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 - The salvation of individuals like Rahab and Ruth
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- 3) In the early church (Acts 9:15; 11:18; 13:36-37; 14:27; 15:3, 7, 14-18; 21:19; 28:28)

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