



Acts 26

Something to Start Us Off

If you had one minute to defend your entire life story, what would you leave out?

Something to Notice

Let's dive into the details of Acts 26—notice the people, places, and actions that drive this chapter!

- How does Paul begin his defense to Agrippa in Acts 26:1-3?
- What does Paul say about his former life in Acts 26:4-11?
- Describe what happened to Paul on the road to Damascus according to Acts 26:12-18.
- How does Paul describe his obedience to the vision in Acts 26:19-23?
- What is Agrippa's reaction to Paul's message in Acts 26:24-32?

Something to Learn

Key Insights:

* Agrippa II, last of the Herods, ruled with his sister Bernice from a palace in Caesarea. They had an unusually close relationship, which led to all kinds of scandalous gossip from Jews and Romans alike.

Discussion Questions:

- How would you describe Paul's attitude toward Agrippa in this scene?
- What stands out in Paul's summary of his conversion in Acts 26:12-18?
- How does Paul turn his defense into a gospel presentation in Acts 26:22-23?
- What do you make of Festus and Agrippa's final verdict in Acts 26:31-32?

Something to Take Home

- Paul shared his full story boldly in Acts 26:4-23. What can we learn from him about being prepared to share our conversion story with others?
- Agrippa was "almost persuaded" in Acts 26:28. When have you personally seen someone (or when have you been) close to a decision for Christ?