

מעשי השליחים Ma'asei HaShlichim

[ACTS OF THE APOSTLES]

Acts 21:15–22:30 ***“Paul in Jerusalem”***

Discussion Questions:

1. Why was Paul anxious about his trip to Jerusalem? What were the false rumors that had been circulating about Paul? How did James and the elders propose remedying the situation?
2. Why did Paul agree to the Nazirite plan proposed by James and the elders? How do some traditional interpretations of Paul attempt to explain Paul's participation?
3. In 1 Corinthians 9:19-23, Paul identifies three types of people: 1) Jews; 2) those under the Law; 3) those without the Law. Explain the three categories and explain how Paul became "all things to all men" in regard to each.
4. What were Paul's alleged charges (in 21:21 & 21:28-29)? On what were the charges based? If the charges were true, what would that make Paul? How did Paul answer those charges? How are they similar to the charges Paul and his colleagues once alleged against Stephen?

