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44_ACT_01_01 The former treatise have I made, O Theophilus, of all that Jesus began both to do and teach,

44_ACT_01_02 Until the day in which he was taken up, after that he through the Holy Ghost had given commandments unto the apostles whom he had chosen:

44_ACT_01_03 To whom also he showed himself alive after his passion by many infallible proofs, being seen of them forty days, and speaking of the things pertaining to the kingdom of God:

44_ACT_01_04 And, being assembled together with [them], commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, [saith he], ye have heard of me.

44_ACT_01_05 For John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence.

44_ACT_01_06 When they therefore were come together, they asked of him, saying, Lord, wilt thou at this time restore again the kingdom to Israel?

44_ACT_01_07 And he said unto them, It is not for you to know the times or the seasons, which the Father hath put in his own power.

44_ACT_01_08 But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

44_ACT_01_09 And when he had spoken these things, while they beheld, he was taken up; and a cloud received him out of their sight.

44_ACT_01_10 And while they looked stedfastly toward heaven as he went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel;

44_ACT_01_11 Which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? this same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven.

44_ACT_01_12 Then returned they unto Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is from Jerusalem a sabbath day's journey.

44_ACT_01_13 And when they were come in, they went up into an upper room, where abode both Peter, and James, and John, and Andrew, Philip, and Thomas, Bartholomew, and Matthew, James [the son] of Alphaeus, and Simon Zelotes, and Judas [the brother] of James.

44_ACT_01_14 These all continued with one accord in prayer and supplication, with the women, and Mary the mother of Jesus, and with his brethren.

44_ACT_01_15 And in those days Peter stood up in the midst of the disciples, and said, [the number of names together were about an hundred and twenty,]

44_ACT_01_16 Men [and] brethren, this scripture must needs have been fulfilled, which the Holy Ghost by the mouth of David spake before concerning Judas, which was guide to them that took Jesus.

44_ACT_01_17 For he was numbered with us, and had obtained part of this ministry.

44_ACT_01_18 Now this man purchased a field with the reward of iniquity; and falling headlong, he burst asunder in the midst, and all his bowels gushed out.

44_ACT_01_19 And it was known unto all the dwellers at Jerusalem; insomuch as that field is called in their proper tongue, Aceldama, that is to say, The field of blood.

44_ACT_01_20 For it is written in the book of Psalms, Let his habitation be desolate, and let no man dwell therein: and his bishopric let another take.

44_ACT_01_21 Wherefore of these men which have companied with us all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us,

44_ACT_01_22 Beginning from the baptism of John, unto that same day that he was taken up from us, must one be ordained to be a witness with us of his resurrection.

44_ACT_01_23 And they appointed two, Joseph called Barsabas, who was surnamed Justus, and Matthias.

44_ACT_01_24 And they prayed, and said, Thou, Lord, which knowest the hearts of all [men], show whether of these two thou hast chosen,

44_ACT_01_25 That he may take part of this ministry and apostleship, from which Judas by transgression fell, that he might go to his own place.

44_ACT_01_26 And they gave forth their lots; and the lot fell upon Matthias; and he was numbered with the eleven apostles.

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44_ACT_02_01 And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

44_ACT_02_02 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.

44_ACT_02_03 And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.

44_ACT_02_04 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

44_ACT_02_05 And there were dwelling at Jerusalem Jews, devout men, out of every nation under heaven.

44_ACT_02_06 Now when this was noised abroad, the multitude came together, and were confounded, because that every man heard them speak in his own language.

44_ACT_02_07 And they were all amazed and marvelled, saying one to another, Behold, are not all these which speak Galilaeans?

44_ACT_02_08 And how hear we every man in our own tongue, wherein we were born?

44_ACT_02_09 Parthians, and Medes, and Elamites, and the dwellers in Mesopotamia, and in Judaea, and Cappadocia, in Pontus, and Asia,

44_ACT_02_10 Phrygia, and Pamphylia, in Egypt, and in the parts of Libya about Cyrene, and strangers of Rome, Jews and proselytes,

44_ACT_02_11 Cretes and Arabians, we do hear them speak in our tongues the wonderful works of God.

44_ACT_02_12 And they were all amazed, and were in doubt, saying one to another, What meaneth this?

44_ACT_02_13 Others mocking said, These men are full of new wine.

44_ACT_02_14 But Peter, standing up with the eleven, lifted up his voice, and said unto them, Ye men of Judaea, and all [ye] that dwell at Jerusalem, be this known unto you, and hearken to my words:

44_ACT_02_15 For these are not drunken, as ye suppose, seeing it is [but] the third hour of the day.

44_ACT_02_16 But this is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel;

44_ACT_02_17 And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh: and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams:

44_ACT_02_18 And on my servants and on my handmaidens I will pour out in those days of my Spirit; and they shall prophesy:

44_ACT_02_19 And I will show wonders in heaven above, and signs in the earth beneath; blood, and fire, and vapour of smoke:

44_ACT_02_20 The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before that great and notable day of the Lord come:

44_ACT_02_21 And it shall come to pass, [that] whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved.

44_ACT_02_22 Ye men of Israel, hear these words; Jesus of Nazareth, a man approved of God among you by miracles and wonders and signs, which God did by him in the midst of you, as ye yourselves also know:

44_ACT_02_23 Him, being delivered by the determinate counsel and foreknowledge of God, ye have taken, and by wicked hands have crucified and slain:

44_ACT_02_24 Whom God hath raised up, having loosed the pains of death: because it was not possible that he should be holden of it.

44_ACT_02_25 For David speaketh concerning him, I foresaw the Lord always before my face, for he is on my right hand, that I should not be moved:

44_ACT_02_26 Therefore did my heart rejoice, and my tongue was glad; moreover also my flesh shall rest in hope:

44_ACT_02_27 Because thou wilt not leave my soul in hell, neither wilt thou suffer thine Holy One to see corruption.

44_ACT_02_28 Thou hast made known to me the ways of life; thou shalt make me full of joy with thy countenance.

44_ACT_02_29 Men [and] brethren, let me freely speak unto you of the patriarch David, that he is both dead and buried, and his sepulchre is with us unto this day.

44_ACT_02_30 Therefore being a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him, that of the fruit of his loins, according to the flesh, he would raise up Christ to sit on his throne;

44_ACT_02_31 He seeing this before spake of the resurrection of Christ, that his soul was not left in hell, neither his flesh did see corruption.

44_ACT_02_32 This Jesus hath God raised up, whereof we all are witnesses.

44_ACT_02_33 Therefore being by the right hand of God exalted, and having received of the Father the promise of the Holy Ghost, he hath shed forth this, which ye now see and hear.

44_ACT_02_34 For David is not ascended into the heavens: but he saith himself, The Lord said unto my Lord, Sit thou on my right hand,

44_ACT_02_35 Until I make thy foes thy footstool.

44_ACT_02_36 Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly, that God hath made that same Jesus, whom ye have crucified, both Lord and Christ.

44_ACT_02_37 Now when they heard [this], they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men [and] brethren, what shall we do?

44_ACT_02_38 Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.

44_ACT_02_39 For the promise is unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, [even] as many as the Lord our God shall call.

44_ACT_02_40 And with many other words did he testify and exhort, saying, Save yourselves from this untoward generation.

44_ACT_02_41 Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added [unto them] about three thousand souls.

44_ACT_02_42 And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers.

44_ACT_02_43 And fear came upon every soul: and many wonders and signs were done by the apostles.

44_ACT_02_44 And all that believed were together, and had all things common;

44_ACT_02_45 And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all [men], as every man had need.

44_ACT_02_46 And they, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, did eat their meat with gladness and singleness of heart,

44_ACT_02_47 Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.

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44_ACT_03_01 Now Peter and John went up together into the temple at the hour of prayer, [being] the ninth [hour].

44_ACT_03_02 And a certain man lame from his mother's womb was carried, whom they laid daily at the gate of the temple which is called Beautiful, to ask alms of them that entered into the temple;

44_ACT_03_03 Who seeing Peter and John about to go into the temple asked an alms.

44_ACT_03_04 And Peter, fastening his eyes upon him with John, said, Look on us.

44_ACT_03_05 And he gave heed unto them, expecting to receive something of them.

44_ACT_03_06 Then Peter said, Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk.

44_ACT_03_07 And he took him by the right hand, and lifted [him] up: and immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength.

44_ACT_03_08 And he leaping up stood, and walked, and entered with them into the temple, walking, and leaping, and praising God.

44_ACT_03_09 And all the people saw him walking and praising God:

44_ACT_03_10 And they knew that it was he which sat for alms at the Beautiful gate of the temple: and they were filled with wonder and amazement at that which had happened unto him.

44_ACT_03_11 And as the lame man which was healed held Peter and John, all the people ran together unto them in the porch that is called Solomon's, greatly wondering.

44_ACT_03_12 And when Peter saw [it], he answered unto the people, Ye men of Israel, why marvel ye at this? or why look ye so earnestly on us, as though by our own power or holiness we had made this man to walk?

44_ACT_03_13 The God of Abraham, and of Isaac, and of Jacob, the God of our fathers, hath glorified his Son Jesus; whom ye delivered up, and denied him in the presence of Pilate, when he was determined to let [him] go.

44_ACT_03_14 But ye denied the Holy One and the Just, and desired a murderer to be granted unto you;

44_ACT_03_15 And killed the Prince of life, whom God hath raised from the dead; whereof we are witnesses.

44_ACT_03_16 And his name through faith in his name hath made this man strong, whom ye see and know: yea, the faith which is by him hath given him this perfect soundness in the presence of you all.

44_ACT_03_17 And now, brethren, I wot that through ignorance ye did [it], as [did] also your rulers.

44_ACT_03_18 But those things, which God before had showed by the mouth of all his prophets, that Christ should suffer, he hath so fulfilled.

44_ACT_03_19 Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, when the times of refreshing shall come from the presence of the Lord;

44_ACT_03_20 And he shall send Jesus Christ, which before was preached unto you:

44_ACT_03_21 Whom the heaven must receive until the times of restitution of all things, which God hath spoken by the mouth of all his holy prophets since the world began.

44_ACT_03_22 For Moses truly said unto the fathers, A prophet shall the Lord your God raise up unto you of your brethren, like unto me; him shall ye hear in all things whatsoever he shall say unto you.

44_ACT_03_23 And it shall come to pass, [that] every soul, which will not hear that prophet, shall be destroyed from among the people.

44_ACT_03_24 Yea, and all the prophets from Samuel and those that follow after, as many as have spoken, have likewise foretold of these days.

44_ACT_03_25 Ye are the children of the prophets, and of the covenant which God made with our fathers, saying unto Abraham, And in thy seed shall all the kindreds of the earth be blessed.

44_ACT_03_26 Unto you first God, having raised up his Son Jesus, sent him to bless you, in turning away every one of you from his iniquities.

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44_ACT_04_01 And as they spake unto the people, the priests, and the captain of the temple, and the Sadducees, came upon them,

44_ACT_04_02 Being grieved that they taught the people, and preached through Jesus the resurrection from the dead.

44_ACT_04_03 And they laid hands on them, and put [them] in hold unto the next day: for it was now eventide.

44_ACT_04_04 Howbeit many of them which heard the word believed; and the number of the men was about five thousand.

44_ACT_04_05 And it came to pass on the morrow, that their rulers, and elders, and scribes,

44_ACT_04_06 And Annas the high priest, and Caiaphas, and John, and Alexander, and as many as were of the kindred of the high priest, were gathered together at Jerusalem.

44_ACT_04_07 And when they had set them in the midst, they asked, By what power, or by what name, have ye done this?

44_ACT_04_08 Then Peter, filled with the Holy Ghost, said unto them, Ye rulers of the people, and elders of Israel,

44_ACT_04_09 If we this day be examined of the good deed done to the impotent man, by what means he is made whole;

44_ACT_04_10 Be it known unto you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom ye crucified, whom God raised from the dead, [even] by him doth this man stand here before you whole.

44_ACT_04_11 This is the stone which was set at nought of you builders, which is become the head of the corner.

44_ACT_04_12 Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.

44_ACT_04_13 Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus.

44_ACT_04_14 And beholding the man which was healed standing with them, they could say nothing against it.

44_ACT_04_15 But when they had commanded them to go aside out of the council, they conferred among themselves,

44_ACT_04_16 Saying, What shall we do to these men? for that indeed a notable miracle hath been done by them [is] manifest to all them that dwell in Jerusalem; and we cannot deny [it].

44_ACT_04_17 But that it spread no further among the people, let us straitly threaten them, that they speak henceforth to no man in this name.

44_ACT_04_18 And they called them, and commanded them not to speak at all nor teach in the name of Jesus.

44_ACT_04_19 But Peter and John answered and said unto them, Whether it be right in the sight of God to hearken unto you more than unto God, judge ye.

44_ACT_04_20 For we cannot but speak the things which we have seen and heard.

44_ACT_04_21 So when they had further threatened them, they let them go, finding nothing how they might punish them, because of the people: for all [men] glorified God for that which was done.

44_ACT_04_22 For the man was above forty years old, on whom this miracle of healing was showed.

44_ACT_04_23 And being let go, they went to their own company, and reported all that the chief priests and elders had said unto them.

44_ACT_04_24 And when they heard that, they lifted up their voice to God with one accord, and said, Lord, thou [art] God, which hast made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and all that in them is:

44_ACT_04_25 Who by the mouth of thy servant David hast said, Why did the heathen rage, and the people imagine vain things?

44_ACT_04_26 The kings of the earth stood up, and the rulers were gathered together against the Lord, and against his Christ.

44_ACT_04_27 For of a truth against thy holy child Jesus, whom thou hast anointed, both Herod, and Pontius Pilate, with the Gentiles, and the people of Israel, were gathered together,

44_ACT_04_28 For to do whatsoever thy hand and thy counsel determined before to be done.

44_ACT_04_29 And now, Lord, behold their threatenings: and grant unto thy servants, that with all boldness they may speak thy word,

44_ACT_04_30 By stretching forth thine hand to heal; and that signs and wonders may be done by the name of thy holy child Jesus.

44_ACT_04_31 And when they had prayed, the place was shaken where they were assembled together; and they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and they spake the word of God with boldness.

44_ACT_04_32 And the multitude of them that believed were of one heart and of one soul: neither said any [of them] that ought of the things which he possessed was his own; but they had all things common.

44_ACT_04_33 And with great power gave the apostles witness of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus: and great grace was upon them all.

44_ACT_04_34 Neither was there any among them that lacked: for as many as were possessors of lands or houses sold them, and brought the prices of the things that were sold,

44_ACT_04_35 And laid [them] down at the apostles' feet: and distribution was made unto every man according as he had need.

44_ACT_04_36 And Joses, who by the apostles was surnamed Barnabas, [which is, being interpreted, The son of consolation,] a Levite, [and] of the country of Cyprus,

44_ACT_04_37 Having land, sold [it], and brought the money, and laid [it] at the apostles' feet.

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44_ACT_05_01 But a certain man named Ananias, with Sapphira his wife, sold a possession,

44_ACT_05_02 And kept back [part] of the price, his wife also being privy [to it], and brought a certain part, and laid [it], at the apostles' feet.

44_ACT_05_03 But Peter said, Ananias, why hath Satan filled thine heart to lie to the Holy Ghost, and to keep back [part] of the price of the land?

44_ACT_05_04 Whiles it remained, was it not thine own? and after it was sold, was it not in thine own power? why hast thou conceived this thing in thine heart? thou hast not lied unto men, but unto God.

44_ACT_05_05 And Ananias hearing these words fell down, and gave up the ghost: and great fear came on all them that heard these things.

44_ACT_05_06 And the young men arose, wound him up, and carried [him] out, and buried [him].

44_ACT_05_07 And it was about the space of three hours after, when his wife, not knowing what was done, came in.

