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Quiz: Acts 16 – 21

1. **Chapter 16:** Paul met this disciple in Lystra and took him on as part of his missionary team after circumcising him:

- A. Silas
- B. Mark
- C. Timothy
- D. Barnabas

2. Who was Timothy's mother? **(Choose all that apply):**

- A. A Greek
- B. A Jewess
- C. A believer
- D. A Gentile

3. Why did Paul and his team go from Troas to Macedonia, a Roman colony, and not stop to preach the word in Asia? **(Choose all that apply):**

- A. They happened to pass through Troas and Macedonia in their journey elsewhere, so they stopped there
- B. The Holy Spirit twice forbade Paul to preach in Asia, so they passed by and went to Troas
- C. When Paul got to Troas, a man from Macedonia appeared to him in a night vision asking him to come there to help them
- D. Paul did not want to go to Asia

4. Match the columns:

A. Lydia

_____ Followed Paul, shouting, "These men are servants of the Most High God! They announce to you the way of salvation!"

B. Damsel with spirit of divination

_____ Stopped by Paul from committing suicide, then was baptized by Paul along with his household.

C. Owners of damsel with spirit of divination

_____ Sold purple fabric and was baptized by Paul along with her household.

D. Jailer

_____ Turned Paul and Silas over to the Magistrates to be beaten and thrown into prison.

5. Why were the magistrates frightened at the message Paul sent them after he and Silas were freed and asked to leave the city?

A. The Holy Spirit convicted them of their wrongdoing

B. They had beaten and thrown Paul and Silas into prison without a trial, which was illegal to do because Paul and Silas were Roman citizens

C. They were afraid that the Jews in the area would come against them

D. None of the above

6. **Chapter 17:** When Paul reached Thessalonica, in his usual custom, he entered the synagogue and began to reason out the scriptures with the Jews. Which items below did Paul talk about:

A. Proving and putting forth that the Christ must suffer

B. Explaining that Christ rose from the dead

C. Jesus, whom he was proclaiming to them is the Christ

D. All the above

7. As a result of Paul's preaching at Thessalonica, which people became believers? (see vs. 4), **(Choose all that apply):**

A. Some Jews

B. A great multitude of devout Greeks

C. Some of the prominent women

D. There were no believers

8. What happened when some unbelieving Jews became envious of Paul and Silas? **(Choose all that apply):**

- A. They gathered a mob and attacked the house of Jason, looking for Paul and Silas B. when they did not find Paul or Silas, they dragged Jason and some other believers to the rulers of the city
- C. They accused Jason of protecting Paul and Silas (these that have turned the world upside down)
- D. The rulers let Jason and the others go after they posted bond (taken security/bail)
9. The believers at Thessalonica sent Paul and Silas to Berea. The Jews there received the **Word** with readiness of mind and searched the scriptures daily to see if what Paul said was true. As a result, many Jews believed along with many honorable Greek women and many Greek men.
- A. True
B. False
10. After Jews from Thessalonica came to Berea and stirred trouble, the believers sent Paul to Athens. He observed that the city was filled with idolatry. How did Paul make his preaching relevant to these Greeks and to the Greek philosophers?
- A. He philosophized with them over the scriptures
B. He chided them for worshipping idols
C. He used one of their altars dedicated "To The Unknown God" to expound on Jesus
D. None of the above
11. **Chapter 18:** Match the columns:

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| A. Aquila | _____ Came from Macedonia to meet Paul at Corinth. |
| B. Priscilla | _____ Paul went to this man's house. He worshipped God. His house was next door to the Synagogue. |
| C. Claudius | _____ Chief ruler of the synagogue who with all his house believed on the Lord. |
| D. Silas and Timothy | _____ She came to Corinth from Italy with her husband. |
| E. Justus | _____ Deputy of Achaia refused to be involved in questions of Jewish Law when the Jews made an insurrection against Paul. |
| F. Crispus | _____ Chief ruler of the synagogue. The Greeks beat him right in front of the Judgement seat. |

G. Gallio

_____ Ordered all Jews to leave Rome.

H. Sosthenes

_____ Eloquent, fervent in the spirit, speaking and teaching things of the Lord, but only knowing John's baptism. Aquila and Priscilla helped him to know the way of God more accurately, and he mightily convinced Jews in public preaching that Jesus is the Christ.

