

A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study
Date: April 19, 2017
Acts 21:37-22:29

1. What happened in the previous text?
 - a. Paul traveled to Jerusalem despite other Christian disciples and prophets begging him not to go.
 - b. Paul arrived in Jerusalem and met with James and the elders of the church.
 - c. Paul purified himself, as James and the elders suggested, in order to show Jewish Christians that he was not against the law of Moses.
 - d. Some Jews from the province of Asia caused an uproar in Jerusalem with false accusations about Paul.

2. What did Paul do as the soldiers were about to take Paul into the barracks, according to 21:38-39?
 - a. Remained silent and allowed them to arrest him.
 - b. Asked if he could say something to the soldiers.
 - c. Proclaimed his Roman citizenship.
 - d. Asked permission to speak to the people.
 - e. All of the above.

3. What did Paul do when the people became quiet and allowed him to speak, according to 21:40-?
 - a. Spoke to them in Aramaic.
 - b. Identified with them and proclaimed his former zeal for God and the law.
 - c. Wait a second, I think Paul is witnessing...testifying...whatever you call it!
 - d. He proclaimed to them the way in which Christ had brought him from where they are to where he is today!

4. What does it take to share a testimony like Paul is sharing here?
 - a. A Bible College or Seminary degree.
 - b. You have to have read the Bible all the way through at least once.
 - c. You have to have a testimony of how Christ changed your life and made you who you are today.

5. Do you share your testimony? Yes_____ No_____ How might God use your testimony even more? _____

6. At what point did the people stop listening to his testimony?
 - a. When they got bored.
 - b. When Paul proclaimed that the Lord said that these people (the same who stood before him as he spoke) would not listen to him, so he sent him to preach to the Gentiles instead.
 - c. When he said about the same thing as John the Baptist had said (Matt 3:7-10).

7. When do you stop listening to the message that is being proclaimed?
 - a. I don't, I just don't always do what he says.
 - b. When he starts to talk about things that bring conviction to me.
 - c. The truth hurts, but I want to be right with the Lord no matter what!