44_ACT_05_08 And Peter answered unto her, Tell me whether ye sold the land for so much? And she said, Yea, for so much.

44_ACT_05_09 Then Peter said unto her, How is it that ye have agreed together to tempt the Spirit of the Lord? behold, the feet of them which have buried thy husband [are] at the door, and shall carry thee out.

44_ACT_05_10 Then fell she down straightway at his feet, and yielded up the ghost: and the young men came in, and found her dead, and, carrying [her] forth, buried [her] by her husband.

44_ACT_05_11 And great fear came upon all the church, and upon as many as heard these things.

44_ACT_05_12 And by the hands of the apostles were many signs and wonders wrought among the people; [and they were all with one accord in Solomon's porch.

44_ACT_05_13 And of the rest durst no man join himself to them: but the people magnified them.

44_ACT_05_14 And believers were the more added to the Lord, multitudes both of men and women.]

44_ACT_05_15 Insomuch that they brought forth the sick into the streets, and laid [them] on beds and couches, that at the least the shadow of Peter passing by might overshadow some of them.

44_ACT_05_16 There came also a multitude [out] of the cities round about unto Jerusalem, bringing sick folks, and them which were vexed with unclean spirits: and they were healed every one.

44_ACT_05_17 Then the high priest rose up, and all they that were with him, [which is the sect of the Sadducees,] and were filled with indignation,

44_ACT_05_18 And laid their hands on the apostles, and put them in the common prison.

44_ACT_05_19 But the angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth, and said,

44_ACT_05_20 Go, stand and speak in the temple to the people all the words of this life.

44_ACT_05_21 And when they heard [that], they entered into the temple early in the morning, and taught. But the high priest came, and they that were with him, and called the council together, and all the senate of the children of Israel, and sent to the prison to have them brought.

44_ACT_05_22 But when the officers came, and found them not in the prison, they returned, and told,

44_ACT_05_23 Saying, The prison truly found we shut with all safety, and the keepers standing without before the doors: but when we had opened, we found no man within.

44_ACT_05_24 Now when the high priest and the captain of the temple and the chief priests heard these things, they doubted of them whereunto this would grow.

44_ACT_05_25 Then came one and told them, saying, Behold, the men whom ye put in prison are standing in the temple, and teaching the people.

44_ACT_05_26 Then went the captain with the officers, and brought them without violence: for they feared the people, lest they should have been stoned.

44_ACT_05_27 And when they had brought them, they set [them] before the council: and the high priest asked them,

44_ACT_05_28 Saying, Did not we straitly command you that ye should not teach in this name? and, behold, ye have filled Jerusalem with your doctrine, and intend to bring this man's blood upon us.

44_ACT_05_29 Then Peter and the [other] apostles answered and said, We ought to obey God rather than men.

44_ACT_05_30 The God of our fathers raised up Jesus, whom ye slew and hanged on a tree.

44_ACT_05_31 Him hath God exalted with his right hand [to be] a Prince and a Saviour, for to give repentance to Israel, and forgiveness of sins.

44_ACT_05_32 And we are his witnesses of these things; and [so is] also the Holy Ghost, whom God hath given to them that obey him.

44_ACT_05_33 When they heard [that], they were cut [to the heart], and took counsel to slay them.

44_ACT_05_34 Then stood there up one in the council, a Pharisee, named Gamaliel, a doctor of the law, had in reputation among all the people, and commanded to put the apostles forth a little space;

44_ACT_05_35 And said unto them, Ye men of Israel, take heed to yourselves what ye intend to do as touching these men.

44_ACT_05_36 For before these days rose up Theudas, boasting himself to be somebody; to whom a number of men, about four hundred, joined themselves: who was slain; and all, as many as obeyed him, were scattered, and brought to nought.

44_ACT_05_37 After this man rose up Judas of Galilee in the days of the taxing, and drew away much people after him: he also perished; and all, [even] as many as obeyed him, were dispersed.

44_ACT_05_38 And now I say unto you, Refrain from these men, and let them alone: for if this counsel or this work be of men, it will come to nought:

44_ACT_05_39 But if it be of God, ye cannot overthrow it; lest haply ye be found even to fight against God.

44_ACT_05_40 And to him they agreed: and when they had called the apostles, and beaten [them], they commanded that they should not speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go.

44_ACT_05_41 And they departed from the presence of the council, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer shame for his name.

44_ACT_05_42 And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ.

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44_ACT_06_01 And in those days, when the number of the disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration.

44_ACT_06_02 Then the twelve called the multitude of the disciples [unto them], and said, It is not reason that we should leave the word of God, and serve tables.

44_ACT_06_03 Wherefore, brethren, look ye out among you seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business.

44_ACT_06_04 But we will give ourselves continually to prayer, and to the ministry of the word.

44_ACT_06_05 And the saying pleased the whole multitude: and they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Ghost, and Philip, and Prochorus, and Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, and Nicolas a proselyte of Antioch:

44_ACT_06_06 Whom they set before the apostles: and when they had prayed, they laid [their] hands on them.

44_ACT_06_07 And the word of God increased; and the number of the disciples multiplied in Jerusalem greatly; and a great company of the priests were obedient to the faith.

44_ACT_06_08 And Stephen, full of faith and power, did great wonders and miracles among the people.

44_ACT_06_09 Then there arose certain of the synagogue, which is called [the synagogue] of the Libertines, and Cyrenians, and Alexandrians, and of them of Cilicia and of Asia, disputing with Stephen.

44_ACT_06_10 And they were not able to resist the wisdom and the spirit by which he spake.

44_ACT_06_11 Then they suborned men, which said, We have heard him speak blasphemous words against Moses, and [against] God.

44_ACT_06_12 And they stirred up the people, and the elders, and the scribes, and came upon [him], and caught him, and brought [him] to the council,

44_ACT_06_13 And set up false witnesses, which said, This man ceaseth not to speak blasphemous words against this holy place, and the law:

44_ACT_06_14 For we have heard him say, that this Jesus of Nazareth shall destroy this place, and shall change the customs which Moses delivered us.

44_ACT_06_15 And all that sat in the council, looking stedfastly on him, saw his face as it had been the face of an angel.

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44_ACT_07_01 Then said the high priest, Are these things so?

44_ACT_07_02 And he said, Men, brethren, and fathers, hearken; The God of glory appeared unto our father Abraham, when he was in Mesopotamia, before he dwelt in Charran,

44_ACT_07_03 And said unto him, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and come into the land which I shall show thee.

44_ACT_07_04 Then came he out of the land of the Chaldaeans, and dwelt in Charran: and from thence, when his father was dead, he removed him into this land, wherein ye now dwell.

44_ACT_07_05 And he gave him none inheritance in it, no, not [so much as] to set his foot on: yet he promised that he would give it to him for a possession, and to his seed after him, when [as yet] he had no child.

44_ACT_07_06 And God spake on this wise, That his seed should sojourn in a strange land; and that they should bring them into bondage, and entreat [them] evil four hundred years.

44_ACT_07_07 And the nation to whom they shall be in bondage will I judge, said God: and after that shall they come forth, and serve me in this place.

44_ACT_07_08 And he gave him the covenant of circumcision: and so [Abraham] begat Isaac, and circumcised him the eighth day; and Isaac [begat] Jacob; and Jacob [begat] the twelve patriarchs.

44_ACT_07_09 And the patriarchs, moved with envy, sold Joseph into Egypt: but God was with him,

44_ACT_07_10 And delivered him out of all his afflictions, and gave him favour and wisdom in the sight of Pharaoh king of Egypt; and he made him governor over Egypt and all his house.

44_ACT_07_11 Now there came a dearth over all the land of Egypt and Chanaan, and great affliction: and our fathers found no sustenance.

44_ACT_07_12 But when Jacob heard that there was corn in Egypt, he sent out our fathers first.

44_ACT_07_13 And at the second [time] Joseph was made known to his brethren; and Joseph's kindred was made known unto Pharaoh.

44_ACT_07_14 Then sent Joseph, and called his father Jacob to [him], and all his kindred, threescore and fifteen souls.

44_ACT_07_15 So Jacob went down into Egypt, and died, he, and our fathers,

44_ACT_07_16 And were carried over into Sychem, and laid in the sepulchre that Abraham bought for a sum of money of the sons of Emmor [the father] of Sychem.

44_ACT_07_17 But when the time of the promise drew nigh, which God had sworn to Abraham, the people grew and multiplied in Egypt,

44_ACT_07_18 Till another king arose, which knew not Joseph.

44_ACT_07_19 The same dealt subtly with our kindred, and evil entreated our fathers, so that they cast out their young children, to the end they might not live.

44_ACT_07_20 In which time Moses was born, and was exceeding fair, and nourished up in his father's house three months:

44_ACT_07_21 And when he was cast out, Pharaoh's daughter took him up, and nourished him for her own son.

44_ACT_07_22 And Moses was learned in all the wisdom of the Egyptians, and was mighty in words and in deeds.

44_ACT_07_23 And when he was full forty years old, it came into his heart to visit his brethren the children of Israel.

44_ACT_07_24 And seeing one [of them] suffer wrong, he defended [him], and avenged him that was oppressed, and smote the Egyptian:

44_ACT_07_25 For he supposed his brethren would have understood how that God by his hand would deliver them: but they understood not.

44_ACT_07_26 And the next day he showed himself unto them as they strove, and would have set them at one again, saying, Sirs, ye are brethren; why do ye wrong one to another?

44_ACT_07_27 But he that did his neighbour wrong thrust him away, saying, Who made thee a ruler and a judge over us?

44_ACT_07_28 Wilt thou kill me, as thou diddest the Egyptian yesterday?

44_ACT_07_29 Then fled Moses at this saying, and was a stranger in the land of Madian, where he begat two sons.

44_ACT_07_30 And when forty years were expired, there appeared to him in the wilderness of mount Sina an angel of the Lord in a flame of fire in a bush.

44_ACT_07_31 When Moses saw [it], he wondered at the sight: and as he drew near to behold [it], the voice of the Lord came unto him,

44_ACT_07_32 [Saying], I [am] the God of thy fathers, the God of Abraham, and the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Then Moses trembled, and durst not behold.

44_ACT_07_33 Then said the Lord to him, Put off thy shoes from thy feet: for the place where thou standest is holy ground.

44_ACT_07_34 I have seen, I have seen the affliction of my people which is in Egypt, and I have heard their groaning, and am come down to deliver them. And now come, I will send thee into Egypt.

44_ACT_07_35 This Moses whom they refused, saying, Who made thee a ruler and a judge? the same did God send [to be] a ruler and a deliverer by the hand of the angel which appeared to him in the bush.

44_ACT_07_36 He brought them out, after that he had showed wonders and signs in the land of Egypt, and in the Red sea, and in the wilderness forty years.

44_ACT_07_37 This is that Moses, which said unto the children of Israel, A prophet shall the Lord your God raise up unto you of your brethren, like unto me; him shall ye hear.

44_ACT_07_38 This is he, that was in the church in the wilderness with the angel which spake to him in the mount Sina, and [with] our fathers: who received the lively oracles to give unto us:

44_ACT_07_39 To whom our fathers would not obey, but thrust [him] from them, and in their hearts turned back again into Egypt,

44_ACT_07_40 Saying unto Aaron, Make us gods to go before us: for [as for] this Moses, which brought us out of the land of Egypt, we wot not what is become of him.

44_ACT_07_41 And they made a calf in those days, and offered sacrifice unto the idol, and rejoiced in the works of their own hands.

44_ACT_07_42 Then God turned, and gave them up to worship the host of heaven; as it is written in the book of the prophets, O ye house of Israel, have ye offered to me slain beasts and sacrifices [by the space of] forty years in the wilderness?

44_ACT_07_43 Yea, ye took up the tabernacle of Moloch, and the star of your god Remphan, figures which ye made to worship them: and I will carry you away beyond Babylon.

44_ACT_07_44 Our fathers had the tabernacle of witness in the wilderness, as he had appointed, speaking unto Moses, that he should make it according to the fashion that he had seen.

44_ACT_07_45 Which also our fathers that came after brought in with Jesus into the possession of the Gentiles, whom God drave out before the face of our fathers, unto the days of David;

44_ACT_07_46 Who found favour before God, and desired to find a tabernacle for the God of Jacob.

44_ACT_07_47 But Solomon built him an house.

44_ACT_07_48 Howbeit the most High dwelleth not in temples made with hands; as saith the prophet,

44_ACT_07_49 Heaven [is] my throne, and earth [is] my footstool: what house will ye build me? saith the Lord: or what [is] the place of my rest?

44_ACT_07_50 Hath not my hand made all these things?

44_ACT_07_51 Ye stiffnecked and uncircumcised in heart and ears, ye do always resist the Holy Ghost: as your fathers [did], so [do] ye.

44_ACT_07_52 Which of the prophets have not your fathers persecuted? and they have slain them which showed before of the coming of the Just One; of whom ye have been now the betrayers and murderers:

44_ACT_07_53 Who have received the law by the disposition of angels, and have not kept [it].

44_ACT_07_54 When they heard these things, they were cut to the heart, and they gnashed on him with [their] teeth.

44_ACT_07_55 But he, being full of the Holy Ghost, looked up stedfastly into heaven, and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing on the right hand of God,

44_ACT_07_56 And said, Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the Son of man standing on the right hand of God.

44_ACT_07_57 Then they cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him with one accord,

44_ACT_07_58 And cast [him] out of the city, and stoned [him]: and the witnesses laid down their clothes at a young man's feet, whose name was Saul.

44_ACT_07_59 And they stoned Stephen, calling upon [God], and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.

44_ACT_07_60 And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.

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44_ACT_08_01 And Saul was consenting unto his death. And at that time there was a great persecution against the church which was at Jerusalem; and they were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judaea and Samaria, except the apostles.

44_ACT_08_02 And devout men carried Stephen [to his burial], and made great lamentation over him.

44_ACT_08_03 As for Saul, he made havock of the church, entering into every house, and haling men and women committed [them] to prison.

44_ACT_08_04 Therefore they that were scattered abroad went every where preaching the word.

44_ACT_08_05 Then Philip went down to the city of Samaria, and preached Christ unto them.

44_ACT_08_06 And the people with one accord gave heed unto those things which Philip spake, hearing and seeing the miracles which he did.

44_ACT_08_07 For unclean spirits, crying with loud voice, came out of many that were possessed [with them]: and many taken with palsies, and that were lame, were healed.

44_ACT_08_08 And there was great joy in that city.

44_ACT_08_09 But there was a certain man, called Simon, which beforetime in the same city used sorcery, and bewitched the people of Samaria, giving out that himself was some great one:

44_ACT_08_10 To whom they all gave heed, from the least to the greatest, saying, This man is the great power of God.

44_ACT_08_11 And to him they had regard, because that of long time he had bewitched them with sorceries.

44_ACT_08_12 But when they believed Philip preaching the things concerning the kingdom of God, and the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized, both men and women.

44_ACT_08_13 Then Simon himself believed also: and when he was baptized, he continued with Philip, and wondered, beholding the miracles and signs which were done.

44_ACT_08_14 Now when the apostles which were at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had received the word of God, they sent unto them Peter and John:

44_ACT_08_15 Who, when they were come down, prayed for them, that they might receive the Holy Ghost:

44_ACT_08_16 [For as yet he was fallen upon none of them: only they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.]

44_ACT_08_17 Then laid they [their] hands on them, and they received the Holy Ghost.

44_ACT_08_18 And when Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money,

44_ACT_08_19 Saying, Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost.

44_ACT_08_20 But Peter said unto him, Thy money perish with thee, because thou hast thought that the gift of God may be purchased with money.

44_ACT_08_21 Thou hast neither part nor lot in this matter: for thy heart is not right in the sight of God.

44_ACT_08_22 Repent therefore of this thy wickedness, and pray God, if perhaps the thought of thine heart may be forgiven thee.

