immediately?
(He was able to see again after something like scales fell from his eyes.)
20. What did Saul do immediately after that? (He was baptized.)
21. What did some of the Jews in Damascus want to do to Saul? (Kill him)
22. How did he escape the city? (Some of the disciples let Saul down through the wall in a basket.)
23. What city did Saul go to next? (Jerusalem)
24. How did the church react to him? (They were afraid of him.)
25. Who convinced the apostles and the church that Saul was truly a fellow believer?
(Barnabas)
26. What group of people got into an argument with Saul in Jerusalem? (The Hellenists)
27. What did they want to do to Saul? (Kill him)
28. What did the brethren of the church do to help Saul? (Sent him to Tarsus to be safe)
29. What did the churches in the regions of Samaria, Judea and Galilee have? (Peace)
30. Town where Aeneas lived. (Lydda)
31. How many years had Aeneas been bedridden? (8)
32. What was physically wrong with Aeneas? (He was paralyzed.)
33. Peter told Aeneas that this is who healed him. (Jesus the Christ)
34. What did Peter tell Aeneas to do? ("Arise and make your bed.")
35. The people of what city saw the healed man and turned to the Lord. (Lydda)
36. What city did Tabitha live in? (Joppa)
37. What was Tabitha's other name? (Dorcas)
38. What kind of woman was she? (Full of good works and charitable deeds)

39. What happened to Tabitha? (She became sick and died.)
40. Where was her body laid? (In an upper room)
41. Who sent for Peter? (The disciples at Joppa)
42. Who was in Tabitha's house weeping when Peter arrived? (Widows)
43. What had Tabitha made for them? (Tunics and garments)
44. After Peter knelt by Tabitha's bed and prayed, what did he say to her? ("Tabitha, arise.")
45. Who did Peter show Tabitha to after raising her from the dead? (The saints and widows)
46. What was the result of that miracle on the people in Joppa? (Many believed on the Lord)
47. Who did Peter stay with in Joppa? (Simon, the tanner)

Chapter 10 Review Questions:

1. Where did Cornelius live? (Caesarea)
2. What was his occupation? (A centurion in the Italian Regiment)
3. What kind of man was Cornelius? (A devout man who feared God)
4. What two things did Cornelius do that came up to God as a memorial? (Prayed and gave alms)
5. Who appeared to Cornelius in his vision? (An angel of God)
6. What time of day was it and what was Cornelius doing? (9th hour [3:00 p.m.]; fasting and praying)
7. What was Cornelius told to do? (Send men to Joppa for Peter)
8. Why was it necessary for Cornelius to send for Peter when he was already a good religious man? (It was not enough. There was more he needed to hear and to obey.)
9. Where was Peter staying? (In the house of Simon the tanner)
10. In Joppa, where was Peter praying and what time of day was it? (On the housetop; 6th hour [noon])
11. What did Peter see in his vision? (A great sheet tied at each corner with all kinds of animals in it coming down to earth from heaven.)
12. What did a voice tell Peter to do? ("Rise, Peter; kill and eat.")
13. Why did Peter not obey? (He said he had never eaten anything unclean.)
14. What did the voice respond? ("What God has cleansed you must not call common.")
15. How many times did this happen in Peter's vision? (3)
16. Who was assembled at Cornelius' house? (His relatives and close friends)
17. What did Cornelius do as soon as Peter entered his house that Peter had to correct? (Fell at his feet and worshiped)
18. After listening to Cornelius talk about his vision and thinking about his own vision,

what did Peter say? ("God shows no partiality." God doesn't show favoritism or prejudice.)

19. Who did Peter preach about? (Jesus the Christ)

20. What happened to the listeners as Peter was finishing his sermon? (The Holy Spirit fell on them.)

21. What did they begin to do? (Speak miraculously in tongues)

22. How did this sign affect the Jews who were with Peter? (They saw for themselves that God was allowing salvation to the Gentiles as well as the Jews.)