I. Apollos

_____ An Italian Jew who came to Corinth. He was a tentmaker by occupation.

12. By the time Silas and Timothy met Paul at Corinth, he was totally engrossed in preaching to the Jews that Jesus was Christ. When the Jews opposed and blasphemed, Paul shook out his clothes against them. Fill in the blanks with his words to these Jews (from verse 6): "Your _____ be upon your own _____; I am _____: from now on I will go to the _____."
13. Fill in the words that the Lord spoke to Paul in a night vision (from verse 9 and 10) to comfort and encourage Paul in his ministry: "Be not _____, but speak, and do not hold your _____: for I am with you, and no man shall set on you to _____ you: for I have much _____ in this city."
14. After Paul's night vision, how long did Paul stay in Corinth teaching the Word of God?
- A. One year
 - B. Six months
 - C. A year and six months
 - D. Two years
15. After Paul left Corinth, he traveled with Aquila and Priscilla to Ephesus. He went into the synagogue there by himself to reason with the Jews. When they wanted Paul to stay longer with them, why would he not consent?
- A. He wanted to go home to Antioch
 - B. He did not want to teach the Jews any longer
 - C. He wanted to go to Jerusalem to keep a feast that was coming up

D. He wanted to go to Jerusalem to see James

16. **Chapter 19:** Why do you think Paul asked the disciples in Ephesus **if they had received the Holy Ghost since they believed?** (see verses 1 – 6).

A. He wanted to make sure they had been baptized in the Holy Ghost with the evidence of speaking in tongues

B. Because you get everything you are supposed to get when you are baptized in water

C. He wanted to make sure they had repented of their sins

D. None of the above

17. The disciples at Ephesus told Paul they were baptized into John's baptism. What did this mean? (See Matthew 3:11 and Luke 3:16) **(Choose all that apply):**

A. They heard the word and repented of their sins

B. They were baptized in water

C. They spoke in tongues

D. They were baptized in the Holy Spirit

18. What happened to the disciples after Paul spoke to them about John's baptism? **(Choose all that apply):**

A. Paul told them to repent again

B. They were baptized in the Name of the Lord Jesus (baptized into the body of Christ)

C. After being baptized in the Name of the Lord Jesus, Paul laid hands on them and they received the baptism of the Holy Ghost, speaking in tongues and prophesying

D. They received water baptism again

19. During the two years while Paul was in Asia, how many people in Asia heard the word?

A. All of the Jews

B. All the of the Greeks

C. **All who dwelt in Asia** heard the Word of the Lord Jesus

D. Some Jews and some Greeks

20. What were the special miracles God did through the hands of Paul at Ephesus? (Vs. 11 & 12)

A. Handkerchiefs and aprons that had touched Paul's body were brought to the sick and people with evil spirits. All of them were healed and delivered

B. Paul laid hands on the sick for healing

C. He called the evil spirits out by name

D. He anointed the sick with oil

21. What conclusion can we draw from verses 13 – 17 where casting out evil spirits is concerned? **(Choose all that apply):**

A. Born again believers using the power in the Name of Jesus have authority over evil spirits

B. The devil does not know who Jesus is

C. Using Paul's name should have worked to cast the evil spirit out

D. The sons of Sceva did not have authority to use the Name of Jesus

22. Demetrius, the silversmith caused an uproar in Ephesus (vs. 24 – 32) because his lucrative idol making business was being ruined by mass conversion to Jesus due to Paul's teaching.

A. True

B. False

23. After Demetrius stirred up the city and mobs had rushed into the amphitheater, how was the mob appeased and dispersed?