44_ACT_08_23 For I perceive that thou art in the gall of bitterness, and [in] the bond of iniquity.

44_ACT_08_24 Then answered Simon, and said, Pray ye to the Lord for me, that none of these things which ye have spoken come upon me.

44_ACT_08_25 And they, when they had testified and preached the word of the Lord, returned to Jerusalem, and preached the gospel in many villages of the Samaritans.

44_ACT_08_26 And the angel of the Lord spake unto Philip, saying, Arise, and go toward the south unto the way that goeth down from Jerusalem unto Gaza, which is desert.

44_ACT_08_27 And he arose and went: and, behold, a man of Ethiopia, an eunuch of great authority under Candace queen of the Ethiopians, who had the charge of all her treasure, and had come to Jerusalem for to worship,

44_ACT_08_28 Was returning, and sitting in his chariot read Esaias the prophet.

44_ACT_08_29 Then the Spirit said unto Philip, Go near, and join thyself to this chariot.

44_ACT_08_30 And Philip ran thither to [him], and heard him read the prophet Esaias, and said, Understandest thou what thou redest?

44_ACT_08_31 And he said, How can I, except some man should guide me? And he desired Philip that he would come up and sit with him.

44_ACT_08_32 The place of the scripture which he read was this, He was led as a sheep to the slaughter; and like a lamb dumb before his shearer, so opened he not his mouth:

44_ACT_08_33 In his humiliation his judgment was taken away: and who shall declare his generation? for his life is taken from the earth.

44_ACT_08_34 And the eunuch answered Philip, and said, I pray thee, of whom speaketh the prophet this? of himself, or of some other man?

44_ACT_08_35 Then Philip opened his mouth, and began at the same scripture, and preached unto him Jesus.

44_ACT_08_36 And as they went on [their] way, they came unto a certain water: and the eunuch said, See, [here is] water; what doth hinder me to be baptized?

44_ACT_08_37 And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered and said, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God.

44_ACT_08_38 And he commanded the chariot to stand still: and they went down both into the water, both Philip and the eunuch; and he baptized him.

44_ACT_08_39 And when they were come up out of the water, the Spirit of the Lord caught away Philip, that the eunuch saw him no more: and he went on his way rejoicing.

44_ACT_08_40 But Philip was found at Azotus: and passing through he preached in all the cities, till he came to Caesarea.

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44_ACT_09_01 And Saul, yet breathing out threatenings and slaughter against the disciples of the Lord, went unto the high priest,

44_ACT_09_02 And desired of him letters to Damascus to the synagogues, that if he found any of this way, whether they were men or women, he might bring them bound unto Jerusalem.

44_ACT_09_03 And as he journeyed, he came near Damascus: and suddenly there shined round about him a light from heaven:

44_ACT_09_04 And he fell to the earth, and heard a voice saying unto him, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me?

44_ACT_09_05 And he said, Who art thou, Lord? And the Lord said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest: [it is] hard for thee to kick against the pricks.

44_ACT_09_06 And he trembling and astonished said, Lord, what wilt thou have me to do? And the Lord [said] unto him, Arise, and go into the city, and it shall be told thee what thou must do.

44_ACT_09_07 And the men which journeyed with him stood speechless, hearing a voice, but seeing no man.

44_ACT_09_08 And Saul arose from the earth; and when his eyes were opened, he saw no man: but they led him by the hand, and brought [him] into Damascus.

44_ACT_09_09 And he was three days without sight, and neither did eat nor drink.

44_ACT_09_10 And there was a certain disciple at Damascus, named Ananias; and to him said the Lord in a vision, Ananias. And he said, Behold, I [am here], Lord.

44_ACT_09_11 And the Lord [said] unto him, Arise, and go into the street which is called Straight, and inquire in the house of Judas for [one] called Saul, of Tarsus: for, behold, he prayeth,

44_ACT_09_12 And hath seen in a vision a man named Ananias coming in, and putting [his] hand on him, that he might receive his sight.

44_ACT_09_13 Then Ananias answered, Lord, I have heard by many of this man, how much evil he hath done to thy saints at Jerusalem:

44_ACT_09_14 And here he hath authority from the chief priests to bind all that call on thy name.

44_ACT_09_15 But the Lord said unto him, Go thy way: for he is a chosen vessel unto me, to bear my name before the Gentiles, and kings, and the children of Israel:

44_ACT_09_16 For I will show him how great things he must suffer for my name's sake.

44_ACT_09_17 And Ananias went his way, and entered into the house; and putting his hands on him said, Brother Saul, the Lord, [even] Jesus, that appeared unto thee in the way as thou camest, hath sent me, that thou mightest receive thy sight, and be filled with the Holy Ghost.

44_ACT_09_18 And immediately there fell from his eyes as it had been scales: and he received sight forthwith, and arose, and was baptized.

44_ACT_09_19 And when he had received meat, he was strengthened. Then was Saul certain days with the disciples which were at Damascus.

44_ACT_09_20 And straightway he preached Christ in the synagogues, that he is the Son of God.

44_ACT_09_21 But all that heard [him] were amazed, and said; Is not this he that destroyed them which called on this name in Jerusalem, and came hither for that intent, that he might bring them bound unto the chief priests?

44_ACT_09_22 But Saul increased the more in strength, and confounded the Jews which dwelt at Damascus, proving that this is very Christ.

44_ACT_09_23 And after that many days were fulfilled, the Jews took counsel to kill him:

44_ACT_09_24 But their laying await was known of Saul. And they watched the gates day and night to kill him.

44_ACT_09_25 Then the disciples took him by night, and let [him] down by the wall in a basket.

44_ACT_09_26 And when Saul was come to Jerusalem, he assayed to join himself to the disciples: but they were all afraid of him, and believed not that he was a disciple.

44_ACT_09_27 But Barnabas took him, and brought [him] to the apostles, and declared unto them how he had seen the Lord in the way, and that he had spoken to him, and how he had preached boldly at Damascus in the name of Jesus.

44_ACT_09_28 And he was with them coming in and going out at Jerusalem.

44_ACT_09_29 And he spake boldly in the name of the Lord Jesus, and disputed against the Grecians: but they went about to slay him.

44_ACT_09_30 [Which] when the brethren knew, they brought him down to Caesarea, and sent him forth to Tarsus.

44_ACT_09_31 Then had the churches rest throughout all Judaea and Galilee and Samaria, and were edified; and walking in the fear of the Lord, and in the comfort of the Holy Ghost, were multiplied.

44_ACT_09_32 And it came to pass, as Peter passed throughout all [quarters], he came down also to the saints which dwelt at Lydda.

44_ACT_09_33 And there he found a certain man named Aeneas, which had kept his bed eight years, and was sick of the palsy.

44_ACT_09_34 And Peter said unto him, Aeneas, Jesus Christ maketh thee whole: arise, and make thy bed. And he arose immediately.

44_ACT_09_35 And all that dwelt at Lydda and Saron saw him, and turned to the Lord.

44_ACT_09_36 Now there was at Joppa a certain disciple named Tabitha, which by interpretation is called Dorcas: this woman was full of good works and almsdeeds which she did.

44_ACT_09_37 And it came to pass in those days, that she was sick, and died: whom when they had washed, they laid [her] in an upper chamber.

44_ACT_09_38 And forasmuch as Lydda was nigh to Joppa, and the disciples had heard that Peter was there, they sent unto him two men, desiring [him] that he would not delay to come to them.

44_ACT_09_39 Then Peter arose and went with them. When he was come, they brought him into the upper chamber: and all the widows stood by him weeping, and showing the coats and garments which Dorcas made, while she was with them.

44_ACT_09_40 But Peter put them all forth, and kneeled down, and prayed; and turning [him] to the body said, Tabitha, arise. And she opened her eyes: and when she saw Peter, she sat up.

44_ACT_09_41 And he gave her [his] hand, and lifted her up, and when he had called the saints and widows, presented her alive.

44_ACT_09_42 And it was known throughout all Joppa; and many believed in the Lord.

44_ACT_09_43 And it came to pass, that he tarried many days in Joppa with one Simon a tanner.

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44_ACT_10_01 There was a certain man in Caesarea called Cornelius, a centurion of the band called the Italian [band],

44_ACT_10_02 [A] devout [man], and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms to the people, and prayed to God alway.

44_ACT_10_03 He saw in a vision evidently about the ninth hour of the day an angel of God coming in to him, and saying unto him, Cornelius.

44_ACT_10_04 And when he looked on him, he was afraid, and said, What is it, Lord? And he said unto him, Thy prayers and thine alms are come up for a memorial before God.

44_ACT_10_05 And now send men to Joppa, and call for [one] Simon, whose surname is Peter:

44_ACT_10_06 He lodgeth with one Simon a tanner, whose house is by the sea side: he shall tell thee what thou oughtest to do.

44_ACT_10_07 And when the angel which spake unto Cornelius was departed, he called two of his household servants, and a devout soldier of them that waited on him continually;

44_ACT_10_08 And when he had declared all [these] things unto them, he sent them to Joppa.

44_ACT_10_09 On the morrow, as they went on their journey, and drew nigh unto the city, Peter went up upon the housetop to pray about the sixth hour:

44_ACT_10_10 And he became very hungry, and would have eaten: but while they made ready, he fell into a trance,

44_ACT_10_11 And saw heaven opened, and a certain vessel descending unto him, as it had been a great sheet knit at the four corners, and let down to the earth:

44_ACT_10_12 Wherein were all manner of fourfooted beasts of the earth, and wild beasts, and creeping things, and fowls of the air.

44_ACT_10_13 And there came a voice to him, Rise, Peter; kill, and eat.

44_ACT_10_14 But Peter said, Not so, Lord; for I have never eaten any thing that is common or unclean.

44_ACT_10_15 And the voice [spake] unto him again the second time, What God hath cleansed, [that] call not thou common.

44_ACT_10_16 This was done thrice: and the vessel was received up again into heaven.

44_ACT_10_17 Now while Peter doubted in himself what this vision which he had seen should mean, behold, the men which were sent from Cornelius had made inquiry for Simon's house, and stood before the gate,

44_ACT_10_18 And called, and asked whether Simon, which was surnamed Peter, were lodged there.

44_ACT_10_19 While Peter thought on the vision, the Spirit said unto him, Behold, three men seek thee.

44_ACT_10_20 Arise therefore, and get thee down, and go with them, doubting nothing: for I have sent them.

44_ACT_10_21 Then Peter went down to the men which were sent unto him from Cornelius; and said, Behold, I am he whom ye seek: what [is] the cause wherefore ye are come?

44_ACT_10_22 And they said, Cornelius the centurion, a just man, and one that feareth God, and of good report among all the nation of the Jews, was warned from God by an holy angel to send for thee into his house, and to hear words of thee.

44_ACT_10_23 Then called he them in, and lodged [them]. And on the morrow Peter went away with them, and certain brethren from Joppa accompanied him.

44_ACT_10_24 And the morrow after they entered into Caesarea. And Cornelius waited for them, and had called together his kinsmen and near friends.

44_ACT_10_25 And as Peter was coming in, Cornelius met him, and fell down at his feet, and worshipped [him].

44_ACT_10_26 But Peter took him up, saying, Stand up; I myself also am a man.

44_ACT_10_27 And as he talked with him, he went in, and found many that were come together.

44_ACT_10_28 And he said unto them, Ye know how that it is an unlawful thing for a man that is a Jew to keep company, or come unto one of another nation; but God hath showed me that I should not call any man common or unclean.

44_ACT_10_29 Therefore came I [unto you] without gainsaying, as soon as I was sent for: I ask therefore for what intent ye have sent for me?

44_ACT_10_30 And Cornelius said, Four days ago I was fasting until this hour; and at the ninth hour I prayed in my house, and, behold, a man stood before me in bright clothing,

44_ACT_10_31 And said, Cornelius, thy prayer is heard, and thine alms are had in remembrance in the sight of God.

44_ACT_10_32 Send therefore to Joppa, and call hither Simon, whose surname is Peter; he is lodged in the house of [one] Simon a tanner by the sea side: who, when he cometh, shall speak unto thee.

44_ACT_10_33 Immediately therefore I sent to thee; and thou hast well done that thou art come. Now therefore are we all here present before God, to hear all things that are commanded thee of God.

44_ACT_10_34 Then Peter opened [his] mouth, and said, Of a truth I perceive that God is no respecter of persons:

44_ACT_10_35 But in every nation he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is accepted with him.

44_ACT_10_36 The word which [God] sent unto the children of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ: [he is Lord of all:]

44_ACT_10_37 That word, [I say], ye know, which was published throughout all Judaea, and began from Galilee, after the baptism which John preached;

44_ACT_10_38 How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with him.

44_ACT_10_39 And we are witnesses of all things which he did both in the land of the Jews, and in Jerusalem; whom they slew and hanged on a tree:

44_ACT_10_40 Him God raised up the third day, and showed him openly;

44_ACT_10_41 Not to all the people, but unto witnesses chosen before of God, [even] to us, who did eat and drink with him after he rose from the dead.

44_ACT_10_42 And he commanded us to preach unto the people, and to testify that it is he which was ordained of God [to be] the Judge of quick and dead.

44_ACT_10_43 To him give all the prophets witness, that through his name whosoever believeth in him shall receive remission of sins.

44_ACT_10_44 While Peter yet spake these words, the Holy Ghost fell on all them which heard the word.

44_ACT_10_45 And they of the circumcision which believed were astonished, as many as came with Peter, because that on the Gentiles also was poured out the gift of the Holy Ghost.

44_ACT_10_46 For they heard them speak with tongues, and magnify God. Then answered Peter,

44_ACT_10_47 Can any man forbid water, that these should not be baptized, which have received the Holy Ghost as well as we?

44_ACT_10_48 And he commanded them to be baptized in the name of the Lord. Then prayed they him to tarry certain days.

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44_ACT_11_01 And the apostles and brethren that were in Judaea heard that the Gentiles had also received the word of God.

44_ACT_11_02 And when Peter was come up to Jerusalem, they that were of the circumcision contended with him,

44_ACT_11_03 Saying, Thou wentest in to men uncircumcised, and didst eat with them.

44_ACT_11_04 But Peter rehearsed [the matter] from the beginning, and expounded [it] by order unto them, saying,

44_ACT_11_05 I was in the city of Joppa praying: and in a trance I saw a vision, A certain vessel descend, as it had been a great sheet, let down from heaven by four corners; and it came even to me:

44_ACT_11_06 Upon the which when I had fastened mine eyes, I considered, and saw fourfooted beasts of the earth, and wild beasts, and creeping things, and fowls of the air.

44_ACT_11_07 And I heard a voice saying unto me, Arise, Peter; slay and eat.

44_ACT_11_08 But I said, Not so, Lord: for nothing common or unclean hath at any time entered into my mouth.

44_ACT_11_09 But the voice answered me again from heaven, What God hath cleansed, [that] call not thou common.

44_ACT_11_10 And this was done three times: and all were drawn up again into heaven.

44_ACT_11_11 And, behold, immediately there were three men already come unto the house where I was, sent from Caesarea unto me.

44_ACT_11_12 And the Spirit bade me go with them, nothing doubting. Moreover these six brethren accompanied me, and we entered into the man's house:

44_ACT_11_13 And he showed us how he had seen an angel in his house, which stood and said unto him, Send men to Joppa, and call for Simon, whose surname is Peter;

44_ACT_11_14 Who shall tell thee words, whereby thou and all thy house shall be saved.

44_ACT_11_15 And as I began to speak, the Holy Ghost fell on them, as on us at the beginning.

44_ACT_11_16 Then remembered I the word of the Lord, how that he said, John indeed baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost.

44_ACT_11_17 Forasmuch then as God gave them the like gift as [he did] unto us, who believed on the Lord Jesus Christ; what was I, that I could withstand God?

44_ACT_11_18 When they heard these things, they held their peace, and glorified God, saying, Then hath God also to the Gentiles granted repentance unto life.

