

QUESTIONS

All questions are based on the New King James Version of the Bible

DAY ONE: Read all notes and references.

1. What specifically from the notes or lecture makes you want to study Acts?
2. ? (Thought Question) In what ways is the 21st century like the first?

DAY TWO: Read Acts 1:1-3 and Luke 1:1-4

READING: 1 Corinthians 15:3-8; Matthew 25:31-34; Mark 1:14-15; Luke 12:29-32; Luke 18:16-17; John 3:3; Acts 14:22; Romans 14:17; 1 Corinthians 6:9-11; Colossians 1:13
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3. a. What was *the former account* made by the writer of Acts?

b. To whom are both narratives addressed?

c. What was the subject of the former account?
4. a. What had Jesus done for His apostles after His resurrection and before His ascension into heaven?

b. From 1 Corinthians 15:3-8, list those to whom Jesus appeared.

c. What had Jesus spoken to His apostles about when He appeared to them?

d. What do the following verses teach about the kingdom of God?

Matthew 25:31-34

Mark 1:14-15

Luke 12:29-32

Luke 18:16-17

John 3:3

Acts 14:22

Romans 14:17

1 Corinthians 6:9-11

Colossians 1:13

e. ? (Thought Question) Explain how the kingdom of God can be both a present reality and a future hope.

f. According to the scriptures listed above, how can you experience the kingdom of God?

DAY THREE: Read Acts 1:4-8

READING: Romans 5:3-5; Galatians 4:4-6; Titus 3:4-6 [[Open NKJV](#)] [[Open NIV](#)]

5. a. What was Jesus' command to His apostles?

b. From the references in your Bible, find where Jesus had spoken to His apostle about the promise of the Father. What had He said? Give the verses.

6. What was the difference between John's baptism and the baptism Jesus promised?

7. a. What question did the apostles ask Jesus?

b. ? (Thought Question) Why do you think they asked this question?

8. a. What was Jesus answer?

b. What promise did He make and what would the apostles do as a result?

c. Do you think the promise Jesus made to the apostles is also for believers today? (See Romans 5:3-5; Galatians 4:4-6 and Titus 3:4-6 to help with your answer.)

d. Can you share an example of how the Holy Spirit has empowered you to be a witness for Christ?

DAY FOUR: Read Acts 1:9-11; Mark 16:19-20 and Luke 24:50-53

READING: Luke 24:4; John 20:12; Zechariah 14:4; Mark 13:24-27; Luke 21:25-27; Revelation 1:7 [[Open NKJV](#)] [[Open NIV](#)]

9. a. What did Jesus do when He had finished teaching His apostles?
- b. What do the Mark and Luke passages add about Jesus' ascension that are not in the Acts account?
10. a. Who appeared to the apostles as they were looking up to heaven?
- b. Who do you think these two men were? See Luke 24:4 and John 20:12 to help with your answer.
11. a. What did the two men say to the apostles?
- b. From the verses in Acts, what do you learn about Jesus' return?
- c. What more do you learn from:

Zechariah 14:4

Mark 13:24-27

Luke 21:25-27

Revelation 1:7

d. How should the reality of Christ's return change the way you think and live today?

DAY FIVE: Read Acts 1:12-14

READING: Matthew 10:2-4 [[Open NKJV](#)] [[Open NIV](#)]

12. Where had the apostles been with Jesus when He ascended?

13. Where did they go immediately afterwards? Why?

14. a. How many men are named who were in the upper room?

b. From Matthew 10:2-4, who were these men?

c. Who else was present?

d. What were they doing in that upper room?

e. How might you apply what they were doing in the upper room to your own life?

DAY SIX: Read Acts 1:15-26

READING: Job 28:28; Psalm 32:8; Psalm 119:105; Proverbs 3:5-6; Ecclesiastes 2:26; Isaiah 30:21; James 1:5 [\[Open NKJV\]](#) [\[Open NIV\]](#)

15. a. Who made a speech to the disciples?

b. What was the main purpose of his speech?

16. a. What Scripture did Peter say had been fulfilled?

b. Who had made the prophecy to which Peter referred and through whom had it been spoken?

17. a. What Scripture still needed to be fulfilled?

b. What were the requirements for the man who would fill the position of Judas?

c. What were the names of the men they proposed?

18. a. What did the disciples do before making the choice?

b. What lesson is learned from their actions?

c. How was the final choice made?

d. ♥(Heart Question) According to the following Scriptures, how should you make decisions in your own life? (Job 28:28, Psalm 32:8, Psalm 119:105, Proverbs 3:5-6, Ecclesiastes 2:26, Isaiah 30:21, James 1:5)