

## Lesson 19

December 6, 2020 • Acts 21:1–39

1. When they arrived in Caesarea, Paul and his traveling companions stayed with “Philip the evangelist” (21:8). Who was Philip, and how long had he apparently been in Caesarea?
  
2. The disciples in Tyre “told Paul through the Spirit not to go up to Jerusalem” (21:4b). Agabus prophesied to Paul that the Jews in Jerusalem would “deliver him into the hands of the Gentiles” (21:11b), which agreed with similar warnings the Holy Spirit had been giving Paul “in every city” (20:23) since he had begun making his way from Macedonia. Was Paul being stubbornly disobedient to the Holy Spirit by continuing undeterred to Jerusalem? Why or why not?
  
3. What ultimately was the attitude of Paul’s companions toward his determination to go to Jerusalem?

4. When Paul arrived in Jerusalem, how did the brethren receive him and his report of his ministry?

5. **Research Question** Paul had been hoping to reach Jerusalem by Pentecost (20:16). What can we conclude about whether he made it or not?

6. What rumors had the (unbelieving) Jews been circulating about what Paul had been teaching?