44_ACT_11_19 Now they which were scattered abroad upon the persecution that arose about Stephen travelled as far as Phenice, and Cyprus, and Antioch, preaching the word to none but unto the Jews only.

44_ACT_11_20 And some of them were men of Cyprus and Cyrene, which, when they were come to Antioch, spake unto the Grecians, preaching the Lord Jesus.

44_ACT_11_21 And the hand of the Lord was with them: and a great number believed, and turned unto the Lord.

44_ACT_11_22 Then tidings of these things came unto the ears of the church which was in Jerusalem: and they sent forth Barnabas, that he should go as far as Antioch.

44_ACT_11_23 Who, when he came, and had seen the grace of God, was glad, and exhorted them all, that with purpose of heart they would cleave unto the Lord.

44_ACT_11_24 For he was a good man, and full of the Holy Ghost and of faith: and much people was added unto the Lord.

44_ACT_11_25 Then departed Barnabas to Tarsus, for to seek Saul:

44_ACT_11_26 And when he had found him, he brought him unto Antioch. And it came to pass, that a whole year they assembled themselves with the church, and taught much people. And the disciples were called Christians first in Antioch.

44_ACT_11_27 And in these days came prophets from Jerusalem unto Antioch.

44_ACT_11_28 And there stood up one of them named Agabus, and signified by the Spirit that there should be great dearth throughout all the world: which came to pass in the days of Claudius Caesar.

44_ACT_11_29 Then the disciples, every man according to his ability, determined to send relief unto the brethren which dwelt in Judaea:

44_ACT_11_30 Which also they did, and sent it to the elders by the hands of Barnabas and Saul.

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44_ACT_12_01 Now about that time Herod the king stretched forth [his] hands to vex certain of the church.

44_ACT_12_02 And he killed James the brother of John with the sword.

44_ACT_12_03 And because he saw it pleased the Jews, he proceeded further to take Peter also. [Then were the days of unleavened bread.]

44_ACT_12_04 And when he had apprehended him, he put [him] in prison, and delivered [him] to four quaternions of soldiers to keep him; intending after Easter to bring him forth to the people.

44_ACT_12_05 Peter therefore was kept in prison: but prayer was made without ceasing of the church unto God for him.

44_ACT_12_06 And when Herod would have brought him forth, the same night Peter was sleeping between two soldiers, bound with two chains: and the keepers before the door kept the prison.

44_ACT_12_07 And, behold, the angel of the Lord came upon [him], and a light shined in the prison: and he smote Peter on the side, and raised him up, saying, Arise up quickly. And his chains fell off from [his] hands.

44_ACT_12_08 And the angel said unto him, Gird thyself, and bind on thy sandals. And so he did. And he saith unto him, Cast thy garment about thee, and follow me.

44_ACT_12_09 And he went out, and followed him; and wist not that it was true which was done by the angel; but thought he saw a vision.

44_ACT_12_10 When they were past the first and the second ward, they came unto the iron gate that leadeth unto the city; which opened to them of his own accord: and they went out, and passed on through one street; and forthwith the angel departed from him.

44_ACT_12_11 And when Peter was come to himself, he said, Now I know of a surety, that the Lord hath sent his angel, and hath delivered me out of the hand of Herod, and [from] all the expectation of the people of the Jews.

44_ACT_12_12 And when he had considered [the thing], he came to the house of Mary the mother of John, whose surname was Mark; where many were gathered together praying.

44_ACT_12_13 And as Peter knocked at the door of the gate, a damsel came to hearken, named Rhoda.

44_ACT_12_14 And when she knew Peter's voice, she opened not the gate for gladness, but ran in, and told how Peter stood before the gate.

44_ACT_12_15 And they said unto her, Thou art mad. But she constantly affirmed that it was even so. Then said they, It is his angel.

44_ACT_12_16 But Peter continued knocking: and when they had opened [the door], and saw him, they were astonished.

44_ACT_12_17 But he, beckoning unto them with the hand to hold their peace, declared unto them how the Lord had brought him out of the prison. And he said, Go show these things unto James, and to the brethren. And he departed, and went into another place.

44_ACT_12_18 Now as soon as it was day, there was no small stir among the soldiers, what was become of Peter.

44_ACT_12_19 And when Herod had sought for him, and found him not, he examined the keepers, and commanded that [they] should be put to death. And he went down from Judaea to Caesarea, and [there] abode.

44_ACT_12_20 And Herod was highly displeased with them of Tyre and Sidon: but they came with one accord to him, and, having made Blastus the king's chamberlain their friend, desired peace; because their country was nourished by the king's [country].

44_ACT_12_21 And upon a set day Herod, arrayed in royal apparel, sat upon his throne, and made an oration unto them.

44_ACT_12_22 And the people gave a shout, [saying, It is] the voice of a god, and not of a man.

44_ACT_12_23 And immediately the angel of the Lord smote him, because he gave not God the glory: and he was eaten of worms, and gave up the ghost.

44_ACT_12_24 But the word of God grew and multiplied.

44_ACT_12_25 And Barnabas and Saul returned from Jerusalem, when they had fulfilled [their] ministry, and took with them John, whose surname was Mark.

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44_ACT_13_01 Now there were in the church that was at Antioch certain prophets and teachers; as Barnabas, and Simeon that was called Niger, and Lucius of Cyrene, and Manaen, which had been brought up with Herod the tetrarch, and Saul.

44_ACT_13_02 As they ministered to the Lord, and fasted, the Holy Ghost said, Separate me Barnabas and Saul for the work whereunto I have called them.

44_ACT_13_03 And when they had fasted and prayed, and laid [their] hands on them, they sent [them] away.

44_ACT_13_04 So they, being sent forth by the Holy Ghost, departed unto Seleucia; and from thence they sailed to Cyprus.

44_ACT_13_05 And when they were at Salamis, they preached the word of God in the synagogues of the Jews: and they had also John to [their] minister.

44_ACT_13_06 And when they had gone through the isle unto Paphos, they found a certain sorcerer, a false prophet, a Jew, whose name [was] Barjesus:

44_ACT_13_07 Which was with the deputy of the country, Sergius Paulus, a prudent man; who called for Barnabas and Saul, and desired to hear the word of God.

44_ACT_13_08 But Elymas the sorcerer [for so is his name by interpretation] withstood them, seeking to turn away the deputy from the faith.

44_ACT_13_09 Then Saul, [who also [is called] Paul,] filled with the Holy Ghost, set his eyes on him,

44_ACT_13_10 And said, O full of all subtlety and all mischief, [thou] child of the devil, [thou] enemy of all righteousness, wilt thou not cease to pervert the right ways of the Lord?

44_ACT_13_11 And now, behold, the hand of the Lord [is] upon thee, and thou shalt be blind, not seeing the sun for a season. And immediately there fell on him a mist and a darkness; and he went about seeking some to lead him by the hand.

44_ACT_13_12 Then the deputy, when he saw what was done, believed, being astonished at the doctrine of the Lord.

44_ACT_13_13 Now when Paul and his company loosed from Paphos, they came to Perga in Pamphylia: and John departing from them returned to Jerusalem.

44_ACT_13_14 But when they departed from Perga, they came to Antioch in Pisidia, and went into the synagogue on the sabbath day, and sat down.

44_ACT_13_15 And after the reading of the law and the prophets the rulers of the synagogue sent unto them, saying, [Ye] men [and] brethren, if ye have any word of exhortation for the people, say on.

44_ACT_13_16 Then Paul stood up, and beckoning with [his] hand said, Men of Israel, and ye that fear God, give audience.

44_ACT_13_17 The God of this people of Israel chose our fathers, and exalted the people when they dwelt as strangers in the land of Egypt, and with an high arm brought he them out of it.

44_ACT_13_18 And about the time of forty years suffered he their manners in the wilderness.

44_ACT_13_19 And when he had destroyed seven nations in the land of Chanaan, he divided their land to them by lot.

44_ACT_13_20 And after that he gave [unto them] judges about the space of four hundred and fifty years, until Samuel the prophet.

44_ACT_13_21 And afterward they desired a king: and God gave unto them Saul the son of Cis, a man of the tribe of Benjamin, by the space of forty years.

44_ACT_13_22 And when he had removed him, he raised up unto them David to be their king; to whom also he gave testimony, and said, I have found David the [son] of Jesse, a man after mine own heart, which shall fulfil all my will.

44_ACT_13_23 Of this man's seed hath God according to [his] promise raised unto Israel a Saviour, Jesus:

44_ACT_13_24 When John had first preached before his coming the baptism of repentance to all the people of Israel.

44_ACT_13_25 And as John fulfilled his course, he said, Whom think ye that I am? I am not [he]. But, behold, there cometh one after me, whose shoes of [his] feet I am not worthy to loose.

44_ACT_13_26 Men [and] brethren, children of the stock of Abraham, and whosoever among you feareth God, to you is the word of this salvation sent.

44_ACT_13_27 For they that dwell at Jerusalem, and their rulers, because they knew him not, nor yet the voices of the prophets which are read every sabbath day, they have fulfilled [them] in condemning [him].

44_ACT_13_28 And though they found no cause of death [in him], yet desired they Pilate that he should be slain.

44_ACT_13_29 And when they had fulfilled all that was written of him, they took [him] down from the tree, and laid [him] in a sepulchre.

44_ACT_13_30 But God raised him from the dead:

44_ACT_13_31 And he was seen many days of them which came up with him from Galilee to Jerusalem, who are his witnesses unto the people.

44_ACT_13_32 And we declare unto you glad tidings, how that the promise which was made unto the fathers,

44_ACT_13_33 God hath fulfilled the same unto us their children, in that he hath raised up Jesus again; as it is also written in the second psalm, Thou art my Son, this day have I begotten thee.

44_ACT_13_34 And as concerning that he raised him up from the dead, [now] no more to return to corruption, he said on this wise, I will give you the sure mercies of David.

44_ACT_13_35 Wherefore he saith also in another [psalm], Thou shalt not suffer thine Holy One to see corruption.

44_ACT_13_36 For David, after he had served his own generation by the will of God, fell on sleep, and was laid unto his fathers, and saw corruption:

44_ACT_13_37 But he, whom God raised again, saw no corruption.

44_ACT_13_38 Be it known unto you therefore, men [and] brethren, that through this man is preached unto you the forgiveness of sins:

44_ACT_13_39 And by him all that believe are justified from all things, from which ye could not be justified by the law of Moses.

44_ACT_13_40 Beware therefore, lest that come upon you, which is spoken of in the prophets;

44_ACT_13_41 Behold, ye despisers, and wonder, and perish: for I work a work in your days, a work which ye shall in no wise believe, though a man declare it unto you.

44_ACT_13_42 And when the Jews were gone out of the synagogue, the Gentiles besought that these words might be preached to them the next sabbath.

44_ACT_13_43 Now when the congregation was broken up, many of the Jews and religious proselytes followed Paul and Barnabas: who, speaking to them, persuaded them to continue in the grace of God.

44_ACT_13_44 And the next sabbath day came almost the whole city together to hear the word of God.

44_ACT_13_45 But when the Jews saw the multitudes, they were filled with envy, and spake against those things which were spoken by Paul, contradicting and blaspheming.

44_ACT_13_46 Then Paul and Barnabas waxed bold, and said, It was necessary that the word of God should first have been spoken to you: but seeing ye put it from you, and judge yourselves unworthy of everlasting life, lo, we turn to the Gentiles.

44_ACT_13_47 For so hath the Lord commanded us, [saying], I have set thee to be a light of the Gentiles, that thou shouldest be for salvation unto the ends of the earth.

44_ACT_13_48 And when the Gentiles heard this, they were glad, and glorified the word of the Lord: and as many as were ordained to eternal life believed.

44_ACT_13_49 And the word of the Lord was published throughout all the region.

44_ACT_13_50 But the Jews stirred up the devout and honourable women, and the chief men of the city, and raised persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and expelled them out of their coasts.

44_ACT_13_51 But they shook off the dust of their feet against them, and came unto Iconium.

44_ACT_13_52 And the disciples were filled with joy, and with the Holy Ghost.

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44_ACT_14_01 And it came to pass in Iconium, that they went both together into the synagogue of the Jews, and so spake, that a great multitude both of the Jews and also of the Greeks believed.

44_ACT_14_02 But the unbelieving Jews stirred up the Gentiles, and made their minds evil affected against the brethren.

44_ACT_14_03 Long time therefore abode they speaking boldly in the Lord, which gave testimony unto the word of his grace, and granted signs and wonders to be done by their hands.

44_ACT_14_04 But the multitude of the city was divided: and part held with the Jews, and part with the apostles.

44_ACT_14_05 And when there was an assault made both of the Gentiles, and also of the Jews with their rulers, to use [them] despitefully, and to stone them,

44_ACT_14_06 They were ware of [it], and fled unto Lystra and Derbe, cities of Lycaonia, and unto the region that lieth round about:

44_ACT_14_07 And there they preached the gospel.

44_ACT_14_08 And there sat a certain man at Lystra, impotent in his feet, being a cripple from his mother's womb, who never had walked:

44_ACT_14_09 The same heard Paul speak: who stedfastly beholding him, and perceiving that he had faith to be healed,

44_ACT_14_10 Said with a loud voice, Stand upright on thy feet. And he leaped and walked.

44_ACT_14_11 And when the people saw what Paul had done, they lifted up their voices, saying in the speech of Lycaonia, The gods are come down to us in the likeness of men.

44_ACT_14_12 And they called Barnabas, Jupiter; and Paul, Mercurius, because he was the chief speaker.

44_ACT_14_13 Then the priest of Jupiter, which was before their city, brought oxen and garlands unto the gates, and would have done sacrifice with the people.

44_ACT_14_14 [Which] when the apostles, Barnabas and Paul, heard [of], they rent their clothes, and ran in among the people, crying out,

44_ACT_14_15 And saying, Sirs, why do ye these things? We also are men of like passions with you, and preach unto you that ye should turn from these vanities unto the living God, which made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and all things that are therein:

44_ACT_14_16 Who in times past suffered all nations to walk in their own ways.

44_ACT_14_17 Nevertheless he left not himself without witness, in that he did good, and gave us rain from heaven, and fruitful seasons, filling our hearts with food and gladness.

44_ACT_14_18 And with these sayings scarce restrained they the people, that they had not done sacrifice unto them.

44_ACT_14_19 And there came thither [certain] Jews from Antioch and Iconium, who persuaded the people, and, having stoned Paul, drew [him] out of the city, supposing he had been dead.

44_ACT_14_20 Howbeit, as the disciples stood round about him, he rose up, and came into the city: and the next day he departed with Barnabas to Derbe.

44_ACT_14_21 And when they had preached the gospel to that city, and had taught many, they returned again to Lystra, and [to] Iconium, and Antioch,

44_ACT_14_22 Confirming the souls of the disciples, [and] exhorting them to continue in the faith, and that we must through much tribulation enter into the kingdom of God.

44_ACT_14_23 And when they had ordained them elders in every church, and had prayed with fasting, they commended them to the Lord, on whom they believed.

44_ACT_14_24 And after they had passed throughout Pisidia, they came to Pamphylia.

44_ACT_14_25 And when they had preached the word in Perga, they went down into Attalia:

44_ACT_14_26 And thence sailed to Antioch, from whence they had been recommended to the grace of God for the work which they fulfilled.

44_ACT_14_27 And when they were come, and had gathered the church together, they rehearsed all that God had done with them, and how he had opened the door of faith unto the Gentiles.

44_ACT_14_28 And there they abode long time with the disciples.

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44_ACT_15_01 And certain men which came down from Judaea taught the brethren, [and said], Except ye be circumcised after the manner of Moses, ye cannot be saved.

44_ACT_15_02 When therefore Paul and Barnabas had no small dissension and disputation with them, they determined that Paul and Barnabas, and certain other of them, should go up to Jerusalem unto the apostles and elders about this question.