23. What was done to Cornelius and the others in his house? (They were baptized.)

24. How long did Peter stay? (A few days)

Chapter 11 Review Questions:

1. Who heard that the *Gentiles* had received the word of God? (Apostles and brethren in Judea)
2. What city in Judea did Peter return to? (Jerusalem)
3. When Peter was accused of associating with *Gentiles*, how did he answer? (He explained his vision in Joppa, the vision of Cornelius, and what took place in Cornelius' house.)
4. What was Peter's conclusion to what he saw and heard in Joppa and Caesarea? (If God gave *Gentiles* the gift of the Holy Spirit too, then who was Peter to stand against God?)
5. What was the reaction of the Jewish brethren when they heard Peter's account? (They glorified God.)
6. Why had Christians scattered to different countries and cities? (Persecution had arisen after the death of Stephen.)
7. As Christians scattered, they continued to preach the gospel. Who were they preaching it to? (Jews only)
8. How many believed and turned to the Lord? (A great number)
9. Who did the church in Jerusalem send to Antioch? (Barnabas)
10. How is he described? (As a good man, full of faith and the Holy Spirit)
11. Who did he go to Tarsus to look for? (Saul)
12. How long did Saul and Barnabas stay in Antioch? (A year)
13. What were they doing there? (Teaching the people)
14. What were the disciples first called in Antioch? (Christians)
15. Who was Agabus? (A prophet)
16. What event did he prophesy about? (A great famine)
17. When would this event take place? (During the reign of Claudius Caesar)

18. What did the brethren in Antioch decide to do to help? (Take up donations for relief of the brethren in Judea)
19. Who was to take it to Judea? (Barnabas and Saul)
20. Who were they to give it to? (The elders of the church)

Chapter 12 Review Questions:

1. Who did King Herod start to harass and persecute? (The church)
2. Who did he kill with the sword? (James)
3. Which James was this? (The brother of John, son of Zebedee)
4. Why did he arrest Peter? (To please the Jews)
5. Why did he delay killing Peter? (It was the Feast of Unleavened Bread. He was going to wait until Passover was over.)
6. What was the church doing after Peter was arrested? (Praying constantly)
7. Who appeared to Peter in prison? (An angel)
8. What happened when Peter first stood up? (His chains fell off his hands.)
9. What did the angel tell Peter to do? (Put on his sandals and get dressed)
10. What did Peter think was happening? (He thought he was having a vision.)
11. When Peter made it past the guards and into the streets, what did the angel do? (Left him)
12. Where did Peter go? (To the house of Mary)
13. Who was John Mark? (Mary's son)
14. Who came to the door when Peter knocked? (Rhoda)
15. What were the people gathered inside the house doing? (Praying)
16. What did the people in the house think was outside? (Peter's ghost)
17. After Peter told them what had happened, what did he do? (Left town)
18. What happened to the soldiers who had guarded him? (They were put to death.)
19. With whom did the people of Tyre and Sidon make peace? (Herod)
20. Why did God's angel strike Herod? (The people were calling him a god and Herod did not deny it or give glory to the one true God.)
21. How did Herod die? (He was eaten by worms.)

22. Who did Barnabas and Saul take with them as they set out for Antioch? (John Mark)

Chapter 13 Review Questions:

1. Where did Paul and Barnabas begin their first missionary journey? (Antioch)
2. Who sent them on their journey? (The Holy Spirit)
3. What city was their first stop? (Seleucia)
4. What two cities did they visit on Cyprus? (Salamis and Paphos)
5. Who was the proconsul of the island? (Sergius Paulus)
6. Who was Bar-Jesus? (A Jew who was a false prophet and a sorcerer)
7. What was his other name? (Elymas)
8. What happened to him when the Lord's hand was on him? (He became blind.)
9. Where did Paul and Barnabas travel to after leaving Cyprus? (Perga in Pamphylia)
10. Who left their group to return to Jerusalem? (John Mark)
11. Where were Paul and Barnabas teaching while in Antioch of Pisidia? (The synagogue of the Jews)
12. Who begged Paul and Barnabas to teach them as well? (Gentiles)
13. What was the reason the Jews tried to stop Paul and Barnabas from preaching to them? (Envy)
14. What did Paul and Barnabas do when they were forced out of Antioch of Pisidia? (Shook the dust off their feet)
15. Which city was their next stop? (Iconium)

Chapter 14 Review Questions:

1. Where did Paul and Barnabas go upon reaching Iconium? (They went to the synagogue.)
2. How many Jews and Greeks believed in what they preached? (A great multitude)
3. Who stirred up the Gentiles against Paul and Barnabas? (The unbelieving Jews)
4. Did they stay a short or long time in Iconium? (A long time)
5. What violent plan did Paul and Barnabas avoid in Iconium? (Being stoned)
6. What two cities in Lycaonia did they travel to? (Lystra and Derbe)
7. What miracle did Paul perform in Lystra? (He healed a lame man.)
8. What did some of the people of Lystra call Paul and Barnabas? (gods - They called Paul Hermes, and Barnabus they called Zeus.)
9. What did the priest of Zeus intend to do? (He and the people intended to offer sacrifices to Paul and Barnabas.)
10. How did Paul and Barnabas respond to him and the people with him? (They tore their clothes and cried out for them not to do such a thing. They preached Jesus to them.)
11. Who came to Lystra to stir up trouble against Paul and Barnabas? (Jews from Antioch and Iconium)
12. What happened to Paul at Lystra? (He was stoned.)
13. After preaching in Derbe, why did Paul and Barnabas revisit all of the cities they had been to? (They were encouraging the new Christians and appointing elders in each church.)
14. What did they do when they returned to Antioch? (They gave a report of their missionary journey.)
15. How long did they stay in Antioch, and with whom did they stay? (They stayed a long time with the disciples.)

Chapter 15 Review Questions:

1. What did some of the Jewish Christians say the new *Gentile Christians* had to do? (Be circumcised and follow the law of Moses)
2. Who disagreed with their teaching? (Paul and Barnabas)
3. What city did they all go to in order to settle the matter? (Jerusalem)
4. Who was it specifically that wanted the *Gentile Christians* to be circumcised? (Some of the Pharisees who had become Christians)
5. Who stood up and spoke first? (Peter)
6. What did he compare the circumcising of the *Gentiles* to? (A yoke on their neck, a heavy burden)
7. How did he say all are saved? (Through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ)
8. Who spoke next? (Barnabas and Paul)
9. Who spoke third? (James)
10. What Old Testament prophet did he quote from? (Amos)
11. What suggestion did he give to the group? (To write a letter of encouragement to the *Gentile Christians* in Antioch)
12. What four things were they told in the letter to abstain (keep away) from? (1. Things polluted by idols, 2. Sexual immorality, 3. Things strangled, 4. Blood)
13. Who delivered the letter to the church in Antioch? (Paul, Barnabas, Judas and Silas)
14. What was the reaction of the *Gentile Christians* when the letter was read? (They rejoiced greatly.)
15. Who returned to Jerusalem? (Judas)
16. What did Paul want he and Barnabas to do? (He wanted them to revisit the cities they had previously preached to and see how the new Christians were doing.)
17. Who did Barnabas want to take with them? (John Mark)

18. Why did Paul not agree to Barnabas' suggestion? (John Mark had left in the middle of the 1st missionary journey. Paul didn't think he was dependable.)
19. Who did Paul take with him to Syria and Cilicia? (Silas)
20. Where did Barnabas and John Mark go? (Cyprus)

Chapter 16 Review Questions:

1. What nationality was Timothy's mother? (Jewish) Father? (Greek)
2. What kind of reputation did Timothy have? (A good one; he was well spoken of)
3. What did Paul do to Timothy before taking him with him? (Circumcised him)
4. Who did not allow Paul and his companions to preach in Asia? (The Holy Spirit)
5. What city were they in when Paul received a vision? (Troas)
6. In the vision, a man was pleading for them to come help them. Where was he from? (Macedonia)
7. After sailing from Troas to Samothrace, what city was reached next? (Neapolis)
8. What foremost city of Macedonia did they stay in for several days? (Philippi)
9. Who did they meet at the riverside that was a seller of purple? (Lydia)
10. What city was she from? (Thyatira)
11. What did she and her household do after hearing the word of the Lord taught? (They were baptized.)
12. Who followed Paul and his companions around the city for days? (A slave girl)
13. What was wrong with her? (She was possessed with a spirit of divination.)
14. How did her masters make money off of her? (Through her fortune-telling)
15. What did Paul do to her? (Healed her by commanding the spirit to come out of her)
16. What did her masters do in response to this? (Dragged Paul and Silas before the authorities of the city)
17. What was done to Paul and Silas? (They were beaten and thrown in prison.)
18. What happened at midnight? (An earthquake opened the prison doors and loosed the chains of all the prisoners.)
19. What was the jailer about to do to himself? (Kill himself)

