

## Acts 17

LW–Macedonian Call, Lydia/House, Adversity, Jailer/House, Baptism

TW – \* Left Philippi having been beaten, imprisoned - Continue 2<sup>nd</sup>

### V1-4

**1 Thessalonians 2:1-2** <sup>1</sup>For you yourselves know, brethren, that our coming to you was not in vain. <sup>2</sup>But even after we had suffered before and were spitefully treated at Philippi, as you know, we were bold in our God to speak to you the gospel of God in much conflict.

2. Reasoned WITH– V17, 18:4; (Pastor Chuck Reasonable! **Isa 1:18**)

3. Explained - to Open by dividing or drawing asunder (Scriptures

4. Demonstrating – That the Christ Had to Suffer! (**Isa 53, Ps 16, 22**)

**Luke 24:44-47** – Opened Understanding/Comprehend/Scriptures!

### V5-9

1. Compliment – Those turned world upside down!

2. Guilt my Association – Jason! (Peter/Jesus) How we handle???

### V10-15

1. V10 – Immediately sent Paul/Silas Away/Night (14:6, 17:14)

**2 Sam 5:19** - David/Philistines - Go Up/Yes, V23 Go Up/No

2. V11 – Be a Berean!

### V16-21

1. V16 – Spirit was provoked/saw city given over/Idols!

**Matthew 9:36** <sup>36</sup>But when He saw the multitudes, He was moved with compassion for them, because they were weary and scattered, like sheep having no shepherd.

**Mark 3:5** <sup>5</sup>And when He had looked around at them with anger, being grieved by the hardness of their hearts, He said to the man, “Stretch out your hand.” And he stretched it out, and his hand was restored as whole as the other.

2. V17 – Preached to them Jesus and the Resurrection!

**Ecclesiastes 1:12-2:11** – Set my heart on...all Vanity!

### V22-31

1. V22-23 - Built Bridge to them!

2. V24 - God made/world – Chicken/Egg? Coconut/Tree? World?

3. V25 – Doesn’t need any idols made of Himself

4. V26 – Made/One Blood/All Men/Just finding this out through DNA

5. V27 – More we know of God, More amazed, More should search

6. V28 – In Him Live, Move, Have Being (Reasoning WITH them!)

\* Created Blood/We may live – Plasma (55%);Red/White/Platelets (45%)

**Leviticus 17:11** <sup>11</sup>For the life of the flesh is in the blood, and I have given it to you upon the altar to make atonement for your souls; for it is the blood that makes atonement for the soul.’

\* He created Gravity - that we may move – No Big Deal???

The circumference of the Earth at the equator is 25,000 miles.

- The Earth rotates in about 24 hours. Therefore, if you were to hang above the surface of the Earth at the equator without moving, you would see 25,000 miles pass by in 24 hours, at a speed of 25000/24 or just over 1000 miles per hour.

- Earth is also moving around the Sun at about 67,000 miles per hour.

- We are also moving with the Sun around the center of our galaxy and moving with our galaxy as it drifts through intergalactic space!

(Paul Butterworth/David Palmer for the Ask an Astrophysicist Team)

- Inside “Intergalactic Tilt-A-Whirl, Scrambler!!! We can walk?!?!?!”

\* He created Physics, Theory of Relativity & Quantum Theory, Molecule, Atom, Electron, Nucleus, Proton, Neutron

**Col 1:17** <sup>17</sup>And He is before all things, and in Him all things consist.

**Hebrews 1:1-3** <sup>3</sup>who being the brightness of His glory and the express image of His person, and upholding all things by the word of His power, when He had by Himself purged our sins, sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high,

6. V28 - Cretan poet named Epimenides; then poet Aratus from Cilicia

7. V29 – Since we the offspring – still using allegory/figurative/Quote

8. V30 – Call to Repent

9. V31 – Because – Appointed/Day, Judge/Righteousness, By Man, Assurance, Raised Dead!

### V32–34

1. Heard “Resurrection/Dead” – 1) Mocked, 2) Hear Again, 3) Joined/Believed

**Hebrews 9:27-28** <sup>27</sup>And as it is appointed for men to die once, but after this the judgment, <sup>28</sup>so Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many. To those who eagerly wait for Him He will appear a second time, apart from sin, for salvation

## **1. Functions of Blood**

### **1. Transports:**

- Dissolved gases (e.g. oxygen, carbon dioxide);
- Waste products of metabolism (e.g. water, urea);
- Hormones;
- Enzymes;
- Nutrients (such as glucose, amino acids, micro-nutrients ([vitamins](#) & [minerals](#)), fatty acids, glycerol);
- Plasma proteins (associated with defence, such as blood-clotting and anti-bodies);
- Blood cells (incl. white blood cells 'leucocytes', and red blood cells 'erythrocytes').

### **2. Maintains Body Temperature**

### **3. Controls pH**

The pH of blood must remain in the range 6.8 to 7.4, otherwise it begins to damage cells.

### **4. Removes toxins from the body**

The kidneys filter all of the blood in the body (approx. 8 pints), 36 times every 24 hours. Toxins removed from the blood by the kidneys leave the body in the urine.  
(Toxins also leave the body in the form of sweat.)

### **5. Regulation of Body Fluid Electrolytes**

Excess salt is removed from the body in urine, which may contain around 10g salt per day  
(such as in the cases of people on western diets containing more salt than the body requires).