44_ACT_15_03 And being brought on their way by the church, they passed through Phenice and Samaria, declaring the conversion of the Gentiles: and they caused great joy unto all the brethren.

44_ACT_15_04 And when they were come to Jerusalem, they were received of the church, and [of] the apostles and elders, and they declared all things that God had done with them.

44_ACT_15_05 But there rose up certain of the sect of the Pharisees which believed, saying, That it was needful to circumcise them, and to command [them] to keep the law of Moses.

44_ACT_15_06 And the apostles and elders came together for to consider of this matter.

44_ACT_15_07 And when there had been much disputing, Peter rose up, and said unto them, Men [and] brethren, ye know how that a good while ago God made choice among us, that the Gentiles by my mouth should hear the word of the gospel, and believe.

44_ACT_15_08 And God, which knoweth the hearts, bare them witness, giving them the Holy Ghost, even as [he did] unto us;

44_ACT_15_09 And put no difference between us and them, purifying their hearts by faith.

44_ACT_15_10 Now therefore why tempt ye God, to put a yoke upon the neck of the disciples, which neither our fathers nor we were able to bear?

44_ACT_15_11 But we believe that through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ we shall be saved, even as they.

44_ACT_15_12 Then all the multitude kept silence, and gave audience to Barnabas and Paul, declaring what miracles and wonders God had wrought among the Gentiles by them.

44_ACT_15_13 And after they had held their peace, James answered, saying, Men [and] brethren, hearken unto me:

44_ACT_15_14 Simeon hath declared how God at the first did visit the Gentiles, to take out of them a people for his name.

44_ACT_15_15 And to this agree the words of the prophets; as it is written,

44_ACT_15_16 After this I will return, and will build again the tabernacle of David, which is fallen down; and I will build again the ruins thereof, and I will set it up:

44_ACT_15_17 That the residue of men might seek after the Lord, and all the Gentiles, upon whom my name is called, saith the Lord, who doeth all these things.

44_ACT_15_18 Known unto God are all his works from the beginning of the world.

44_ACT_15_19 Wherefore my sentence is, that we trouble not them, which from among the Gentiles are turned to God:

44_ACT_15_20 But that we write unto them, that they abstain from pollutions of idols, and [from] fornication, and [from] things strangled, and [from] blood.

44_ACT_15_21 For Moses of old time hath in every city them that preach him, being read in the synagogues every sabbath day.

44_ACT_15_22 Then pleased it the apostles and elders, with the whole church, to send chosen men of their own company to Antioch with Paul and Barnabas; [namely], Judas surnamed Barsabas, and Silas, chief men among the brethren:

44_ACT_15_23 And they wrote [letters] by them after this manner; The apostles and elders and brethren [send] greeting unto the brethren which are of the Gentiles in Antioch and Syria and Cilicia:

44_ACT_15_24 Forasmuch as we have heard, that certain which went out from us have troubled you with words, subverting your souls, saying, [Ye must] be circumcised, and keep the law: to whom we gave no [such] commandment:

44_ACT_15_25 It seemed good unto us, being assembled with one accord, to send chosen men unto you with our beloved Barnabas and Paul,

44_ACT_15_26 Men that have hazarded their lives for the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

44_ACT_15_27 We have sent therefore Judas and Silas, who shall also tell [you] the same things by mouth.

44_ACT_15_28 For it seemed good to the Holy Ghost, and to us, to lay upon you no greater burden than these necessary things;

44_ACT_15_29 That ye abstain from meats offered to idols, and from blood, and from things strangled, and from fornication: from which if ye keep yourselves, ye shall do well. Fare ye well.

44_ACT_15_30 So when they were dismissed, they came to Antioch: and when they had gathered the multitude together, they delivered the epistle:

44_ACT_15_31 [Which] when they had read, they rejoiced for the consolation.

44_ACT_15_32 And Judas and Silas, being prophets also themselves, exhorted the brethren with many words, and confirmed [them].

44_ACT_15_33 And after they had tarried [there] a space, they were let go in peace from the brethren unto the apostles.

44_ACT_15_34 Notwithstanding it pleased Silas to abide there still.

44_ACT_15_35 Paul also and Barnabas continued in Antioch, teaching and preaching the word of the Lord, with many others also.

44_ACT_15_36 And some days after Paul said unto Barnabas, Let us go again and visit our brethren in every city where we have preached the word of the Lord, [and see] how they do.

44_ACT_15_37 And Barnabas determined to take with them John, whose surname was Mark.

44_ACT_15_38 But Paul thought not good to take him with them, who departed from them from Pamphylia, and went not with them to the work.

44_ACT_15_39 And the contention was so sharp between them, that they departed asunder one from the other: and so Barnabas took Mark, and sailed unto Cyprus;

44_ACT_15_40 And Paul chose Silas, and departed, being recommended by the brethren unto the grace of God.

44_ACT_15_41 And he went through Syria and Cilicia, confirming the churches.

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44_ACT_16_01 Then came he to Derbe and Lystra: and, behold, a certain disciple was there, named Timotheus, the son of a certain woman, which was a Jewess, and believed; but his father [was] a Greek:

44_ACT_16_02 Which was well reported of by the brethren that were at Lystra and Iconium.

44_ACT_16_03 Him would Paul have to go forth with him; and took and circumcised him because of the Jews which were in those quarters: for they knew all that his father was a Greek.

44_ACT_16_04 And as they went through the cities, they delivered them the decrees for to keep, that were ordained of the apostles and elders which were at Jerusalem.

44_ACT_16_05 And so were the churches established in the faith, and increased in number daily.

44_ACT_16_06 Now when they had gone throughout Phrygia and the region of Galatia, and were forbidden of the Holy Ghost to preach the word in Asia,

44_ACT_16_07 After they were come to Mysia, they assayed to go into Bithynia: but the Spirit suffered them not.

44_ACT_16_08 And they passing by Mysia came down to Troas.

44_ACT_16_09 And a vision appeared to Paul in the night; There stood a man of Macedonia, and prayed him, saying, Come over into Macedonia, and help us.

44_ACT_16_10 And after he had seen the vision, immediately we endeavoured to go into Macedonia, assuredly gathering that the Lord had called us for to preach the gospel unto them.

44_ACT_16_11 Therefore loosing from Troas, we came with a straight course to Samothracia, and the next [day] to Neapolis;

44_ACT_16_12 And from thence to Philippi, which is the chief city of that part of Macedonia, [and] a colony: and we were in that city abiding certain days.

44_ACT_16_13 And on the sabbath we went out of the city by a river side, where prayer was wont to be made; and we sat down, and spake unto the women which resorted [thither].

44_ACT_16_14 And a certain woman named Lydia, a seller of purple, of the city of Thyatira, which worshipped God, heard [us]: whose heart the Lord opened, that she attended unto the things which were spoken of Paul.

44_ACT_16_15 And when she was baptized, and her household, she besought [us], saying, If ye have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come into my house, and abide [there]. And she constrained us.

44_ACT_16_16 And it came to pass, as we went to prayer, a certain damsel possessed with a spirit of divination met us, which brought her masters much gain by soothsaying:

44_ACT_16_17 The same followed Paul and us, and cried, saying, These men are the servants of the most high God, which show unto us the way of salvation.

44_ACT_16_18 And this did she many days. But Paul, being grieved, turned and said to the spirit, I command thee in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her. And he came out the same hour.

44_ACT_16_19 And when her masters saw that the hope of their gains was gone, they caught Paul and Silas, and drew [them] into the marketplace unto the rulers,

44_ACT_16_20 And brought them to the magistrates, saying, These men, being Jews, do exceedingly trouble our city,

44_ACT_16_21 And teach customs, which are not lawful for us to receive, neither to observe, being Romans.

44_ACT_16_22 And the multitude rose up together against them: and the magistrates rent off their clothes, and commanded to beat [them].

44_ACT_16_23 And when they had laid many stripes upon them, they cast [them] into prison, charging the jailor to keep them safely:

44_ACT_16_24 Who, having received such a charge, thrust them into the inner prison, and made their feet fast in the stocks.

44_ACT_16_25 And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God: and the prisoners heard them.

44_ACT_16_26 And suddenly there was a great earthquake, so that the foundations of the prison were shaken: and immediately all the doors were opened, and every one's bands were loosed.

44_ACT_16_27 And the keeper of the prison awaking out of his sleep, and seeing the prison doors open, he drew out his sword, and would have killed himself, supposing that the prisoners had been fled.

44_ACT_16_28 But Paul cried with a loud voice, saying, Do thyself no harm: for we are all here.

44_ACT_16_29 Then he called for a light, and sprang in, and came trembling, and fell down before Paul and Silas,

44_ACT_16_30 And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved?

44_ACT_16_31 And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house.

44_ACT_16_32 And they spake unto him the word of the Lord, and to all that were in his house.

44_ACT_16_33 And he took them the same hour of the night, and washed [their] stripes; and was baptized, he and all his, straightway.

44_ACT_16_34 And when he had brought them into his house, he set meat before them, and rejoiced, believing in God with all his house.

44_ACT_16_35 And when it was day, the magistrates sent the serjeants, saying, Let those men go.

44_ACT_16_36 And the keeper of the prison told this saying to Paul, The magistrates have sent to let you go: now therefore depart, and go in peace.

44_ACT_16_37 But Paul said unto them, They have beaten us openly uncondemned, being Romans, and have cast [us] into prison; and now do they thrust us out privily? nay verily; but let them come themselves and fetch us out.

44_ACT_16_38 And the serjeants told these words unto the magistrates: and they feared, when they heard that they were Romans.

44_ACT_16_39 And they came and besought them, and brought [them] out, and desired [them] to depart out of the city.

44_ACT_16_40 And they went out of the prison, and entered into [the house of] Lydia: and when they had seen the brethren, they comforted them, and departed.

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44_ACT_17_01 Now when they had passed through Amphipolis and Apollonia, they came to Thessalonica, where was a synagogue of the Jews:

44_ACT_17_02 And Paul, as his manner was, went in unto them, and three sabbath days reasoned with them out of the scriptures,

44_ACT_17_03 Opening and alleging, that Christ must needs have suffered, and risen again from the dead; and that this Jesus, whom I preach unto you, is Christ.

44_ACT_17_04 And some of them believed, and consorted with Paul and Silas; and of the devout Greeks a great multitude, and of the chief women not a few.

44_ACT_17_05 But the Jews which believed not, moved with envy, took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company, and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason, and sought to bring them out to the people.

44_ACT_17_06 And when they found them not, they drew Jason and certain brethren unto the rulers of the city, crying, These that have turned the world upside down are come hither also;

44_ACT_17_07 Whom Jason hath received: and these all do contrary to the decrees of Caesar, saying that there is another king, [one] Jesus.

44_ACT_17_08 And they troubled the people and the rulers of the city, when they heard these things.

44_ACT_17_09 And when they had taken security of Jason, and of the other, they let them go.

44_ACT_17_10 And the brethren immediately sent away Paul and Silas by night unto Berea: who coming [thither] went into the synagogue of the Jews.

44_ACT_17_11 These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so.

44_ACT_17_12 Therefore many of them believed; also of honourable women which were Greeks, and of men, not a few.

44_ACT_17_13 But when the Jews of Thessalonica had knowledge that the word of God was preached of Paul at Berea, they came thither also, and stirred up the people.

44_ACT_17_14 And then immediately the brethren sent away Paul to go as it were to the sea: but Silas and Timotheus abode there still.

44_ACT_17_15 And they that conducted Paul brought him unto Athens: and receiving a commandment unto Silas and Timotheus for to come to him with all speed, they departed.

44_ACT_17_16 Now while Paul waited for them at Athens, his spirit was stirred in him, when he saw the city wholly given to idolatry.

44_ACT_17_17 Therefore disputed he in the synagogue with the Jews, and with the devout persons, and in the market daily with them that met with him.

44_ACT_17_18 Then certain philosophers of the Epicureans, and of the Stoicks, encountered him. And some said, What will this babbler say? other some, He seemeth to be a setter forth of strange gods: because he preached unto them Jesus, and the resurrection.

44_ACT_17_19 And they took him, and brought him unto Areopagus, saying, May we know what this new doctrine, whereof thou speakest, [is]?

44_ACT_17_20 For thou bringest certain strange things to our ears: we would know therefore what these things mean.

44_ACT_17_21 [For all the Athenians and strangers which were there spent their time in nothing else, but either to tell, or to hear some new thing.]

44_ACT_17_22 Then Paul stood in the midst of Mars' hill, and said, [Ye] men of Athens, I perceive that in all things ye are too superstitious.

44_ACT_17_23 For as I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, TO THE UNKNOWN GOD. Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship, him declare I unto you.

44_ACT_17_24 God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands;

44_ACT_17_25 Neither is worshipped with men's hands, as though he needed any thing, seeing he giveth to all life, and breath, and all things;

44_ACT_17_26 And hath made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on all the face of the earth, and hath determined the times before appointed, and the bounds of their habitation;

44_ACT_17_27 That they should seek the Lord, if haply they might feel after him, and find him, though he be not far from every one of us:

44_ACT_17_28 For in him we live, and move, and have our being; as certain also of your own poets have said, For we are also his offspring.

44_ACT_17_29 Forasmuch then as we are the offspring of God, we ought not to think that the Godhead is like unto gold, or silver, or stone, graven by art and man's device.

44_ACT_17_30 And the times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent:

44_ACT_17_31 Because he hath appointed a day, in the which he will judge the world in righteousness by [that] man whom he hath ordained; [whereof] he hath given assurance unto all [men], in that he hath raised him from the dead.

44_ACT_17_32 And when they heard of the resurrection of the dead, some mocked: and others said, We will hear thee again of this [matter].

44_ACT_17_33 So Paul departed from among them.

44_ACT_17_34 Howbeit certain men clave unto him, and believed: among the which [was] Dionysius the Areopagite, and a woman named Damaris, and others with them.

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44_ACT_18_01 After these things Paul departed from Athens, and came to Corinth;

44_ACT_18_02 And found a certain Jew named Aquila, born in Pontus, lately come from Italy, with his wife Priscilla; [because that Claudius had commanded all Jews to depart from Rome:] and came unto them.

44_ACT_18_03 And because he was of the same craft, he abode with them, and wrought: for by their occupation they were tentmakers.

44_ACT_18_04 And he reasoned in the synagogue every sabbath, and persuaded the Jews and the Greeks.

44_ACT_18_05 And when Silas and Timotheus were come from Macedonia, Paul was pressed in the spirit, and testified to the Jews [that] Jesus [was] Christ.

44_ACT_18_06 And when they opposed themselves, and blasphemed, he shook [his] raiment, and said unto them, Your blood [be] upon your own heads; I [am] clean: from henceforth I will go unto the Gentiles.

44_ACT_18_07 And he departed thence, and entered into a certain [man's] house, named Justus, [one] that worshipped God, whose house joined hard to the synagogue.

44_ACT_18_08 And Crispus, the chief ruler of the synagogue, believed on the Lord with all his house; and many of the Corinthians hearing believed, and were baptized.

44_ACT_18_09 Then spake the Lord to Paul in the night by a vision, Be not afraid, but speak, and hold not thy peace:

44_ACT_18_10 For I am with thee, and no man shall set on thee to hurt thee: for I have much people in this city.

44_ACT_18_11 And he continued [there] a year and six months, teaching the word of God among them.

44_ACT_18_12 And when Gallio was the deputy of Achaia, the Jews made insurrection with one accord against Paul, and brought him to the judgment seat,

44_ACT_18_13 Saying, This [fellow] persuadeth men to worship God contrary to the law.

44_ACT_18_14 And when Paul was now about to open [his] mouth, Gallio said unto the Jews, If it were a matter of wrong or wicked lewdness, O [ye] Jews, reason would that I should bear with you:

44_ACT_18_15 But if it be a question of words and names, and [of] your law, look ye [to it]; for I will be no judge of such [matters].

