

**A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study**  
**Date: December 21, 2016**  
**Acts 13:13-52**

1. Why does Luke tell us that John left them in verse 13? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What did Paul and Barnabas do when they arrived in Pisidian Antioch? \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. Why did Paul & Barnabas go to the synagogue?
  - a. They were Jews and that is what they did on the Sabbath.
  - b. They often went to the synagogue first when they arrived in a new town (See also Acts 13:5, 14:1, 17:1-2, 17:10, 17:17, 18:19, and 19:8)
  - c. They had a call to preach the Gospel.
  - d. Because the best way to reach the world with the Gospel is to first address the people of God and make sure they have received Jesus, live it, and spread it!
  - e. All of the Above.
4. What happened when they went to the Synagogue? \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. What did Paul and Barnabas say when they were invited to speak, according to verse 16-41?
  - a. They started with what the people knew, believed in, and respected (such as their history, King David, etc.).
  - b. God has now fulfilled his promised salvation in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.
  - c. They shared the good news of forgiveness of sins.
  - d. Everyone who believes is set free from every sin.
6. Does God still give us opportunities to share the Gospel with those who have not yet heard it? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Give some examples of times when he has given you these opportunities. \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. What was the response to their message?
  - a. They invited them to speak again on the next Sabbath.
  - b. Many followed Paul and Barnabas when they were all dismissed.
  - c. They were encouraged to continue in the grace of God.
  - d. The whole city came back the next week.
  - e. The leaders became jealous.
  - f. They began to argue with Paul and Barnabas.
8. How did Paul & Barnabas respond to these arguments? \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. How do we respond when people reject us (even when many may respond to our message)? \_\_\_\_\_  
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