

The background features a dark blue gradient with a network of white lines and dots. Overlaid on this is a collage of historical maps in sepia tones. One map on the left is labeled 'WÜRZBURG' and 'ZEICHNERKLA'. Another map in the center shows 'Ober-Sachsenfeld'. The text 'WHEN THEY STARTED PREACHING' is centered in white, bold, sans-serif font.

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ACTS 8:1-4

And Saul was consenting unto his death. And at that time there was a great persecution against the church which was at Jerusalem; and **they** were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judaea and Samaria, **except the apostles**. And devout men carried Stephen to his burial, and made great lamentation over him. As for Saul, he made havock of the church, entering into every house, and haling men and women committed them to prison. Therefore **they** that were scattered abroad went everywhere preaching the word.

ACTS 9:31

Then had the churches rest throughout all Judaea and Galilee and Samaria, and were edified; and walking in the fear of the Lord, and in the comfort of the Holy Ghost, were multiplied.

ACTS 6:8

And Stephen, full of faith and power, did great wonders and miracles among the people.

ACTS 7:56-60

and said, "Look! I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!" Then they cried out with a loud voice, stopped their ears, and ran at him with one accord; and they cast him out of the city and stoned him. And the witnesses laid down their clothes at the feet of a young man named Saul. And they stoned Stephen as he was calling on God and saying, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." Then he knelt down and cried out with a loud voice, "Lord, do not charge them with this sin." And when he had said this, he fell asleep.

ACTS 8:1

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ACTS 11:19-21

Now **they** which were scattered abroad upon the persecution that arose about Stephen travelled as far as Phenice, and Cyprus, and Antioch, preaching the word to none but unto the Jews only. And some of them were men of Cyprus and Cyrene, which, when they were come to Antioch, spake unto the Grecians, preaching the Lord Jesus. And the hand of the Lord was with **them**: and a great number believed, and turned unto the Lord.

EPHESIANS 4:11-12

And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ,



ACTS 11:21

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