44_ACT_18_16 And he drave them from the judgment seat.

44_ACT_18_17 Then all the Greeks took Sosthenes, the chief ruler of the synagogue, and beat [him] before the judgment seat. And Gallio cared for none of those things.

44_ACT_18_18 And Paul [after this] tarried [there] yet a good while, and then took his leave of the brethren, and sailed thence into Syria, and with him Priscilla and Aquila; having shorn [his] head in Cenchrea: for he had a vow.

44_ACT_18_19 And he came to Ephesus, and left them there: but he himself entered into the synagogue, and reasoned with the Jews.

44_ACT_18_20 When they desired [him] to tarry longer time with them, he consented not;

44_ACT_18_21 But bade them farewell, saying, I must by all means keep this feast that cometh in Jerusalem: but I will return again unto you, if God will. And he sailed from Ephesus.

44_ACT_18_22 And when he had landed at Caesarea, and gone up, and saluted the church, he went down to Antioch.

44_ACT_18_23 And after he had spent some time [there], he departed, and went over [all] the country of Galatia and Phrygia in order, strengthening all the disciples.

44_ACT_18_24 And a certain Jew named Apollos, born at Alexandria, an eloquent man, [and] mighty in the scriptures, came to Ephesus.

44_ACT_18_25 This man was instructed in the way of the Lord; and being fervent in the spirit, he spake and taught diligently the things of the Lord, knowing only the baptism of John.

44_ACT_18_26 And he began to speak boldly in the synagogue: whom when Aquila and Priscilla had heard, they took him unto [them], and expounded unto him the way of God more perfectly.

44_ACT_18_27 And when he was disposed to pass into Achaia, the brethren wrote, exhorting the disciples to receive him: who, when he was come, helped them much which had believed through grace:

44_ACT_18_28 For he mightily convinced the Jews, [and that] publicly, showing by the scriptures that Jesus was Christ.

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44_ACT_19_01 And it came to pass, that, while Apollos was at Corinth, Paul having passed through the upper coasts came to Ephesus: and finding certain disciples,

44_ACT_19_02 He said unto them, Have ye received the Holy Ghost since ye believed? And they said unto him, We have not so much as heard whether there be any Holy Ghost.

44_ACT_19_03 And he said unto them, Unto what then were ye baptized? And they said, Unto John's baptism.

44_ACT_19_04 Then said Paul, John verily baptized with the baptism of repentance, saying unto the people, that they should believe on him which should come after him, that is, on Christ Jesus.

44_ACT_19_05 When they heard [this], they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.

44_ACT_19_06 And when Paul had laid [his] hands upon them, the Holy Ghost came on them; and they spake with tongues, and prophesied.

44_ACT_19_07 And all the men were about twelve.

44_ACT_19_08 And he went into the synagogue, and spake boldly for the space of three months, disputing and persuading the things concerning the kingdom of God.

44_ACT_19_09 But when divers were hardened, and believed not, but spake evil of that way before the multitude, he departed from them, and separated the disciples, disputing daily in the school of one Tyrannus.

44_ACT_19_10 And this continued by the space of two years; so that all they which dwelt in Asia heard the word of the Lord Jesus, both Jews and Greeks.

44_ACT_19_11 And God wrought special miracles by the hands of Paul:

44_ACT_19_12 So that from his body were brought unto the sick handkerchiefs or aprons, and the diseases departed from them, and the evil spirits went out of them.

44_ACT_19_13 Then certain of the vagabond Jews, exorcists, took upon them to call over them which had evil spirits the name of the Lord Jesus, saying, We adjure you by Jesus whom Paul preacheth.

44_ACT_19_14 And there were seven sons of [one] Sceva, a Jew, [and] chief of the priests, which did so.

44_ACT_19_15 And the evil spirit answered and said, Jesus I know, and Paul I know; but who are ye?

44_ACT_19_16 And the man in whom the evil spirit was leaped on them, and overcame them, and prevailed against them, so that they fled out of that house naked and wounded.

44_ACT_19_17 And this was known to all the Jews and Greeks also dwelling at Ephesus; and fear fell on them all, and the name of the Lord Jesus was magnified.

44_ACT_19_18 And many that believed came, and confessed, and showed their deeds.

44_ACT_19_19 Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all [men]: and they counted the price of them, and found [it] fifty thousand [pieces] of silver.

44_ACT_19_20 So mightily grew the word of God and prevailed.

44_ACT_19_21 After these things were ended, Paul purposed in the spirit, when he had passed through Macedonia and Achaia, to go to Jerusalem, saying, After I have been there, I must also see Rome.

44_ACT_19_22 So he sent into Macedonia two of them that ministered unto him, Timotheus and Erastus; but he himself stayed in Asia for a season.

44_ACT_19_23 And the same time there arose no small stir about that way.

44_ACT_19_24 For a certain [man] named Demetrius, a silversmith, which made silver shrines for Diana, brought no small gain unto the craftsmen;

44_ACT_19_25 Whom he called together with the workmen of like occupation, and said, Sirs, ye know that by this craft we have our wealth.

44_ACT_19_26 Moreover ye see and hear, that not alone at Ephesus, but almost throughout all Asia, this Paul hath persuaded and turned away much people, saying that they be no gods, which are made with hands:

44_ACT_19_27 So that not only this our craft is in danger to be set at nought; but also that the temple of the great goddess Diana should be despised, and her magnificence should be destroyed, whom all Asia and the world worshippeth.

44_ACT_19_28 And when they heard [these sayings], they were full of wrath, and cried out, saying, Great [is] Diana of the Ephesians.

44_ACT_19_29 And the whole city was filled with confusion: and having caught Gaius and Aristarchus, men of Macedonia, Paul's companions in travel, they rushed with one accord into the theatre.

44_ACT_19_30 And when Paul would have entered in unto the people, the disciples suffered him not.

44_ACT_19_31 And certain of the chief of Asia, which were his friends, sent unto him, desiring [him] that he would not adventure himself into the theatre.

44_ACT_19_32 Some therefore cried one thing, and some another: for the assembly was confused; and the more part knew not wherefore they were come together.

44_ACT_19_33 And they drew Alexander out of the multitude, the Jews putting him forward. And Alexander beckoned with the hand, and would have made his defence unto the people.

44_ACT_19_34 But when they knew that he was a Jew, all with one voice about the space of two hours cried out, Great [is] Diana of the Ephesians.

44_ACT_19_35 And when the townclerk had appeased the people, he said, [Ye] men of Ephesus, what man is there that knoweth not how that the city of the Ephesians is a worshipper of the great goddess Diana, and of the [image] which fell down from Jupiter?

44_ACT_19_36 Seeing then that these things cannot be spoken against, ye ought to be quiet, and to do nothing rashly.

44_ACT_19_37 For ye have brought hither these men, which are neither robbers of churches, nor yet blasphemers of your goddess.

44_ACT_19_38 Wherefore if Demetrius, and the craftsmen which are with him, have a matter against any man, the law is open, and there are deputies: let them implead one another.

44_ACT_19_39 But if ye inquire any thing concerning other matters, it shall be determined in a lawful assembly.

44_ACT_19_40 For we are in danger to be called in question for this day's uproar, there being no cause whereby we may give an account of this concourse.

44_ACT_19_41 And when he had thus spoken, he dismissed the assembly.

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44_ACT_20_01 And after the uproar was ceased, Paul called unto [him] the disciples, and embraced [them], and departed for to go into Macedonia.

44_ACT_20_02 And when he had gone over those parts, and had given them much exhortation, he came into Greece,

44_ACT_20_03 And [there] abode three months. And when the Jews laid wait for him, as he was about to sail into Syria, he purposed to return through Macedonia.

44_ACT_20_04 And there accompanied him into Asia Sopater of Berea; and of the Thessalonians, Aristarchus and Secundus; and Gaius of Derbe, and Timotheus; and of Asia, Tychicus and Trophimus.

44_ACT_20_05 These going before tarried for us at Troas.

44_ACT_20_06 And we sailed away from Philippi after the days of unleavened bread, and came unto them to Troas in five days; where we abode seven days.

44_ACT_20_07 And upon the first [day] of the week, when the disciples came together to break bread, Paul preached unto them, ready to depart on the morrow; and continued his speech until midnight.

44_ACT_20_08 And there were many lights in the upper chamber, where they were gathered together.

44_ACT_20_09 And there sat in a window a certain young man named Eutychus, being fallen into a deep sleep: and as Paul was long preaching, he sunk down with sleep, and fell down from the third loft, and was taken up dead.

44_ACT_20_10 And Paul went down, and fell on him, and embracing [him] said, Trouble not yourselves; for his life is in him.

44_ACT_20_11 When he therefore was come up again, and had broken bread, and eaten, and talked a long while, even till break of day, so he departed.

44_ACT_20_12 And they brought the young man alive, and were not a little comforted.

44_ACT_20_13 And we went before to ship, and sailed unto Assos, there intending to take in Paul: for so had he appointed, minding himself to go afoot.

44_ACT_20_14 And when he met with us at Assos, we took him in, and came to Mitylene.

44_ACT_20_15 And we sailed thence, and came the next [day] over against Chios; and the next [day] we arrived at Samos, and tarried at Trogyllium; and the next [day] we came to Miletus.

44_ACT_20_16 For Paul had determined to sail by Ephesus, because he would not spend the time in Asia: for he hasted, if it were possible for him, to be at Jerusalem the day of Pentecost.

44_ACT_20_17 And from Miletus he sent to Ephesus, and called the elders of the church.

44_ACT_20_18 And when they were come to him, he said unto them, Ye know, from the first day that I came into Asia, after what manner I have been with you at all seasons,

44_ACT_20_19 Serving the Lord with all humility of mind, and with many tears, and temptations, which befell me by the lying in wait of the Jews:

44_ACT_20_20 [And] how I kept back nothing that was profitable [unto you], but have showed you, and have taught you publicly, and from house to house,

44_ACT_20_21 Testifying both to the Jews, and also to the Greeks, repentance toward God, and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ.

44_ACT_20_22 And now, behold, I go bound in the spirit unto Jerusalem, not knowing the things that shall befall me there:

44_ACT_20_23 Save that the Holy Ghost witnesseth in every city, saying that bonds and afflictions abide me.

44_ACT_20_24 But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God.

44_ACT_20_25 And now, behold, I know that ye all, among whom I have gone preaching the kingdom of God, shall see my face no more.

44_ACT_20_26 Wherefore I take you to record this day, that I [am] pure from the blood of all [men].

44_ACT_20_27 For I have not shunned to declare unto you all the counsel of God.

44_ACT_20_28 Take heed therefore unto yourselves, and to all the flock, over the which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers, to feed the church of God, which he hath purchased with his own blood.

44_ACT_20_29 For I know this, that after my departing shall grievous wolves enter in among you, not sparing the flock.

44_ACT_20_30 Also of your own selves shall men arise, speaking perverse things, to draw away disciples after them.

44_ACT_20_31 Therefore watch, and remember, that by the space of three years I ceased not to warn every one night and day with tears.

44_ACT_20_32 And now, brethren, I commend you to God, and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up, and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified.

44_ACT_20_33 I have coveted no man's silver, or gold, or apparel.

44_ACT_20_34 Yea, ye yourselves know, that these hands have ministered unto my necessities, and to them that were with me.

44_ACT_20_35 I have showed you all things, how that so labouring ye ought to support the weak, and to remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he said, It is more blessed to give than to receive.

44_ACT_20_36 And when he had thus spoken, he kneeled down, and prayed with them all.

44_ACT_20_37 And they all wept sore, and fell on Paul's neck, and kissed him,

44_ACT_20_38 Sorrowing most of all for the words which he spake, that they should see his face no more. And they accompanied him unto the ship.

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44_ACT_21_01 And it came to pass, that after we were gotten from them, and had launched, we came with a straight course unto Coos, and the [day] following unto Rhodes, and from thence unto Patara:

44_ACT_21_02 And finding a ship sailing over unto Phenicia, we went aboard, and set forth.

44_ACT_21_03 Now when we had discovered Cyprus, we left it on the left hand, and sailed into Syria, and landed at Tyre: for there the ship was to unlade her burden.

44_ACT_21_04 And finding disciples, we tarried there seven days: who said to Paul through the Spirit, that he should not go up to Jerusalem.

44_ACT_21_05 And when we had accomplished those days, we departed and went our way; and they all brought us on our way, with wives and children, till [we were] out of the city: and we kneeled down on the shore, and prayed.

44_ACT_21_06 And when we had taken our leave one of another, we took ship; and they returned home again.

44_ACT_21_07 And when we had finished [our] course from Tyre, we came to Ptolemais, and saluted the brethren, and abode with them one day.

44_ACT_21_08 And the next [day] we that were of Paul's company departed, and came unto Caesarea: and we entered into the house of Philip the evangelist, which was [one] of the seven; and abode with him.

44_ACT_21_09 And the same man had four daughters, virgins, which did prophesy.

44_ACT_21_10 And as we tarried [there] many days, there came down from Judaea a certain prophet, named Agabus.

44_ACT_21_11 And when he was come unto us, he took Paul's girdle, and bound his own hands and feet, and said, Thus saith the Holy Ghost, So shall the Jews at Jerusalem bind the man that owneth this girdle, and shall deliver [him] into the hands of the Gentiles.

44_ACT_21_12 And when we heard these things, both we, and they of that place, besought him not to go up to Jerusalem.

44_ACT_21_13 Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.

44_ACT_21_14 And when he would not be persuaded, we ceased, saying, The will of the Lord be done.

44_ACT_21_15 And after those days we took up our carriages, and went up to Jerusalem.

44_ACT_21_16 There went with us also [certain] of the disciples of Caesarea, and brought with them one Mnason of Cyprus, an old disciple, with whom we should lodge.

44_ACT_21_17 And when we were come to Jerusalem, the brethren received us gladly.

44_ACT_21_18 And the [day] following Paul went in with us unto James; and all the elders were present.

44_ACT_21_19 And when he had saluted them, he declared particularly what things God had wrought among the Gentiles by his ministry.

44_ACT_21_20 And when they heard [it], they glorified the Lord, and said unto him, Thou seest, brother, how many thousands of Jews there are which believe; and they are all zealous of the law:

44_ACT_21_21 And they are informed of thee, that thou teachest all the Jews which are among the Gentiles to forsake Moses, saying that they ought not to circumcise [their] children, neither to walk after the customs.

44_ACT_21_22 What is it therefore? the multitude must needs come together: for they will hear that thou art come.

44_ACT_21_23 Do therefore this that we say to thee: We have four men which have a vow on them;

44_ACT_21_24 Them take, and purify thyself with them, and be at charges with them, that they may shave [their] heads: and all may know that those things, whereof they were informed concerning thee, are nothing; but [that] thou thyself also walkest orderly, and keepest the law.

44_ACT_21_25 As touching the Gentiles which believe, we have written [and] concluded that they observe no such thing, save only that they keep themselves from [things] offered to idols, and from blood, and from strangled, and from fornication.

44_ACT_21_26 Then Paul took the men, and the next day purifying himself with them entered into the temple, to signify the accomplishment of the days of purification, until that an offering should be offered for every one of them.

44_ACT_21_27 And when the seven days were almost ended, the Jews which were of Asia, when they saw him in the temple, stirred up all the people, and laid hands on him,

44_ACT_21_28 Crying out, Men of Israel, help: This is the man, that teacheth all [men] every where against the people, and the law, and this place: and further brought Greeks also into the temple, and hath polluted this holy place.

44_ACT_21_29 [For they had seen before with him in the city Trophimus an Ephesian, whom they supposed that Paul had brought into the temple.]

44_ACT_21_30 And all the city was moved, and the people ran together: and they took Paul, and drew him out of the temple: and forthwith the doors were shut.

