

## Acts: The History of the Church According to God

- Four \_\_\_\_\_ of the early church to identify to help you trace God's sovereignty in the \_\_\_\_\_ of your faith.

### 1. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Holy Spirit (1:1-2:4)

#### The Works of the Holy Spirit

- He gives \_\_\_\_\_ (2 Tim. 2:24-26)
- He sanctifies the \_\_\_\_\_ (Phil. 2:12-13)
- He gives \_\_\_\_\_ to the church (2:1-4)

### 2. Reaching \_\_\_\_\_ (2-7)

### 3. Reaching \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (8-12)

a) The unlikely conversion of \_\_\_\_\_ (9)

b) Peter Ministers to the \_\_\_\_\_ (10-12)

### 4. Reaching the \_\_\_\_\_ (13-28)

a) Paul's \_\_\_\_\_ Missionary Journey (13-14)

b) Paul's \_\_\_\_\_ Missionary Journey (15:36-18:22)

c) Paul's \_\_\_\_\_ Missionary Journey (18:23-21:14)

d) Paul's journey to \_\_\_\_\_ (21:15-28).

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- In what ways does knowing the church's origins and your belonging to it affect your view of the church?
  - Do you see the church as something necessary for every Christian to be a part of? Why?
  - What is the primary purpose of the Book of Acts?
  - What are the three purposes of the church?
  - How do the works of the Spirit necessitate His involvement in ministry?
  - How does the narrative of Acts affect your view of the sovereignty of God in missions? (eg., Cornelius, the Macedonian man, Saul's conversion, etc.).
  - Why are discipleship, church planting, and missions intrinsically inseparable, as demonstrated by Paul?
  - In what ways should you participate in the legacy of Christ (gospel ministry) in your own context?