20. How many prisoners escaped? (None)
21. What question did the jailer ask Paul and Silas? ("What must I do to be saved?")
22. After hearing the gospel, what did the jailer and all of his household do? (They were baptized.)
23. What did the jailer do for Paul and Silas? (Washed their stripes and fed them)
24. What claim did Paul and Silas make to the Philippian magistrates? (They were Roman citizens.)
25. Where did Paul and Silas stay after being released from prison? (The house of Lydia)

Chapter 17 Review Questions:

1. At the beginning of Acts 17, what city did Paul preach in first? (Thessalonica)
2. What was the real reason behind the Jews stirring up trouble again Paul and his companions? (They were envious.)
3. Whose house was attacked? (Jason's)
4. What were Paul and his companions accused of doing to the world? (Turning it upside down with their preaching)
5. Where did Paul and Silas go after leaving Thessalonica? (Berea)
6. What were the people of that city diligent in doing? (Searching the Scriptures to know the truth)
7. Who came to Berea to stir up trouble against Paul and Silas? (The Jews from Thessalonica)
8. Where did Paul travel to after leaving Berea? (Athens)
9. What was that city filled with? (Idols)
10. What two groups of philosophers confronted Paul? (Epicureans and Stoics)
11. How did Athenians spend their time? (Telling or hearing about some new thing)
12. Where was Paul taken to in Athens? (Mars Hill or the Areopagus)
13. What inscription did Paul particularly notice on an altar in the city? ("To the Unknown God")
14. How did Paul first introduce God in his sermon? (As the Creator of the world and all living things)
15. What did Paul say all men of every nation were made from? (One blood)
16. What had some of the Greek poets written that Paul quoted? ("For we are also His offspring.")
17. What had God overlooked concerning the Gentiles? (Their ignorance in worshiping God through idolatry)

18. What does *God* command all men everywhere to do? (Repent)
19. What will *God* do on the day He has appointed? (Judge the world)
20. What proof did Paul give of the coming day? (The resurrection of Jesus Christ)
21. What two people are named as becoming believers in *Christ* after hearing Paul preach? (Dionysius and Damaris)

Chapter 18 Review Questions:

1. What city did Paul travel to after he left Athens? (Corinth)
2. Who did he stay with while in that city? (Aquila and Priscilla)
3. What occupation did Paul have to help support himself? (Tentmaker)
4. Who came from Macedonia to join Paul in Corinth? (Silas and Timothy)
5. Did the Jews in Corinth gladly receive the gospel? (No!)
6. Who was a worshiper of God whose house was next door to the synagogue? (Justus)
7. What ruler of the synagogue was baptized along with his household? (Crispus)
8. Were any Corinthians converted? (Yes)
9. What message did the Lord have for Paul in the vision? (Do not be afraid. I am with you. No harm will come to you in this city.)
10. How long did Paul stay in Corinth? (A year and a half)
11. Who was the proconsul of Achaia? (Gallio)
12. What was his answer to the Jews who brought Paul before him? (If Paul had committed a crime, he would hear the case, but if it was just a religious matter, he would have nothing to do with it.)
13. Who was beaten before the judgment seat and by whom? (Sosthenes by the Greeks)
14. Who traveled to Ephesus with Paul? (Aquila and Priscilla)
15. What did Paul do at Cenchrea? (Had his hair cut off)
16. What did Paul do at each stop as he journeyed toward Jerusalem? (Strengthened the churches)
17. Who was Apollos? (A Jew born in Alexandria who enthusiastically preached the Scriptures.)
18. What baptism was he preaching? (The baptism of John)

19. Who taught him the gospel privately? (Aquila and Priscilla)

20. What region did Apollos travel through preaching that Jesus is the Christ?
(Achaia)

Chapter 19 Review Questions:

1. What was John the Baptist baptizing for? (Repentance)
2. How many disciples, who had only heard of the baptism of John, did Paul baptize into Christ in Ephesus? (12)
3. Whose school did Paul preach in every day while in Ephesus? (School of Tyrannus)
4. How long did Paul preach at this school? (Two years)
5. What two articles of clothing were used to heal people after they had touched Paul? (Aprons and handkerchiefs)
6. Who tried to cast out an evil spirit, but it did not work? (The seven sons of Sceva)
7. What did the man with the evil spirit do to them? (Attacked them)
8. What condition were they in when they ran out of the house? (Naked and wounded)
9. What did the magicians of the city do that was unusual? (They burned their valuable books.)
10. They did this after confessing their sins. What were their actions a sign of? (Their repentance)
11. Where did Paul send Timothy and Erastus? (To Macedonia)
12. Who was Demetrius? (A silversmith in Ephesus)
13. What item did he make that made him a lot of money? (Silver shrines of Diana)
14. Why did he gather the other silversmiths together? (To stir them up against Paul and his preaching)
15. Why did they consider Paul a threat to them? (He said idols were false gods. Their business would be hurt if people believed Paul.)
16. Who did the crowd grab and drag into the theater? (Gaius and Aristarchus)
17. Was Paul seized? (No)
18. What Jew was put forward to make a defense to the crowd? (Alexander)