44_ACT_21_31 And as they went about to kill him, tidings came unto the chief captain of the band, that all Jerusalem was in an uproar.

44_ACT_21_32 Who immediately took soldiers and centurions, and ran down unto them: and when they saw the chief captain and the soldiers, they left beating of Paul.

44_ACT_21_33 Then the chief captain came near, and took him, and commanded [him] to be bound with two chains; and demanded who he was, and what he had done.

44_ACT_21_34 And some cried one thing, some another, among the multitude: and when he could not know the certainty for the tumult, he commanded him to be carried into the castle.

44_ACT_21_35 And when he came upon the stairs, so it was, that he was borne of the soldiers for the violence of the people.

44_ACT_21_36 For the multitude of the people followed after, crying, Away with him.

44_ACT_21_37 And as Paul was to be led into the castle, he said unto the chief captain, May I speak unto thee? Who said, Canst thou speak Greek?

44_ACT_21_38 Art not thou that Egyptian, which before these days madest an uproar, and leddest out into the wilderness four thousand men that were murderers?

44_ACT_21_39 But Paul said, I am a man [which am] a Jew of Tarsus, [a city] in Cilicia, a citizen of no mean city: and, I beseech thee, suffer me to speak unto the people.

44_ACT_21_40 And when he had given him licence, Paul stood on the stairs, and beckoned with the hand unto the people. And when there was made a great silence, he spake unto [them] in the Hebrew tongue, saying,

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44_ACT_22_01 Men, brethren, and fathers, hear ye my defence [which I make] now unto you.

44_ACT_22_02 [And when they heard that he spake in the Hebrew tongue to them, they kept the more silence: and he saith,]

44_ACT_22_03 I am verily a man [which am] a Jew, born in Tarsus, [a city] in Cilicia, yet brought up in this city at the feet of Gamaliel, [and] taught according to the perfect manner of the law of the fathers, and was zealous toward God, as ye all are this day.

44_ACT_22_04 And I persecuted this way unto the death, binding and delivering into prisons both men and women.

44_ACT_22_05 As also the high priest doth bear me witness, and all the estate of the elders: from whom also I received letters unto the brethren, and went to Damascus, to bring them which were there bound unto Jerusalem, for to be punished.

44_ACT_22_06 And it came to pass, that, as I made my journey, and was come nigh unto Damascus about noon, suddenly there shone from heaven a great light round about me.

44_ACT_22_07 And I fell unto the ground, and heard a voice saying unto me, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me?

44_ACT_22_08 And I answered, Who art thou, Lord? And he said unto me, I am Jesus of Nazareth, whom thou persecutest.

44_ACT_22_09 And they that were with me saw indeed the light, and were afraid; but they heard not the voice of him that spake to me.

44_ACT_22_10 And I said, What shall I do, Lord? And the Lord said unto me, Arise, and go into Damascus; and there it shall be told thee of all things which are appointed for thee to do.

44_ACT_22_11 And when I could not see for the glory of that light, being led by the hand of them that were with me, I came into Damascus.

44_ACT_22_12 And one Ananias, a devout man according to the law, having a good report of all the Jews which dwelt [there],

44_ACT_22_13 Came unto me, and stood, and said unto me, Brother Saul, receive thy sight. And the same hour I looked up upon him.

44_ACT_22_14 And he said, The God of our fathers hath chosen thee, that thou shouldest know his will, and see that Just One, and shouldest hear the voice of his mouth.

44_ACT_22_15 For thou shalt be his witness unto all men of what thou hast seen and heard.

44_ACT_22_16 And now why tarriest thou? arise, and be baptized, and wash away thy sins, calling on the name of the Lord.

44_ACT_22_17 And it came to pass, that, when I was come again to Jerusalem, even while I prayed in the temple, I was in a trance;

44_ACT_22_18 And saw him saying unto me, Make haste, and get thee quickly out of Jerusalem: for they will not receive thy testimony concerning me.

44_ACT_22_19 And I said, Lord, they know that I imprisoned and beat in every synagogue them that believed on thee:

44_ACT_22_20 And when the blood of thy martyr Stephen was shed, I also was standing by, and consenting unto his death, and kept the raiment of them that slew him.

44_ACT_22_21 And he said unto me, Depart: for I will send thee far hence unto the Gentiles.

44_ACT_22_22 And they gave him audience unto this word, and [then] lifted up their voices, and said, Away with such a [fellow] from the earth: for it is not fit that he should live.

44_ACT_22_23 And as they cried out, and cast off [their] clothes, and threw dust into the air,

44_ACT_22_24 The chief captain commanded him to be brought into the castle, and bade that he should be examined by scourging; that he might know wherefore they cried so against him.

44_ACT_22_25 And as they bound him with thongs, Paul said unto the centurion that stood by, Is it lawful for you to scourge a man that is a Roman, and uncondemned?

44_ACT_22_26 When the centurion heard [that], he went and told the chief captain, saying, Take heed what thou doest: for this man is a Roman.

44_ACT_22_27 Then the chief captain came, and said unto him, Tell me, art thou a Roman? He said, Yea.

44_ACT_22_28 And the chief captain answered, With a great sum obtained I this freedom. And Paul said, But I was [free] born.

44_ACT_22_29 Then straightway they departed from him which should have examined him: and the chief captain also was afraid, after he knew that he was a Roman, and because he had bound him.

44_ACT_22_30 On the morrow, because he would have known the certainty wherefore he was accused of the Jews, he loosed him from [his] bands, and commanded the chief priests and all their council to appear, and brought Paul down, and set him before them.

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44_ACT_23_01 And Paul, earnestly beholding the council, said, Men [and] brethren, I have lived in all good conscience before God until this day.

44_ACT_23_02 And the high priest Ananias commanded them that stood by him to smite him on the mouth.

44_ACT_23_03 Then said Paul unto him, God shall smite thee, [thou] whited wall: for sittest thou to judge me after the law, and commandest me to be smitten contrary to the law?

44_ACT_23_04 And they that stood by said, Revilest thou God's high priest?

44_ACT_23_05 Then said Paul, I wist not, brethren, that he was the high priest: for it is written, Thou shalt not speak evil of the ruler of thy people.

44_ACT_23_06 But when Paul perceived that the one part were Sadducees, and the other Pharisees, he cried out in the council, Men [and] brethren, I am a Pharisee, the son of a Pharisee: of the hope and resurrection of the dead I am called in question.

44_ACT_23_07 And when he had so said, there arose a dissension between the Pharisees and the Sadducees: and the multitude was divided.

44_ACT_23_08 For the Sadducees say that there is no resurrection, neither angel, nor spirit: but the Pharisees confess both.

44_ACT_23_09 And there arose a great cry: and the scribes [that were] of the Pharisees' part arose, and strove, saying, We find no evil in this man: but if a spirit or an angel hath spoken to him, let us not fight against God.

44_ACT_23_10 And when there arose a great dissension, the chief captain, fearing lest Paul should have been pulled in pieces of them, commanded the soldiers to go down, and to take him by force from among them, and to bring [him] into the castle.

44_ACT_23_11 And the night following the Lord stood by him, and said, Be of good cheer, Paul: for as thou hast testified of me in Jerusalem, so must thou bear witness also at Rome.

44_ACT_23_12 And when it was day, certain of the Jews banded together, and bound themselves under a curse, saying that they would neither eat nor drink till they had killed Paul.

44_ACT_23_13 And they were more than forty which had made this conspiracy.

44_ACT_23_14 And they came to the chief priests and elders, and said, We have bound ourselves under a great curse, that we will eat nothing until we have slain Paul.

44_ACT_23_15 Now therefore ye with the council signify to the chief captain that he bring him down unto you to morrow, as though ye would inquire something more perfectly concerning him: and we, or ever he come near, are ready to kill him.

44_ACT_23_16 And when Paul's sister's son heard of their lying in wait, he went and entered into the castle, and told Paul.

44_ACT_23_17 Then Paul called one of the centurions unto [him], and said, Bring this young man unto the chief captain: for he hath a certain thing to tell him.

44_ACT_23_18 So he took him, and brought [him] to the chief captain, and said, Paul the prisoner called me unto [him], and prayed me to bring this young man unto thee, who hath something to say unto thee.

44_ACT_23_19 Then the chief captain took him by the hand, and went [with him] aside privately, and asked [him], What is that thou hast to tell me?

44_ACT_23_20 And he said, The Jews have agreed to desire thee that thou wouldest bring down Paul to morrow into the council, as though they would inquire somewhat of him more perfectly.

44_ACT_23_21 But do not thou yield unto them: for there lie in wait for him of them more than forty men, which have bound themselves with an oath, that they will neither eat nor drink till they have killed him: and now are they ready, looking for a promise from thee.

44_ACT_23_22 So the chief captain [then] let the young man depart, and charged [him, See thou] tell no man that thou hast showed these things to me.

44_ACT_23_23 And he called unto [him] two centurions, saying, Make ready two hundred soldiers to go to Caesarea, and horsemen threescore and ten, and spearmen two hundred, at the third hour of the night;

44_ACT_23_24 And provide [them] beasts, that they may set Paul on, and bring [him] safe unto Felix the governor.

44_ACT_23_25 And he wrote a letter after this manner:

44_ACT_23_26 Claudius Lysias unto the most excellent governor Felix [sendeth] greeting.

44_ACT_23_27 This man was taken of the Jews, and should have been killed of them: then came I with an army, and rescued him, having understood that he was a Roman.

44_ACT_23_28 And when I would have known the cause wherefore they accused him, I brought him forth into their council:

44_ACT_23_29 Whom I perceived to be accused of questions of their law, but to have nothing laid to his charge worthy of death or of bonds.

44_ACT_23_30 And when it was told me how that the Jews laid wait for the man, I sent straightway to thee, and gave commandment to his accusers also to say before thee what [they had] against him. Farewell.

44_ACT_23_31 Then the soldiers, as it was commanded them, took Paul, and brought [him] by night to Antipatris.

44_ACT_23_32 On the morrow they left the horsemen to go with him, and returned to the castle:

44_ACT_23_33 Who, when they came to Caesarea, and delivered the epistle to the governor, presented Paul also before him.

44_ACT_23_34 And when the governor had read [the letter], he asked of what province he was. And when he understood that [he was] of Cilicia;

44_ACT_23_35 I will hear thee, said he, when thine accusers are also come. And he commanded him to be kept in Herod's judgment hall.

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44_ACT_24_01 And after five days Ananias the high priest descended with the elders, and [with] a certain orator [named] Tertullus, who informed the governor against Paul.

44_ACT_24_02 And when he was called forth, Tertullus began to accuse [him], saying, Seeing that by thee we enjoy great quietness, and that very worthy deeds are done unto this nation by thy providence,

44_ACT_24_03 We accept [it] always, and in all places, most noble Felix, with all thankfulness.

44_ACT_24_04 Notwithstanding, that I be not further tedious unto thee, I pray thee that thou wouldest hear us of thy clemency a few words.

44_ACT_24_05 For we have found this man [a] pestilent [fellow], and a mover of sedition among all the Jews throughout the world, and a ringleader of the sect of the Nazarenes:

44_ACT_24_06 Who also hath gone about to profane the temple: whom we took, and would have judged according to our law.

44_ACT_24_07 But the chief captain Lysias came [upon us], and with great violence took [him] away out of our hands,

44_ACT_24_08 Commanding his accusers to come unto thee: by examining of whom thyself mayest take knowledge of all these things, whereof we accuse him.

44_ACT_24_09 And the Jews also assented, saying that these things were so.

44_ACT_24_10 Then Paul, after that the governor had beckoned unto him to speak, answered, Forasmuch as I know that thou hast been of many years a judge unto this nation, I do the more cheerfully answer for myself:

44_ACT_24_11 Because that thou mayest understand, that there are yet but twelve days since I went up to Jerusalem for to worship.

44_ACT_24_12 And they neither found me in the temple disputing with any man, neither raising up the people, neither in the synagogues, nor in the city:

44_ACT_24_13 Neither can they prove the things whereof they now accuse me.

44_ACT_24_14 But this I confess unto thee, that after the way which they call heresy, so worship I the God of my fathers, believing all things which are written in the law and in the prophets:

44_ACT_24_15 And have hope toward God, which they themselves also allow, that there shall be a resurrection of the dead, both of the just and unjust.

44_ACT_24_16 And herein do I exercise myself, to have always a conscience void of offence toward God, and [toward] men.

44_ACT_24_17 Now after many years I came to bring alms to my nation, and offerings.

44_ACT_24_18 Whereupon certain Jews from Asia found me purified in the temple, neither with multitude, nor with tumult.

44_ACT_24_19 Who ought to have been here before thee, and object, if they had ought against me.

44_ACT_24_20 Or else let these same [here] say, if they have found any evil doing in me, while I stood before the council,

44_ACT_24_21 Except it be for this one voice, that I cried standing among them, Touching the resurrection of the dead I am called in question by you this day.

44_ACT_24_22 And when Felix heard these things, having more perfect knowledge of [that] way, he deferred them, and said, When Lysias the chief captain shall come down, I will know the uttermost of your matter.

44_ACT_24_23 And he commanded a centurion to keep Paul, and to let [him] have liberty, and that he should forbid none of his acquaintance to minister or come unto him.

44_ACT_24_24 And after certain days, when Felix came with his wife Drusilla, which was a Jewess, he sent for Paul, and heard him concerning the faith in Christ.

44_ACT_24_25 And as he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled, and answered, Go thy way for this time; when I have a convenient season, I will call for thee.

44_ACT_24_26 He hoped also that money should have been given him of Paul, that he might loose him: wherefore he sent for him the oftener, and communed with him.

44_ACT_24_27 But after two years Porcius Festus came into Felix' room: and Felix, willing to show the Jews a pleasure, left Paul bound.

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44_ACT_25_01 Now when Festus was come into the province, after three days he ascended from Caesarea to Jerusalem.

44_ACT_25_02 Then the high priest and the chief of the Jews informed him against Paul, and besought him,

44_ACT_25_03 And desired favour against him, that he would send for him to Jerusalem, laying wait in the way to kill him.

44_ACT_25_04 But Festus answered, that Paul should be kept at Caesarea, and that he himself would depart shortly [thither].

44_ACT_25_05 Let them therefore, said he, which among you are able, go down with [me], and accuse this man, if there be any wickedness in him.

44_ACT_25_06 And when he had tarried among them more than ten days, he went down unto Caesarea; and the next day sitting on the judgment seat commanded Paul to be brought.

44_ACT_25_07 And when he was come, the Jews which came down from Jerusalem stood round about, and laid many and grievous complaints against Paul, which they could not prove.

44_ACT_25_08 While he answered for himself, Neither against the law of the Jews, neither against the temple, nor yet against Caesar, have I offended any thing at all.

44_ACT_25_09 But Festus, willing to do the Jews a pleasure, answered Paul, and said, Wilt thou go up to Jerusalem, and there be judged of these things before me?

44_ACT_25_10 Then said Paul, I stand at Caesar's judgment seat, where I ought to be judged: to the Jews have I done no wrong, as thou very well knowest.

44_ACT_25_11 For if I be an offender, or have committed any thing worthy of death, I refuse not to die: but if there be none of these things whereof these accuse me, no man may deliver me unto them. I appeal unto Caesar.

44_ACT_25_12 Then Festus, when he had conferred with the council, answered, Hast thou appealed unto Caesar? unto Caesar shalt thou go.

44_ACT_25_13 And after certain days king Agrippa and Bernice came unto Caesarea to salute Festus.

44_ACT_25_14 And when they had been there many days, Festus declared Paul's cause unto the king, saying, There is a certain man left in bonds by Felix:

44_ACT_25_15 About whom, when I was at Jerusalem, the chief priests and the elders of the Jews informed [me], desiring [to have] judgment against him.

