

PAUL SENT TO FELIX – ACTS 23

INTRODUCTION: On several occasions, the Lord came to Paul in order to _____ him.
Here is another of those occasions.

I: PAUL BEFORE THE COUNCIL (1-11)

1. Felt at _____. He had been an _____ Pharisee himself.
2. His _____ clear (1).
3. Ananias _____ (2).
4. Paul did not _____ the high priest. Perhaps he did not have on his _____ garb, or Paul simply _____ to recognize him (3-5).
5. Paul used a _____ approach as he shouted, "I am a _____" (6).
6. He was ministered to by the _____ (11).

II: PAUL AND THE 40 CONSPIRATORS (12-22)

1. What does religion that rejects Christ do to people? _____ them into _____ (12-15).
2. The Lord always _____ a way out (16-22).
3. We know nothing about Paul's sister or his nephew, but anyone's _____ is important and can be _____ by God!

III: PAUL AND CLAUDIUS LYSIAS (23-35)

1. The issue was one of _____ law, not _____ law.
2. Paul's Roman _____ provided _____.

CONCLUSION: God plays no _____. He will _____ you!

Psalm 23:4 – *"Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for You are _____"*.

Instances of this in Paul's life:

- a) Jewish attacks at Corinth (18:9-11)
- b) In Jerusalem when arrested by the Romans (23:11)
- c) On board ship going to Rome (27:21-25)