

Lesson 2
The Book of Acts

Lesson 2: Healing of a lame man brings controversy

1.) The healing of a lame man

What did the Holy Spirit do to continue the momentum of the initial revival?

(Acts 2:43 – 47) _____

2.) One Instance (Acts 1:6-11)

What is the significance of Peter and John going to the Jewish temple?

What prompted Peter to act on behalf of the man lame from birth?

What is Peters response? _____

Did the lame man get what he wanted?

3.) Peter's second sermon (Acts 3:10-26)

How does Peter leverage this event?

How does he connect the dots of what has happened to Jesus?

What does Peter say that indicates that the Messiah may not simply be a Jewish thing? _____

What were the results of Peter's message? _____

Who are the Sadducees? _____

4.) Peter and John witness before the Jewish Council (Acts 4:1-22)

Who does Peter address in this sermon? _____

What leverage does Peter use to present the gospel? _____

What Scriptures are used? _____

What does the council note about Peter and John?

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What is Peter & John's response to their threats? _____

What dilemma does the council face? _____

5.) Prayer (Acts 4:23-31)

What do Peter & John do after they are released? _____

What scriptures do those in prayer recognize have taken place?

What do they pray for?

6.) Aftermath: The church continues to grow: Barnabas is introduced
(Acts 4:32-37)

What happens as a result? _____

Who is Barnabas?

What does his name mean?

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Homework

Analyze Peter's sermons (Acts 3:10-26, Acts 4:8-12)

Who is the intended audience _____

What other information is provided in the sermon? _____

How does Peter connect the dots of what has happened to Jesus?

What action does he require of his listeners? _____

What Old Testament scriptures does he use? _____

What do the scriptures explain? _____

What surprises you about Peter's message? _____

What were the results of the sermon? _____