

Acts 16:16-40

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Paul's Second Missionary Journey



Acts 16-18

Duration: 3 Years

Total Distance: 2,221 Miles





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Stanley D. Toussaint: Though her statements were true, the gospel of Christ would be damaged by an association with a demon-possessed slave girl.

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Thomas Constable: It was evidently the continued irritation that this girl created in Paul that God finally used to lead Paul to cast the demon out of her.

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- 2. Express Your Trust In God (v19-25)



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David Peterson: Paul in captivity takes the opportunity to testify to the character of God in the presence of unbelievers and to demonstrate before them his own confidence in the God he proclaimed.

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But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts, and always be ready to give a defense to everyone who asks you a reason for the hope that is in you, with meekness and fear 1 Peter 3:15

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David Guzik: Our rights are not as important as our obedience to the will of God. God may ask us to lay down our rights for the good of another.

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Now therefore, it is already an utter failure for you that you go to law against one another. Why do you not rather accept wrong? Why do you not rather let yourselves be cheated?

I Corinthians 6:7

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Minister To One Another

- Manifestations of the Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:7-11)
 - word of wisdom
 - word of knowledge
 - faith
 - gifts of healings
 - working of miracles
 - prophecy
 - discerning of spirits
- Share Verses With Each Other (Colossians 3:16)
- Pray For One Another (James 5:16)