

The Lord’s Will Be Done

Acts 21:1 After we had torn ourselves away from them, we put out to sea and sailed straight to Cos. The next day we went to Rhodes and from there to Patara. 2 We found a ship crossing over to Phoenicia, went on board and set sail. 3 After sighting Cyprus and passing to the south of it, we sailed on to Syria. We landed at Tyre, where our ship was to unload its cargo. 4 Finding the disciples there, we stayed with them seven days. Through the Spirit they urged Paul not to go on to Jerusalem. 5 But when our time was up, we left and continued on our way. All the disciples and their wives and children accompanied us out of the city, and there on the beach we knelt to pray. 6 After saying good-bye to each other, we went aboard the ship, and they returned home. 7 We continued our voyage from Tyre and landed at Ptolemais, where we greeted the brothers and stayed with them for a day.



Heading to Jerusalem

1. Paul had to “_____ himself _____” from his friends.
2. Luke continues his _____. *Why the detail?*
3. The group visited the disciples in Tyre and they _____ Paul _____ to go to Jerusalem. (*This is one of _____ warnings to Paul!*)
Paul helped to “_____” this church!

Acts 11:19 Now those who had been scattered by the persecution in connection

with Stephen traveled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus and Antioch, telling the message only to Jews.

4. Then they _____ the Christians in Ptolemais.

Acts 21:8 Leaving the next day, we reached Caesarea and stayed at the house of Philip the evangelist, one of the Seven. 9 He had four unmarried daughters who prophesied. 10 After we had been there a number of days, a prophet named Agabus came down from Judea. 11 Coming over to us, he took Paul’s belt, tied his own hands and feet with it and said, “The Holy Spirit says, ‘In this way the Jews of Jerusalem will bind the owner of this belt and will hand him over to the Gentiles.’” 12 When we heard this, we and the people there pleaded with Paul not to go up to Jerusalem. 13 Then Paul answered, “Why are you weeping and breaking my heart? I am ready not only to be bound, but also to die in Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.” 14 When he would not be dissuaded, we gave up and said, “The Lord’s will be done.” 15 After this, we got ready and went up to Jerusalem. 16 Some of the disciples from Caesarea accompanied us and brought us to the home of Mnason, where we were to stay. He was a man from Cyprus and one of the early disciples.

Back to Israel

1. Finally, they arrived in _____ and stayed with _____.
Acts 8:40 Philip, however, appeared at Azotus and traveled about, preaching the gospel in all the towns until he reached Caesarea.
2. Agabus makes a _____ prophecy about Paul’s _____.
Acts 11:28 One of them, named Agabus, stood up and through the Spirit predicted that a severe famine would spread over the entire Roman world.
3. Paul’s Response:
Why are you making this _____ for me?
I am ready to be _____ or even _____ for Christ.
4. They all go up to Jerusalem for the _____ of _____.

What Have We Learned of Paul?

1. He is a man of God who is _____ and _____.
2. He is _____ for the Name of Christ wanting to _____ what he has started.
3. He spends his time _____ other Christians.
4. He is able to _____ the past and move _____!
5. He is absolutely _____ to his _____.
6. He is willing to _____ and die for the sake of the _____.