

Acts Part 48

“Paul Beaten & Arrested”



26 Then Paul took along the men, and the next day, after purifying himself together with them, he went into the temple giving notice of the completion of the days of purification, until the sacrifice was offered for each one of them.

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



27 When the seven days were almost over, the Jews from Asia, upon seeing him in the temple, began to stir up all the crowd and laid hands on him,

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



28 crying out, "Men of Israel, help! This is the man who instructs everyone everywhere against our people and the Law and this place; and besides, he has even brought Greeks into the temple and has defiled this holy place!"

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



29 For they had previously seen Trophimus the Ephesian in the city with him, and they thought that Paul had brought him into the temple.

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



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32 He immediately took along some soldiers and centurions and ran down to the crowd; and when they saw the commander and the soldiers, they stopped beating Paul.

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



33 Then the commander came up and took hold of him, and ordered that he be bound with two chains; and he began asking who he was and what he had done.

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



34 But among the crowd, some were shouting one thing and some another, and when he could not find out the facts because of the uproar, he ordered that Paul be brought into the barracks.

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



35 When Paul got to the stairs, it came about that he was carried by the soldiers because of the violence of the mob; 36 for the multitude of people kept following them, shouting, "Away with him!"

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



37 As Paul was about to be brought into the barracks, he said to the commander, "May I say something to you?" And he said, "Do you know Greek?"

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



38 Then you are not the Egyptian who some time ago stirred up a revolt and led the four thousand men of the Assassins out into the wilderness?"

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



39 But Paul said, "I am a Jew of Tarsus in Cilicia, a citizen of no insignificant city; and I beg you, allow me to speak to the people."

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)



40 When he had given him permission, Paul, standing on the stairs, motioned to the people with his hand; and when there was a great silence, he spoke to them in the Hebrew dialect, saying,

Acts 21:26-40(NASB)

