

PAUL GOES TO JERUSALEM – ACTS 21

INTRODUCTION: Two things are evident as this chapter unfolds

1. The sheer _____ of Paul to go on no matter what lay ahead.
2. Nothing could have been more _____ than the _____ of the _____ at Tyre and of _____ at Caesarea.

I: THE TRIP TO JERUSALEM (1-16)

1. The warning at _____ (4)
2. The warning of _____ (11)
3. Paul's motivation in 20:22 ... " _____."
4. Ready to preach the Gospel _____ (Romans 1:15)
5. Ready to _____ for Christ at _____ (Acts 21:13)
6. Ready to be _____ (" _____ out" – 2 Timothy 4:6)

II: THE BARGAIN WITH THE JEWS (17-26)

1. James and the _____ thought that Paul should _____ to these zealous Jews that he was really not _____ against the _____ of Moses.
2. Paul shared with the _____ men as they completed their _____ and _____ sacrifices, taking _____ days (27).
3. What was the result? _____!

III: THE ARREST IN THE TEMPLE (27-40)

1. The _____ was excited by _____ Jews (27). It was his _____ missionary labors that lay at the _____ of the _____.
2. The charges against him were utterly _____ (29 and 34).
 - a) He raised no _____ to the Law
 - b) He never _____ the _____
 - c) The enemies of _____ always _____ on lies
3. Roman _____ is called in to _____ mob _____ (32)
4. The Roman commander face to face with the Christian _____ was more _____ to reason than the Jews, blinded by _____ and _____ (39-40).

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SUMMATION:

It appears that Paul made two _____

1. He went to Jerusalem when he was _____ to do so.
2. He _____ with the Jews when he knew the _____ of God's grace.

The bottom line Paul's heart was so full of _____ and _____ for his brethren that he would have paid any price to give them the _____ (see Romans 10:1).

DO WE CARRY THAT SAME CONCERN FOR OUR BRETHERN??