44_ACT_25_16 To whom I answered, It is not the manner of the Romans to deliver any man to die, before that he which is accused have the accusers face to face, and have licence to answer for himself concerning the crime laid against him.

44_ACT_25_17 Therefore, when they were come hither, without any delay on the morrow I sat on the judgment seat, and commanded the man to be brought forth.

44_ACT_25_18 Against whom when the accusers stood up, they brought none accusation of such things as I supposed:

44_ACT_25_19 But had certain questions against him of their own superstition, and of one Jesus, which was dead, whom Paul affirmed to be alive.

44_ACT_25_20 And because I doubted of such manner of questions, I asked [him] whether he would go to Jerusalem, and there be judged of these matters.

44_ACT_25_21 But when Paul had appealed to be reserved unto the hearing of Augustus, I commanded him to be kept till I might send him to Caesar.

44_ACT_25_22 Then Agrippa said unto Festus, I would also hear the man myself. To morrow, said he, thou shalt hear him.

44_ACT_25_23 And on the morrow, when Agrippa was come, and Bernice, with great pomp, and was entered into the place of hearing, with the chief captains, and principal men of the city, at Festus' commandment Paul was brought forth.

44_ACT_25_24 And Festus said, King Agrippa, and all men which are here present with us, ye see this man, about whom all the multitude of the Jews have dealt with me, both at Jerusalem, and [also] here, crying that he ought not to live any longer.

44_ACT_25_25 But when I found that he had committed nothing worthy of death, and that he himself hath appealed to Augustus, I have determined to send him.

44_ACT_25_26 Of whom I have no certain thing to write unto my lord. Wherefore I have brought him forth before you, and specially before thee, O king Agrippa, that, after examination had, I might have somewhat to write.

44_ACT_25_27 For it seemeth to me unreasonable to send a prisoner, and not withal to signify the crimes [laid] against him.

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44_ACT_26_01 Then Agrippa said unto Paul, Thou art permitted to speak for thyself. Then Paul stretched forth the hand, and answered for himself:

44_ACT_26_02 I think myself happy, king Agrippa, because I shall answer for myself this day before thee touching all the things whereof I am accused of the Jews:

44_ACT_26_03 Especially [because I know] thee to be expert in all customs and questions which are among the Jews: wherefore I beseech thee to hear me patiently.

44_ACT_26_04 My manner of life from my youth, which was at the first among mine own nation at Jerusalem, know all the Jews;

44_ACT_26_05 Which knew me from the beginning, if they would testify, that after the most straitest sect of our religion I lived a Pharisee.

44_ACT_26_06 And now I stand and am judged for the hope of the promise made of God unto our fathers:

44_ACT_26_07 Unto which [promise] our twelve tribes, instantly serving [God] day and night, hope to come. For which hope's sake, king Agrippa, I am accused of the Jews.

44_ACT_26_08 Why should it be thought a thing incredible with you, that God should raise the dead?

44_ACT_26_09 I verily thought with myself, that I ought to do many things contrary to the name of Jesus of Nazareth.

44_ACT_26_10 Which thing I also did in Jerusalem: and many of the saints did I shut up in prison, having received authority from the chief priests; and when they were put to death, I gave my voice against [them].

44_ACT_26_11 And I punished them oft in every synagogue, and compelled [them] to blaspheme; and being exceedingly mad against them, I persecuted [them] even unto strange cities.

44_ACT_26_12 Whereupon as I went to Damascus with authority and commission from the chief priests,

44_ACT_26_13 At midday, O king, I saw in the way a light from heaven, above the brightness of the sun, shining round about me and them which journeyed with me.

44_ACT_26_14 And when we were all fallen to the earth, I heard a voice speaking unto me, and saying in the Hebrew tongue, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me? [it is] hard for thee to kick against the pricks.

44_ACT_26_15 And I said, Who art thou, Lord? And he said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest.

44_ACT_26_16 But rise, and stand upon thy feet: for I have appeared unto thee for this purpose, to make thee a minister and a witness both of these things which thou hast seen, and of those things in the which I will appear unto thee;

44_ACT_26_17 Delivering thee from the people, and [from] the Gentiles, unto whom now I send thee,

44_ACT_26_18 To open their eyes, [and] to turn [them] from darkness to light, and [from] the power of Satan unto God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins, and inheritance among them which are sanctified by faith that is in me.

44_ACT_26_19 Whereupon, O king Agrippa, I was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision:

44_ACT_26_20 But showed first unto them of Damascus, and at Jerusalem, and throughout all the coasts of Judaea, and [then] to the Gentiles, that they should repent and turn to God, and do works meet for repentance.

44_ACT_26_21 For these causes the Jews caught me in the temple, and went about to kill [me].

44_ACT_26_22 Having therefore obtained help of God, I continue unto this day, witnessing both to small and great, saying none other things than those which the prophets and Moses did say should come:

44_ACT_26_23 That Christ should suffer, [and] that he should be the first that should rise from the dead, and should show light unto the people, and to the Gentiles.

44_ACT_26_24 And as he thus spake for himself, Festus said with a loud voice, Paul, thou art beside thyself; much learning doth make thee mad.

44_ACT_26_25 But he said, I am not mad, most noble Festus; but speak forth the words of truth and soberness.

44_ACT_26_26 For the king knoweth of these things, before whom also I speak freely: for I am persuaded that none of these things are hidden from him; for this thing was not done in a corner.

44_ACT_26_27 King Agrippa, believest thou the prophets? I know that thou believest.

44_ACT_26_28 Then Agrippa said unto Paul, Almost thou persuadest me to be a Christian.

44_ACT_26_29 And Paul said, I would to God, that not only thou, but also all that hear me this day, were both almost, and altogether such as I am, except these bonds.

44_ACT_26_30 And when he had thus spoken, the king rose up, and the governor, and Bernice, and they that sat with them:

44_ACT_26_31 And when they were gone aside, they talked between themselves, saying, This man doeth nothing worthy of death or of bonds.

44_ACT_26_32 Then said Agrippa unto Festus, This man might have been set at liberty, if he had not appealed unto Caesar.

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44_ACT_27_01 And when it was determined that we should sail into Italy, they delivered Paul and certain other prisoners unto [one] named Julius, a centurion of Augustus' band.

44_ACT_27_02 And entering into a ship of Adramyttium, we launched, meaning to sail by the coasts of Asia; [one] Aristarchus, a Macedonian of Thessalonica, being with us.

44_ACT_27_03 And the next [day] we touched at Sidon. And Julius courteously entreated Paul, and gave [him] liberty to go unto his friends to refresh himself.

44_ACT_27_04 And when we had launched from thence, we sailed under Cyprus, because the winds were contrary.

44_ACT_27_05 And when we had sailed over the sea of Cilicia and Pamphylia, we came to Myra, [a city] of Lycia.

44_ACT_27_06 And there the centurion found a ship of Alexandria sailing into Italy; and he put us therein.

44_ACT_27_07 And when we had sailed slowly many days, and scarce were come over against Cnidus, the wind not suffering us, we sailed under Crete, over against Salmone;

44_ACT_27_08 And, hardly passing it, came unto a place which is called The fair havens; nigh whereunto was the city [of] Lasea.

44_ACT_27_09 Now when much time was spent, and when sailing was now dangerous, because the fast was now already past, Paul admonished [them],

44_ACT_27_10 And said unto them, Sirs, I perceive that this voyage will be with hurt and much damage, not only of the lading and ship, but also of our lives.

44_ACT_27_11 Nevertheless the centurion believed the master and the owner of the ship, more than those things which were spoken by Paul.

44_ACT_27_12 And because the haven was not commodious to winter in, the more part advised to depart thence also, if by any means they might attain to Phenice, [and there] to winter; [which is] an haven of Crete, and lieth toward the south west and north west.

44_ACT_27_13 And when the south wind blew softly, supposing that they had obtained [their] purpose, loosing [thence], they sailed close by Crete.

44_ACT_27_14 But not long after there arose against it a tempestuous wind, called Euroclydon.

44_ACT_27_15 And when the ship was caught, and could not bear up into the wind, we let [her] drive.

44_ACT_27_16 And running under a certain island which is called Clauda, we had much work to come by the boat:

44_ACT_27_17 Which when they had taken up, they used helps, undergirding the ship; and, fearing lest they should fall into the quicksands, struck sail, and so were driven.

44_ACT_27_18 And we being exceedingly tossed with a tempest, the next [day] they lightened the ship;

44_ACT_27_19 And the third [day] we cast out with our own hands the tackling of the ship.

44_ACT_27_20 And when neither sun nor stars in many days appeared, and no small tempest lay on [us], all hope that we should be saved was then taken away.

44_ACT_27_21 But after long abstinence Paul stood forth in the midst of them, and said, Sirs, ye should have hearkened unto me, and not have loosed from Crete, and to have gained this harm and loss.

44_ACT_27_22 And now I exhort you to be of good cheer: for there shall be no loss of [any man's] life among you, but of the ship.

44_ACT_27_23 For there stood by me this night the angel of God, whose I am, and whom I serve,

44_ACT_27_24 Saying, Fear not, Paul; thou must be brought before Caesar: and, lo, God hath given thee all them that sail with thee.

44_ACT_27_25 Wherefore, sirs, be of good cheer: for I believe God, that it shall be even as it was told me.

44_ACT_27_26 Howbeit we must be cast upon a certain island.

44_ACT_27_27 But when the fourteenth night was come, as we were driven up and down in Adria, about midnight the shipmen deemed that they drew near to some country;

44_ACT_27_28 And sounded, and found [it] twenty fathoms: and when they had gone a little further, they sounded again, and found [it] fifteen fathoms.

44_ACT_27_29 Then fearing lest we should have fallen upon rocks, they cast four anchors out of the stern, and wished for the day.

44_ACT_27_30 And as the shipmen were about to flee out of the ship, when they had let down the boat into the sea, under colour as though they would have cast anchors out of the foreship,

44_ACT_27_31 Paul said to the centurion and to the soldiers, Except these abide in the ship, ye cannot be saved.

44_ACT_27_32 Then the soldiers cut off the ropes of the boat, and let her fall off.

44_ACT_27_33 And while the day was coming on, Paul besought [them] all to take meat, saying, This day is the fourteenth day that ye have tarried and continued fasting, having taken nothing.

44_ACT_27_34 Wherefore I pray you to take [some] meat: for this is for your health: for there shall not an hair fall from the head of any of you.

44_ACT_27_35 And when he had thus spoken, he took bread, and gave thanks to God in presence of them all: and when he had broken [it], he began to eat.

44_ACT_27_36 Then were they all of good cheer, and they also took [some] meat.

44_ACT_27_37 And we were in all in the ship two hundred threescore and sixteen souls.

44_ACT_27_38 And when they had eaten enough, they lightened the ship, and cast out the wheat into the sea.

44_ACT_27_39 And when it was day, they knew not the land: but they discovered a certain creek with a shore, into the which they were minded, if it were possible, to thrust in the ship.

44_ACT_27_40 And when they had taken up the anchors, they committed [themselves] unto the sea, and loosed the rudder bands, and hoisted up the mainsail to the wind, and made toward shore.

44_ACT_27_41 And falling into a place where two seas met, they ran the ship aground; and the forepart stuck fast, and remained unmoveable, but the hinder part was broken with the violence of the waves.

44_ACT_27_42 And the soldiers' counsel was to kill the prisoners, lest any of them should swim out, and escape.

44_ACT_27_43 But the centurion, willing to save Paul, kept them from [their] purpose; and commanded that they which could swim should cast [themselves] first [into the sea], and get to land:

44_ACT_27_44 And the rest, some on boards, and some on [broken pieces] of the ship. And so it came to pass, that they escaped all safe to land.

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44_ACT_28_01 And when they were escaped, then they knew that the island was called Melita.

44_ACT_28_02 And the barbarous people showed us no little kindness: for they kindled a fire, and received us every one, because of the present rain, and because of the cold.

44_ACT_28_03 And when Paul had gathered a bundle of sticks, and laid [them] on the fire, there came a viper out of the heat, and fastened on his hand.

44_ACT_28_04 And when the barbarians saw the [venomous] beast hang on his hand, they said among themselves, No doubt this man is a murderer, whom, though he hath escaped the sea, yet vengeance suffereth not to live.

44_ACT_28_05 And he shook off the beast into the fire, and felt no harm.

44_ACT_28_06 Howbeit they looked when he should have swollen, or fallen down dead suddenly: but after they had looked a great while, and saw no harm come to him, they changed their minds, and said that he was a god.

44_ACT_28_07 In the same quarters were possessions of the chief man of the island, whose name was Publius; who received us, and lodged us three days courteously.

44_ACT_28_08 And it came to pass, that the father of Publius lay sick of a fever and of a bloody flux: to whom Paul entered in, and prayed, and laid his hands on him, and healed him.

44_ACT_28_09 So when this was done, others also, which had diseases in the island, came, and were healed:

44_ACT_28_10 Who also honoured us with many honours; and when we departed, they laded [us] with such things as were necessary.

44_ACT_28_11 And after three months we departed in a ship of Alexandria, which had wintered in the isle, whose sign was Castor and Pollux.

44_ACT_28_12 And landing at Syracuse, we tarried [there] three days.

44_ACT_28_13 And from thence we fetched a compass, and came to Rhegium: and after one day the south wind blew, and we came the next day to Puteoli:

44_ACT_28_14 Where we found brethren, and were desired to tarry with them seven days: and so we went toward Rome.

44_ACT_28_15 And from thence, when the brethren heard of us, they came to meet us as far as Appii forum, and The three taverns: whom when Paul saw, he thanked God, and took courage.

44_ACT_28_16 And when we came to Rome, the centurion delivered the prisoners to the captain of the guard: but Paul was suffered to dwell by himself with a soldier that kept him.

44_ACT_28_17 And it came to pass, that after three days Paul called the chief of the Jews together: and when they were come together, he said unto them, Men [and] brethren, though I have committed nothing against the people, or customs of our fathers, yet was I delivered prisoner from Jerusalem into the hands of the Romans.

44_ACT_28_18 Who, when they had examined me, would have let [me] go, because there was no cause of death in me.

44_ACT_28_19 But when the Jews spake against [it], I was constrained to appeal unto Caesar; not that I had ought to accuse my nation of.

44_ACT_28_20 For this cause therefore have I called for you, to see [you], and to speak with [you]: because that for the hope of Israel I am bound with this chain.

44_ACT_28_21 And they said unto him, We neither received letters out of Judaea concerning thee, neither any of the brethren that came showed or spake any harm of thee.

44_ACT_28_22 But we desire to hear of thee what thou thinkest: for as concerning this sect, we know that every where it is spoken against.

44_ACT_28_23 And when they had appointed him a day, there came many to him into [his] lodging; to whom he expounded and testified the kingdom of God, persuading them concerning Jesus, both out of the law of Moses, and [out of] the prophets, from morning till evening.

44_ACT_28_24 And some believed the things which were spoken, and some believed not.

44_ACT_28_25 And when they agreed not among themselves, they departed, after that Paul had spoken one word, Well spake the Holy Ghost by Esaias the prophet unto our fathers,

44_ACT_28_26 Saying, Go unto this people, and say, Hearing ye shall hear, and shall not understand; and seeing ye shall see, and not perceive:

44_ACT_28_27 For the heart of this people is waxed gross, and their ears are dull of hearing, and their eyes have they closed; lest they should see with [their] eyes, and hear with [their] ears, and understand with [their] heart, and should be converted, and I should heal them.

44_ACT_28_28 Be it known therefore unto you, that the salvation of God is sent unto the Gentiles, and [that] they will hear it.

44_ACT_28_29 And when he had said these words, the Jews departed, and had great reasoning among themselves.

44_ACT_28_30 And Paul dwelt two whole years in his own hired house, and received all that came in unto him,

44_ACT_28_31 Preaching the kingdom of God, and teaching those things which concern the Lord Jesus Christ, with all confidence, no man forbidding him.