

The  
Book  
Of **ACTS**





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## Basic Information

### **Author: Luke**

1. Internal evidence – the “we” sections
2. External evidence

### **Date: 60-62 A.D.**

1. No mention of Paul’s death
2. No mention of the destruction of the Temple



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## Purpose

1. Historical
  - Development of the church
2. Theological
  - The work of God in the world
3. Apologetic
  - Answer the critics of the church





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## Structure

### **Key Verse: Acts 1:8**

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.”



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### Summary Verses

1. Acts 6:7
2. Acts 9:31
3. Acts 12:24
4. Acts 16:5
5. Acts 19:20
6. Acts 28:31



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And the word of God continued to increase, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests became obedient to the faith.

Acts 6:7



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### Gospel Development “The Road to Rome”

1. Jews in Jerusalem and Judea
2. Samaritans
3. Gentiles





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### Peter and Paul

1. Sermons (Acts 2 and 3 and Acts 13 and 20)
2. Healing lame individuals (Acts 3 and Acts 14)
3. Raising a dead person (Acts 9 and Acts 20)
4. Unusual signs – shadow and napkins (Acts 5 and Acts 19)





# Waiting for the Spirit

Acts 1:1-5

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