

ACTS - FROM RESURRECTION TO REVELATION

Lesson 25

Review: As Paul and Barnabas passionately persevered, their preparation met with God's Providence to produce a persuasive and prosperous placement in proclaiming the powerful message of the Gospel.

As Ministry Prospers, So Does The Persecution - Acts 13:44-14:22

I. The designs of UNBELIEVERS

- A) To justify their own CONTROL - Matt. 23:13-15
- B) To justify their own CORRUPTION - John 3:16-21
- C) To justify their own CONSCIENCE - II Cor. 4:1-6

II. The designs of SATAN

- A) To discourage our present STATE OF MINE - Rom. 8:28-39
- B) To discourage our future SERVICE - II Cor. 11:23-28
- C) To discourage others from SALVATION - II Cor. 4:7-12

III. The designs of GOD

- A) To promote our PURIFICATION - I Peter 4:12-19
- B) To promote our PATIENCE / PRAYER - II Thess. 1:2-12
- C) To protect us from PRIDE - II Cor. 12:1-8
- D) To promote His POWER - II Cor. 12:9-10