19. How long did the crowd shout? (Two hours)

20. Who was able to quiet the crowd? (The city clerk)

21. What did he tell the crowd Demetrius should do? (If he had a case against Paul, he should take it to the proconsuls.)

22. Was he able to get the crowd to disperse and go home? (Yes)

Chapter 20 Review Questions:

1. What day of the week did the church meet? (The first day, Sunday)
2. What does "break bread" refer to in Acts 20:7? (The Lord's Supper)
3. How late did Paul preach that day? (Until midnight)
4. Who fell asleep during Paul's sermon? (Eutychus)
5. Where was he sitting? (In a window, three stories above ground)
6. What happened to him? (He fell out of the window and died.)
7. What did Paul do to him? (Resurrected him)
8. What city did this event take place in? (Troas)
9. When Paul was in Miletus, he sent for the elders of what city? (Ephesus)
10. What did he warn them about? (Wolves coming into the flock - false teachers)
11. Why was Paul in a hurry to get to Jerusalem? (For the Day of Pentecost)
12. How many days after Passover would this take place? (50)
13. What did Paul quote Jesus as saying? ("It is more blessed to give than to receive.")
14. What did Paul with the elders do before he left? (They knelt down and prayed.)
15. Why were the elders sorrowful? (They did not think they would ever see Paul again.)

Chapter 21 Review Questions:

1. As Paul sailed to Phoenicia, was Luke with him? (Yes)
2. Whose house did Paul stay at while in Caesarea? (Philip's)
3. How many unmarried daughters did Philip have? (4)
4. What did these women do? (Prophesied)
5. What was the name of the prophet who came to Philip's house? (Agabus)
6. What did he say would happen to Paul at Jerusalem? (He would be bound by the Jews and handed over to the Gentiles.)
7. What did Paul say he was willing to do for Jesus? (Die)
8. How did the church at Jerusalem receive Paul? (Gladly)
9. Who stirred up the crowd in Jerusalem against Paul? (Jews from Asia)
10. What did they assume Paul had done? (Brought a Greek into the temple)
11. Where was Paul when the crowd seized him? (In the temple)
12. What did they do to Paul once they dragged him into the street? (Attacked him)
13. Who came to break it up? (The Roman commander)
14. What language did Paul speak to the Roman commander? (Greek)
15. Who did the Roman commander think Paul was at first? (An Egyptian who had tried to stir up a revolt in Jerusalem)
16. What language did Paul speak to the Jews? (Hebrew)

Chapter 22 Review Questions:

1. Where did Paul say he was born? (Tarsus in Cilicia)
2. Who did he say educated him? (Gamaliel)
3. What time of day was it when the light shone from heaven on the road to Damascus? (Noon)
4. Who spoke to Paul from heaven? (Jesus)
5. What question did he ask Paul? ("Why are you persecuting me?")
6. What did those with Paul see or hear at this time? (They saw the light and were afraid, but they did not hear the voice.)
7. How did Paul get to Damascus being blind? (He was led there by those who were journeying with him.)
8. How long was Paul blind? (3 days)
9. Who, in the city of Damascus, preached the gospel to Paul? (Ananias)
10. How was this man described? (He was a devout man with a good reputation among the Jews.)
11. What was Paul told to do to wash away his sins? (Be baptized)
12. Who did the Lord tell Paul he was to go preach to? (The Gentiles)
13. What were the Roman soldiers going to do to Paul until they found out he was a Roman citizen? (Scourge him)
14. How did Paul obtain his citizenship? (By birth)
15. When the Roman commander released Paul, who did he set him before to testify? (The Jewish council)

Chapter 23 Review Questions:

1. What did Paul tell the Jewish council he had lived in before God? (A good conscience)
2. Who was the high priest? (Ananias)
3. What did the high priest command those standing near Paul to do to him? (Strike him on the mouth)
4. What did Paul call the Jewish rulers? (A whitewashed wall)
5. What two groups made up the council? (Pharisees and Sadducees)
6. What did the Sadducees not believe in? (Resurrection from the dead, spirits, angels)
7. What topic did Paul bring up that put the council in an uproar? (Resurrection)
8. Who rescued Paul from any violence by the Jewish council? (The Roman commander)
9. What message of encouragement did the Lord give to Paul? ("Be of good cheer.")
10. How many Jews plotted to take Paul's life? (Over 40)
11. What did they vow not to do until they had killed Paul? (Not to eat or drink)
12. Who discovered the plot against Paul? (Paul's nephew)
13. Whom did he tell it to first? (Paul)
14. Whom did he tell it to next? (The Roman commander)
15. What was the name of the Roman commander? (Lysias)
16. What was the name of the Roman governor? (Felix)
17. How many soldiers did the Roman commander gather as an escort for Paul? (470)
18. What city did they take him to for trial? (Caesarea)
19. Who else was headed to that city for Paul's trial? (His accusers)
20. What did the soldiers give to the governor when they arrived in the city? (The

letter from Lysias)

21. Where was Paul confined until his trial was held? (Herod's Praetorium)

Chapter 24 Review Questions:

1. How many days did it take for Ananias and Paul's accusers to reach Caesarea? (5)
2. Who was Tertullus? (A public speaker chosen by the Jews to present the accusations against Paul before Felix.)
3. What three things did Tertullus accuse Paul of? (1- He caused division among the Jews all over the world, 2- He was a ringleader of the followers of Jesus, 3-He tried to defile the temple in Jerusalem)
4. What was Paul's attitude as he stood to make his defense? (He was cheerful.)
5. How many days had it been since Paul had first arrived in Jerusalem? (12)
6. Did Paul say he was guilty of any of the accusations made against him? (No)
7. How did Paul always try to live before God and man? (With a good conscience)
8. What one thing did Paul say was the reason he was being judged? (The resurrection)
9. What did Felix say he was going to wait for before giving his decision in the case? (The arrival of Lysias, the commander)
10. Who was Felix's wife? (Drusilla)
11. While Paul was kept prisoner, who was allowed to visit him? (His friends)
12. What three things did Paul preach to Felix about? (Righteousness, self-control, and judgment to come)
13. How much longer did Felix remain governor before he was replaced? (Two years)
14. Who replaced him? (Porcius Festus)
15. What did Felix hope that Paul would do? (Pay Felix for his release)
16. Why did Felix not release Paul before Festus took over as governor? (He wanted to do the Jews a favor.)

Chapter 25 Review Questions:

1. Who was the new Roman governor? (Festus)
2. What favor did the Jews ask of him? (To bring Paul back to Jerusalem for trial)
3. Did Festus grant this request? (No)
4. What was the real reason the Jews requested this? (They wanted to ambush Paul on the journey to Jerusalem and kill him.)
5. In what city was Paul's second trial held? (Caesarea)
6. Did Festus listen to both Paul's accusers and to Paul? (Yes)
7. To whom did Festus want to do a favor? (The Jews)
8. What city did Festus ask Paul if he would be willing to go to for trial? (Jerusalem)
9. Where did Paul say he should stand trial? (Caesar's judgment seat)
10. Was Paul afraid to die? (No)
11. To whom did Paul appeal? (Caesar)
12. Which Caesar was the ruling emperor in Rome at this time? (Nero)
13. What was Festus' decision in Paul's case? (He would send him to Rome to stand before Caesar.)
14. Who came to Caesarea and visited Festus? (King Agrippa and Bernice)
15. What relation was Bernice to Agrippa? (She was his sister.)
16. Was Agrippa interested in Paul's case? (Yes)
17. Why was Festus not able to release Paul? (Paul was a Roman citizen who had made an appeal to Caesar.)
18. Who will Paul's third trial be held before? (King Agrippa)
19. How did Agrippa and Bernice enter the judgment hall? (In great ceremony and pomp)

20. What problem was Festus having concerning Paul's case? (He didn't know what charges to write against him when he sent him to Rome.)