A. Paul went in among the crowd and addressed them

B. Paul's fellow travelers, Gaius and Aristarchus calmed the crowd down

C. The town clerk addressed the people saying that if Demetrius and the craftsmen had any legal matter against Paul, it should be handled through the courts or in a legal assembly. (Rome, which controlled this part of the world, insisted on legal due process). After speaking, the townclerk dismissed the crowd.

D. The crowd went home after Demetrius repented

24. **Chapter 20** – After saying his farewell to the disciples at Ephesus, Paul traveled through Macedonia and Greece, revisiting churches he had established there. He came to Troas where

he preached an all-night sermon. What did Paul do when a young man named Eutychus, fell asleep and fell from a third story window, and was dead?

A. Paul went down and embraced the young man and told the people not to be troubled

Because the young man's life was still in him

B. Paul anointed Eutychus with oil and raised him from the dead

C. He wanted the brethren there to take care of Eutychus

D. Paul was upset because the young man fell asleep instead of listening to the sermon

25. Paul continued his travels and wanted to see the elders at Ephesus, but instead of stopping there, he sent for the elders to come to him. Why did he do this?

A. He knew it would be the last time he would see them and wanted to warn and exhort

them on several issues, but was in a hurry to reach Jerusalem in time for Pentecost

B. In city after city the Holy Spirit told Paul that affliction awaited him in Jerusalem, and he

wanted the elders to pray for him

C. Paul was tired of the long trip, so he sent for the elders

D. He wanted the elders to travel with him

26. Fill in the blanks with Paul's words from verses 22 -27: "And now, behold, I go bound in the spirit to Jerusalem, not knowing the things that shall befall me there: save that the Holy Ghost witnesses in every city, saying that bonds and afflictions abide me. But none of these things _____ me, neither count I my life _____ to myself, so that I might finish my course with _____, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord, to testify the gospel of the _____ of God. And now, behold, I know that you all, among whom I have gone preaching the kingdom of God, shall see my face no more. Therefore I take you to record this day, that I am pure from the blood of all men. For I have not shunned to declare to you all the counsel of God."

27. **Choose all that apply** from the list below, the things Paul warned the elders to be aware of after his leaving:

A. Wolves will enter and not spare the flock

B. Men shall arise and speak perverse things to draw away disciples

C. The Jews will try to close down the church

D. Idol worshipping will increase

28. Fill in the blanks with Paul's parting words from verse 32: "And now, brethren, I commend you to God, and to the _____ of His _____, which is able to _____ you up and to give you an _____ among all them

which are sanctified.”

29. **Chapter 21:** When Paul reached Jerusalem, he was received with gladness. How did James and the elders react when Paul told them the things God had done through Paul’s ministry to the GenTiles?
- A. They were upset and told Paul he should not be teaching GenTiles
 - B. They wanted the GenTiles to follow the Law of Moses
 - C. They rejoiced and glorified God
 - D. They told Paul not to let the Jews in Jerusalem know about his teaching GenTiles
30. What did the Jews say to stir up the people against Paul when they saw him in the temple?
- A. They said Paul was really a GenTle and had no right to purify himself
 - B. They accused him of refusing to pay the offering for purification
 - C. They said he taught people to not obey the Law and brought GenTiles into the temple
 - D. They said he kept company with hated Egyptians

Answer Sheet for Quiz: Acts 16 – 21

1. C 1

2. B, C 2

3. B, C 2

4. B 8

D

A

C

5. B 1

6. D 3

7. A, B, C 3

8. A, B, C, D 8

9. A 1

10. C 1

11. D 18

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A

12. Blood/head/clean/Gentiles 8

13. Afraid/peace/hurt/people 8

14. C 1

15. C 1

16. A 1

17. A, B 2

18. B, C 2

19. C 1

20. A 1

21. A, D 2

22. A 1

23. C 1

24. A 1

25. A 1

26. Move/dear/joy/grace 8 27. A, B 2

28. Word/grace/build/inheritance 8 29. C 1

30. C 1