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FAMILY & FRIENDS

Paul & Barnabas sent on their first missionary trip (Acts 13) – Part 3

Review of Previous Lesson:

- Paul & Barnabas traveled to Cyprus.
- Paul & Barnabas moved onto Antioch in Pisidia.

In this Lesson:

- Paul & Barnabas move onto Antioch in Pisidia. (continued)

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ACTS 13:13 – 52

Acts 13:23 – 25 (ESV)

23 Of this man's offspring God has brought to Israel a Savior, Jesus, as he promised. 24 Before his coming, John had proclaimed a baptism of repentance to all the people of Israel. 25 And as John was finishing his course, he said, 'What do you suppose that I am? I am not he. No, but behold, after me one is coming, the sandals of whose feet I am not worthy to untie.'

A Promise given to King David of an Everlasting Kingdom:

2 Samuel 7:12 – 13 (ESV) (*12 When your days are fulfilled and you lie down with your fathers, I will raise up your offspring after you, who shall come from your body, and I will establish his kingdom. 13 He shall build a house for my name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever.*)

John, the Immerser, testifies of Jesus being the Christ:

- John 1:19 – 27
- John 1:29

Acts 13:26 – 29 (ESV)

26 "Brothers, sons of the family of Abraham, and those among you who fear God, to us has been sent the message of this salvation. 27 For those who live in Jerusalem and their rulers, because they did not recognize him nor understand the utterances of the prophets, which are read every Sabbath, fulfilled them by condemning him. 28 And though they found in him no guilt worthy of death, they asked Pilate to have him executed. 29 And when they had carried out all that was written of him, they took him down from the tree and laid him in a tomb.

The spiritually blinded will never be able to see the truth!

- John 1:4 – 5
- John 5:39 – 40
- 2 Timothy 3:7
- Acts 17:27

Acts 13:30 – 31 (ESV)

30 But God raised him from the dead, 31 and for many days he appeared to those who had come up with him from Galilee to Jerusalem, who are now his witnesses to the people.

Acts 13:32 – 33 (ESV)

32 And we bring you the good news that what God promised to the fathers, 33 this he has fulfilled to us their children by raising Jesus, as also it is written in the second Psalm, "'You are my Son, today I have begotten you.'

The glue that holds all together as one church is the fulfillment of God's promise to Abraham!

- Genesis 12:1 – 3
- Galatians 3:7 – 9
- Galatians 3:25 – 29

Acts 13:34 – 35 (ESV)

34 And as for the fact that he raised him from the dead, no more to return to corruption, he has spoken in this way, “‘I will give you the holy and sure blessings of David.’ 35 Therefore he says also in another psalm, “‘You will not let your Holy One see corruption.’

Acts 13:36 – 37 (ESV)

36 For David, after he had served the purpose of God in his own generation, fell asleep and was laid with his fathers and saw corruption, 37 but he whom God raised up did not see corruption.

Here Paul brings home his purpose of these three quotes: Jesus, not David, is the fulfillment of God's promises!

Acts 13:38 – 39 (ESV)

38 Let it be known to you therefore, brothers, that through this man forgiveness of sins is proclaimed to you, 39 and by him everyone who believes is freed from everything from which you could not be freed by the law of Moses.

Jesus Christ did what the Law of Moses could not:

- Romans 7:12 – 13
- Galatians 3:23 – 29
- Hebrews 9:15
- Hebrews 10:1 – 10
- Hebrews 10:11 – 14

Titus 3:4 – 7 (ESV)

4 But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, 5 he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, 6 whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, 7 so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

In our next study, we will go on to examine the rest of Acts 13!