

November 17/Day 321

Acts 4

Verses 1-4

- If you just picked up the Bible and started reading here, how would you know who was speaking to the people?
- Who came up to speak with them and why?
- How many had come to believe their message?
- To be clear, what was the message they believed?

Verses 5-12

- The next day after what?
- What question was asked of them in verse 7?
- With what was Peter filled before he started speaking? Is there any application for us?
- What did Peter proclaim?
- Besides receiving Jesus, is there any other way to be saved?

Verses 13-22

- What was observed about Peter and John? Then what was recognized?
- Is it necessary to be seminary trained in order to proclaim the message of Jesus?
- Why were they warned not to speak of Jesus?
- Did Peter and John say they would be compliant?
- What was the real reason the chief priests let Peter and John go?

Verses 23-31

- How did their companions respond when they heard what had happened?
- In verse 29, what did they ask the Lord to take note of and what did they wish Him to do about it?
- What happened in that place when they prayed?

Verses 32-37

- Have you noticed we are starting to see a trend with the words “of one heart”, “of one mind”, and “of one accord”?
- Describe what their testimony was like.
- Why was there no needy among them? Was this the government or the church taking care of the needy?
- To whom are we introduced in this passage? What does his name mean?

Acts 5

Verses 1-6

- Was Ananias struck dead for not giving all his proceeds to ministry, or because he lied about it?
- What did they do with his body?

Verses 7-11

- After her husband had been buried, who came in?
- Did she tell the truth?
- What happened to her and what example did this set?

Verses 12-16

- Who was doing signs and wonders?
- What was happening to this early church at this time?

Verses 17-26

- What was the problem with the high priest?
- What happened in the jail?
- What happened after this?

Verses 27-32

- What did the high priest say to the disciples and how did they respond?
- Is there any application for us?

Verses 33-39

- Why did the religious men intend to kill the disciples?
- Who stood up for them? Why? (He was Paul's mentor, by the way)
- Was there any wisdom in what he said?

Verses 40-42

- What did the religious men do to the apostles?
- What were they again ordered not to do?
- Did they comply?
- Is there any application for us?

Acts 6

Verses 1-6

- Again, what was going on in this early church in regard to numbers?
- Did the disciples think they were too important to serve tables?
- On what were they compelled to focus?
- Who did they choose to head up this ministry to widows?
- What are we told about him?
- What did the apostles do to ordain this ministry?

Verse 7

- Who else was coming to know Jesus?

Verses 8-15

- What are some other things we are told about Stephen?
- Why did some religious men take issue with Stephen?
- Is there any application for us?
- What was the charge against Stephen?
- What was his appearance like as we end this chapter?

See you tomorrow.