

**Men's Bible Study: Acts**

**Week 32**

**5/18/22**

**End of the Beginning**

**What is one thing God has taught you as we have studied Acts?**

**Acts 1:8 (ESV), "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."**

**Acts 28:28-31 (ESV)**

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**1. As witnesses of Jesus, we are meant to live boldly for His Kingdom**

**Hebrews 10:37-39 (NIV-1984), "For in just a little while, 'He who is coming will come and will not delay. <sup>38</sup> But my righteous one will live by faith. And if he shrinks back, I will not be pleased with him.' <sup>39</sup> But we are not of those who shrink back and are destroyed, but of those who believe and are saved."**

**Acts 4:29 (ESV), "And now, Lord, look upon their threats and grant to your servants to continue to speak your word with all boldness."**

**2. As witnesses of Jesus, we should seize opportunities for His Kingdom**

**An opportunity becomes an obstacle when you add EGO**

**Acts 28:31 (ESV)**

**An opportunity becomes an obstacle when you add EXCUSES**

**Philippians 1:12-13 (ESV), "I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the Gospel, <sup>13</sup> so that it has become known throughout the whole imperial guard and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ."**

**Philippians 4:21-22 (ESV), "Greet every saint in Christ Jesus. The brothers who are with me greet you. <sup>22</sup> All the saints greet you, especially those of Caesar's household."**