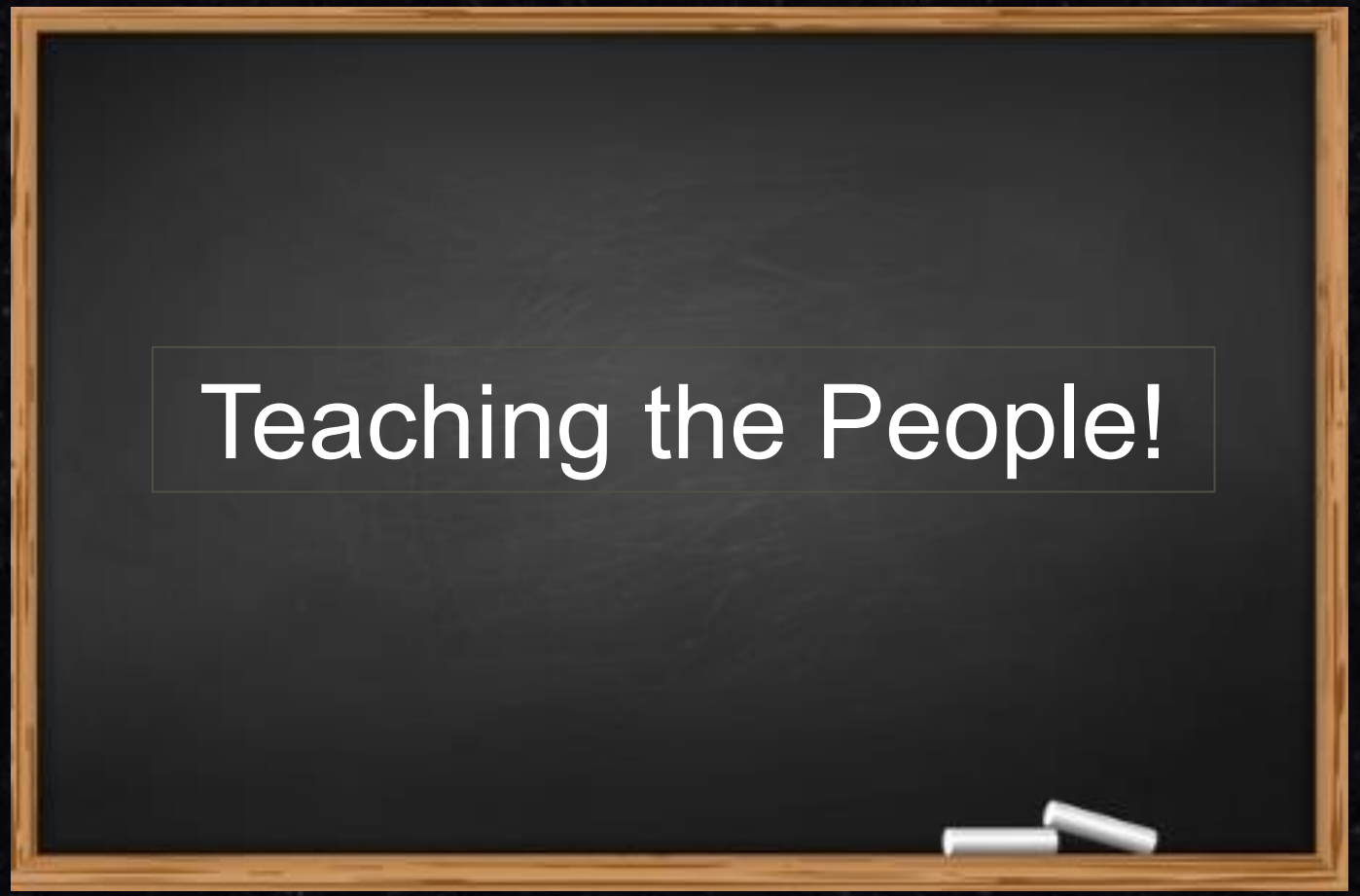
Teaching the People!

17 But the high priest rose up, along with all his associates
(that is the sect of the Sadducees), and they were filled
with jealousy. 18 They laid hands on the apostles and put
them in a public jail. 19 But during the night an angel of the
Lord opened the gates of the prison, and taking them out
he said, 20 “Go, stand and speak to the people in the
temple the whole message of this Life.” 21 Upon hearing
this, they entered into the temple about daybreak and
began to teach.

Acts 5:17-42

Now when the high priest and his associates came, they called the Council together, even all the Senate of the sons of Israel, and sent orders to the prison house for them to be brought. 22 But the officers who came did not find them in the prison; and they returned and reported back, 23 saying, “We found the prison house locked quite securely and the guards standing at the doors; but when we had opened up, we found no one inside.”

Acts 5:17-42

24 Now when the captain of the temple guard and the chief
priests heard these words, they were greatly perplexed
about them as to what would come of this. 25 But someone
came and reported to them, “The men whom you put in
prison are standing in the temple and teaching the people!”
26 Then the captain went along with the officers and
proceeded to bring them back without violence (for they
were afraid of the people, that they might be stoned).

Acts 5:17-42

27 When they had brought them, they stood them before
the Council. The high priest questioned them, 28 saying,
“We gave you strict orders not to continue teaching in this
name, and yet, you have filled Jerusalem with your
teaching and intend to bring this man’s blood upon us.” 29
But Peter and the apostles answered, “We must obey God
rather than men.

Acts 5:17-42

30 The God of our fathers raised up Jesus, whom you had
put to death by hanging Him on a cross. 31 He is the one
whom God exalted to His right hand as a Prince and a
Savior, to grant repentance to Israel, and forgiveness of
sins. 32 And we are (witnesses of these things; and so is
the Holy Spirit, whom God has given to those who obey
Him."

Acts 5:17-42

“We gave you strict orders not to continue teaching in this name, and yet, you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and intend to bring this man’s blood upon us.”

Acts 5:28

Every person is to be in subjection to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and those which exist are established by God. 2 Therefore whoever resists authority has opposed the ordinance of God; and they who have opposed will receive condemnation upon themselves.

Romans 13:1-2

And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying, “All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.

Matthew 28:18

33 But when they heard this, they were cut to the quick and
intended to kill them. 34 But a Pharisee named Gamaliel, a
teacher of the Law, respected by all the people, stood up
in the Council and gave orders to put the men outside for a
short time. 35 And he said to them, “Men of Israel, take care
what you propose to do with these men.

Acts 5:17-42

36 For some time ago Theudas rose up, claiming to be somebody, and a group of about four hundred men joined up with him. But he was killed, and all who followed him were dispersed and came to nothing. 37 After this man, Judas of Galilee rose up in the days of the census and drew away some people after him; he too perished, and all those who followed him were scattered.

Acts 5:17-42

38 So in the present case, I say to you, stay away from these men and let them alone, for if this plan or action is of men, it will be overthrown; 39 but if it is of God, you will not be able to overthrow them; or else you may even be found fighting against God.”

Acts 5:17-42

40 They took his advice; and after calling the apostles in,
they flogged them and ordered them not to speak in the
name of Jesus, and then released them. 41 So they went
on their way from the presence of the Council, rejoicing
that they had been considered worthy to suffer shame (for
His name. 42 And every day, in the temple and from house
to house, they kept right on teaching and preaching Jesus
as the Christ.

Acts 5:17-42

“I am a Jew, born in Tarsus of Cilicia, but brought up in this city, educated under Gamaliel, strictly according to the law of our fathers, being zealous for God just as you all are today.”

Acts 22:3

“Being taught to avoid talking about politics and religion has led to a lack of understanding of politics and religion. What we should have been taught was how to have a civil conversation about a difficult topic.”

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IN EVERYTHING
YOU DO,
INVITE GOD.



## Teaching the People

The apostles were thrown in prison for preaching in the name of Jesus. During the night an angel sets them free and sends them back to the temple to preach some more. Rearrested they stand before the Sanhedrin. The Sadducees want to have them put to death, but Gamaliel intervenes and they are flogged and sent home praising God.

Acts 5:17-42