

The progress of the Word of God (study two Acts of the Apostles)

1. Make a list of some of the things you think the progress of Christian ministry?
2. Read Acts 1:1-11. What do you think the main storyline of Acts will be?
3. Read Luke 1:1, 2:25-32, 24:45-49 compare to Luke's record of Paul's first speech in Acts 13:36-49. What is Luke saying?
4. Read 6:7, 4:31, 9:31, 12:24, 16:5, 19:20 and 28:30-31.
 - a. What do these verses have in common?
 - b. Reread them and the verses immediately before each statement. What point is Luke making by concluding the paragraph with these verses?
5. Read Acts 13:2, 13:47, 14:27, 15:12.
 - a. Who is the one doing the action in each situation?
 - b. What does this tell you about the progress of the Word?
6. Read Acts 28:30-31.
 - a. How do you feel after reading this conclusion to Acts?
 - b. What is Luke teaching?