

the book of ACTS

The 2nd book written to Theophilus by Dr. Luke—Overview Outline Chart

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Chapters	1-4	5-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-18	19-20	21-23	24-26	27-28
THEME	Of the Church BIRTH	Of the church GROWTH	Of the church PERSECUTION	Of the Church EXPANSION	of Paul 1ST JOURNEY	of Paul 2ND JOURNEY	Of Paul 3RD JOURNEY	Of Paul ARREST	Of Paul TRIAL	Of Paul IMPRISONMENT
Key Leader Message	Peter Foundations of the Church		Philip Scattering of the Church	Peter Openness of the Church	Paul Spread of the Church					
Expanding Message	Christ shared with the JEW S		Christ shared with the SAMARITANS		Christ shared with the GENTILES			Christ Shared with the EMPIRE		
Key to Acts ACTS 1:8	Jerusalem		Judea & Samaria		Uttermost parts of the world Matthew 24.14					
Time Frame	33-35 A. D. Two Years		35-48 A. D. Fourteen Years		48-62 A. D. Fourteen Years					
Holy Spirit	H.S. Arrives at Pentecost ^{2.17, 18}	H. S. Key to serving in church. ^{6.3,5}	H.S. central to message ^{8.15, 17}	H.S. expands outreach of church ^{10.19-20}	H.S. key to happiness ^{13.52}	H.S. restricts believers ^{16.6-7}	H.S. prepares believers ^{20.22-23}	Choices in listening to the H.S. ^{21.4, 21.11}	No Mention	H.S. messenger of truth ^{28.25}
Church	120 ^{1.15} becomes 3K ^{1.41} added daily ^{2.47} 5K ^{4.4}	Multitudes added ^{5.14} disciples multiplied ^{6.7} 25K + -	Scattered church Grew in number ^{9.31}	Multiplied ^{12.24}	Word spread ^{13.49} Council of Jerusalem ¹⁵	Increased daily ^{16.15}	Paul's last visit to churches	Thousands of Jews believed ^{21.20}	No Mention	Paul shares with the Jews in Rome ²⁸
Prayer	Believers constantly in prayer ^{1.14}	Prayer & Word center point of ministry ^{6.4, 6}	Believers guided by prayer ^{9.11}	Prayer leads to vision from God. ^{11.5}	Fasting and prayer for directions ^{13.3, 41.23}	Seeking a place to pray ^{16.13}	Prayer for the church at Ephesus ^{20.36}	Prayer and personal safety ^{22.17}	No Mention	Prayer opens doors ^{28.8-10}