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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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STEPHEN'S SERMON—Part 2

Acts 7:9-16

I. Doctrine: Life in the Church Covenant on Earth has

_____ **its *Lows*, and its *Highs***

A. –This _____ the Fact that Believers are *Crucified* with Jesus, and (later) are *Risen* with Him, (Rom. 6:5-11)

B. –This _____ us *Dependence*, and the Need to be *Grateful*, (Jn. 15:5; 1 Thess. 5:18)

II. _____ the Church's *Downs*, and *Ups*,
vv. 9-16

A. God _____ His *Beleaguered* People, vv. 9-10

B. God _____ His *Bedraggled* People, vv. 11-14

C. God _____ His *Deceased* People, vv. 15-16

III. Why Today's Text is Such a _____ to the Church

A. –Because in Jesus we *Already* _____ All God's Promises (by Faith), (2 Cor. 1:20)

B. –Because we _____ that we *Always* Triumph in Christ (by Faith), (2 Cor. 2:14)

Key Verses—vv. 9-10a: “*And the patriarchs, becoming envious, sold Joseph into Egypt. But God was with him and delivered him out of all his troubles . . .*”

NOTES & APPLICATIONS: