

The Acts of the Apostles

The Growth and Expansion of the Church to the Ends of the Earth

Acts 13:1-28:31 (27)

Paul's Second Missionary Journey (15:36-18:22) (12)

Sharing the Gospel

- A Fear
- A Pattern
- An Example

7. The Outreach in Athens (17:16-34)

- a. Christ against the Philosophies of Men (17:16-21)
- b. Christ through the Philosophies of Men (17:22-31)
 - 1) Paul Connected with Them (17:22-23b)
 - 2) Paul Stated His Intention (17:23c)
 - 3) Paul Exposed Their Sin (17:24-29)
 - 4) Paul Introduced Christ (17:30-31)
 - a) He Called for Immediate Repentance (17:30)
 - (1) The Need for Repentance (17:30a)
 - overlooked look over; to disdain; to disregard
 - (2) The Call for Repentance (17:30b)
 - declaring to command
 - b) He Warned of Impending Judgement (17:31)
 - (1) The Judgement (17:31a)
 - (a) Its Surety (17:31a₁₋₁₃)
 - fixed to stand; to be placed, set up; to establish
 - judge to decide; to evaluate
 - (b) Its Standard (17:31a₁₄₋₁₅)
 - righteousness to live by a standard
 - (2) The Judge (17:31b-c)
 - (a) His Status (17:31b)
 - appointed to limit; to designate or declare
 - (b) His Qualifications (17:31c)
 - proof faith, trustworthy, faithful
- c. Christ over the Philosophies of Men (17:32-34)
 - 1) The Rejection (17:32)
 - 2) The Acceptance (17:33-34)