

NEW TESTAMENT SURVEY

Lesson 23 – Paul and the Thessalonians

Reading:

- Acts 16:11-18:18; 1 Thess. 1
- 1 Thess. 2-5; 2 Thess. 1-3

A. Briefly summarize the events from the reading above. Do you have any questions about the reading you would like us to discuss?

B. Find a map what shows the rest of the path taken by Paul and Silas on the "second missionary journey."

C. What can we learn from the conversion of the Philippian jailer?

D. What can we learn from Paul's statements in Acts 16:37, 22:25-29; and 25:11?

E. Outline Paul's sermon starting in Acts 17:22. Contrast it with his sermon starting in Acts 13:16.

F. Outline the two letters Paul wrote to the Thessalonians during this time.

G. List five things Paul was thankful for in these two letters.

H. What does Paul teach regarding the second coming of Christ and how we should live?

I. List ten things he wanted the Thessalonians (and us) to do?