**Acts**

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1. What information can you find about Simeon and Niger?
2. Which Herod is mentioned in verse 1?
3. What does the scripture say about Manaen and how is he different from Herod?
4. What do we learn from this?
5. What does the commissioning of Barnabas and Saul teach us about the role of the Holy Spirit in ministry?
6. To whom did Paul and Barnabas initially preach?
7. Why do you think Bar-Jesus was trying to keep the governor from believing?
8. What caused the governor to believer?
9. Why do you think those in charge of the service asked Paul and Barnabas if they had any word of encouragement? (verse15)
10. Does Paul’s sermon remind you of another sermon given in the book of Acts?
11. How can Paul's sermon help us understand the significance of the Old Testament in revealing the Gospel?
12. What part of Paul’s message did the Jews begin to contradict? (verse 45)
13. What do you think Paul meant when he said you judge yourselves unworthy of eternal life? (verse 46)
14. What does Paul and Barnabas shaking the dust off their feet symbolize, and how can this action speak to us when facing rejection? (verse 51)
15. What caused the disciples to be filled with joy and the Holy Spirit? (verse52)
16. What lessons can we draw from the way Paul and Barnabas relied on the Holy Spirit throughout their missionary journey?
17. What can we learn from the way Paul and Barnabas continuously delivered the message of the Gospel despite the challenges they faced?