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# Paul Meets Harry Potter



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# RISE OF THE CHURCH AT ANTIOCH

## Acts 13

<sup>1</sup>Now in the church at Antioch there were prophets and teachers: Barnabas, Simeon who was called Niger, Lucius of Cyrene, Manaen, a close friend of Herod the tetrarch, and Saul.

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## SEGMENT ONE (13:4-5)

<sup>4</sup>So being sent out by the Holy Spirit, they went down to Seleucia, and from there they sailed to Cyprus.

<sup>5</sup>Arriving in Salamis, they proclaimed the word of God in the Jewish synagogues. They also had John as their assistant.

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## SEGMENT TWO (13:6-12)

<sup>6</sup>When they had traveled the whole island as far as Paphos, they came across a sorcerer, a Jewish false prophet named Bar-Jesus. <sup>7</sup>He was with the proconsul, Sergius Paulus, an intelligent man. This man summoned Barnabas and Saul and wanted to hear the word of God. <sup>8</sup>But Elymas the sorcerer (that is the meaning of his name) opposed them and tried to turn the proconsul away from the faith.

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<sup>9</sup>But Saul - also called Paul - filled with the Holy Spirit, stared straight at Elymas <sup>10</sup>and said, "You are full of all kinds of deceit and trickery, you son of the devil and enemy of all that is right. Won't you ever stop perverting the straight paths of the Lord?"

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<sup>11</sup>Now, look, the Lord's hand is against you. You are going to be blind, and will not see the sun for a time." Immediately a mist and darkness fell on him, and he went around seeking someone to lead him by the hand.

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Luke 1:1-4

<sup>1</sup>Many have undertaken to compile a narrative about the events that have been fulfilled among us, <sup>2</sup>just as the original eyewitnesses and servants of the word handed them down to us. <sup>3</sup>So it also seemed good to me, since I have carefully investigated everything from the very first, to write to you in an orderly sequence, most honorable Theophilus, <sup>4</sup>so that you may know the certainty of the things about which you have been instructed.

Acts 1:1

<sup>1</sup>I wrote the first narrative, **Theophilus**, about all that Jesus began to do and teach

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