Chapter 26 Review Questions:

1. What was Agrippa an expert in? (Jewish customs and religion)
2. Explain "the hope of the promise of our fathers". (Jesus Christ was the hope that God promised Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob would be a blessing to all people.)
3. Before Paul became a Christian, what were some of the things he did to persecute Christians? (He put them in prison, voted to put them to death, and forced them to blaspheme.)
4. Who had given Paul permission to go to Damascus to continue the persecution? (The chief priests of the Jews)
5. What language did Jesus speak to Paul from heaven? (Hebrew)
6. To whom was Paul sent to preach? (The Gentiles)
7. What effect would the preaching have? (To open their eyes, turn them from darkness to light, from Satan to God)
8. What two things would the Gentiles receive if they believed and obeyed the preaching? (Forgiveness of sins, an inheritance with the faithful)
9. What scriptures did Paul say his preaching was in agreement with? (The Law of Moses and the prophets)
10. What three things did Paul say Moses and the prophets had predicted about the Christ? (He would suffer, he would be raised from the dead, and he would be a light to all people.)
11. What did Festus accuse Paul of? (Being mad, insane)
12. What did Paul say Agrippa believed in? (The prophets)
13. Is belief enough? (James 2:19) (No)
14. Was Agrippa familiar with all of the things Paul had talked about? (Yes)
15. Did Paul's preaching persuade Agrippa to become a Christian? (No)
16. Did Agrippa and the other officials decide Paul was guilty or not guilty? (Not guilty)

17. Why was Paul not released? (He had already appealed to Caesar.)

Chapter 27 Review Questions:

1. What was the name of the centurion who was given charge of Paul and the other prisoners? (Julius)
2. What two companions of Paul went with him on this journey? (Aristarchus and Luke)
3. At what city did they change ships? (Myra)
4. What port did Paul suggest they stay at for the winter? (Fair Havens)
5. What port did the ship's captain and owners want to reach for winter? (Phoenix)
6. What was the name of the wind that blew up against them? (Euroclydon)
7. What danger in the sea did the sailors greatly fear running into? (The Syrtis Sands)
8. What did the people on board not see for days because of the storm? (Neither sun nor stars)
9. How long had the storm lasted? (14 days)
10. What had no one been doing from the time the storm began? (Eating)
11. How did Paul know the ship would be lost, but no one would die? (An angel of the Lord told him.)
12. Who tried to escape the ship? (The sailors)
13. Who prevented them from doing so? (The soldiers)
14. How many people were on board? (276)
15. What cargo was the ship carrying? (Wheat)
16. On the 14th day of the storm, what did Paul encourage everyone to do that helped them? (Eat)
17. Where did the ship run aground? (Where two seas met)
18. What did the Roman soldiers plan to do with the prisoners? (Kill them)
19. Who stopped them? (The centurion, Julius)

20. How many people successfully made it ashore? (All 276, just as God said.)

Chapter 28 Review Questions:

1. What was the name of the island Paul and the others had been shipwrecked on? (Malta)
2. Who showed great kindness to all who had been shipwrecked? (The island natives)
3. As Paul added sticks to the fire, what bit him on the hand? (A viper)
4. What did the island people think Paul was because of this? (A murderer)
5. What happened to Paul as a result of the snake bite? (Nothing)
6. What did the island people think of Paul then? (That he was a god)
7. Who was a chief man of the island with a great estate? (Publius)
8. What was wrong with his father? (He was sick and had a fever.)
9. What did Paul do to him? (Healed him)
10. What did Paul do to everyone on the island who was sick or diseased? (Healed them)
11. How long did Paul and the others stay on Malta? (3 months)
12. What was the figurehead on the ship that took them to Italy? (The Twin Brothers)
13. Who kept meeting Paul at each stop in Italy before he reached Rome? (Christian brothers)
14. Where was Paul allowed to live when he arrived in Rome? (In a rented house)
15. Was Paul still considered a prisoner? (Yes)
16. If so, what was done to him? (He was chained to a Roman soldier who guarded him.)
17. Who did Paul invite to his home to preach to? (The Jewish leaders)
18. What did the Jews want to hear more about? (The sect - Christians)
19. Were any of the Jews persuaded to believe in Jesus Christ? (Yes, some)

20. What Old Testament prophet did Paul quote? (Isaiah)

21. Who did Paul say salvation was sent to? (The Gentiles)

22. How long did Paul live in Rome? (2 years)

23. What did he continue to do even as he was under "house arrest"? (He preached the kingdom of God)