

A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study

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Acts 27:27-44

1. What happened last week?
 - a. The men did not listen to Paul when he warned them that the voyage would be disastrous.
 - b. God sent an angel to Paul to tell him not to be afraid.
 - c. Paul told the men that they would have to run aground on some island.

2. What is happening in verses 27-29?
 - a. They are being “driven” and it seems that they don’t have much control.
 - b. They sensed they were approaching land.
 - c. They checked and the water was indeed getting shallower.
 - d. They feared that they would be dashed against the rocks, so they dropped four anchors from the back of the boat and “prayed for daylight.”

3. What were the sailors doing in verse 30? _____

4. What did Paul tell the centurion and soldiers when he realized what the sailors were doing?

5. What did the soldiers do in response to what Paul said in verse 31? _____

6. Paul had been assured that they would survive and trusted God. When we are in difficult circumstances, do we act more like the sailors, the soldiers, or Paul? _____

7. Did God do what he said he would do? Yes_____ No_____ Explain. _____

8. How did the soldiers respond to Paul’s help in getting them through this difficult circumstance? _____

9. How did the centurion respond? _____

10. How do you respond when God carries you through a difficult circumstance? _____
