

Acts of the Apostles  
Athens (Part 2) (Acts 17:22-34)

I. Who is God?

- God is the Creator of all things (vs. 24a, 26a). See Gen. 1:1.
- God is the Sustainer and Supplier of all things (vs. 25, 28a).
- God is the Governor (Ruler) of all people (vs. 26, 28a).
- God is the Judge of all people (v. 31a). See Ecc. 12:14; Matt. 12:38; Rom. 2:6, 16.
- God cannot be contained in buildings or restricted to one people group (vs. 24b, 26a).
- God cannot be represented by images (vs. 28b, 29).
- God can be known (vs. 26a, 27). See 1 Chron. 28:9; Is. 53:6.

II. Why do we need Him?

- We are dependent on Him for everything (vs. 25b, 28a; Matt. 5:45; Luke 6:35; Acts 14:17; James 1:17; 4:13-16).
- We are going to be judged by Him (v. 31; Heb. 9:27; Rev. 20:12, 15).

III. How do we get to Him?

- Repent (turn from all known sin, v. 30) because God has appointed a day of judgment (v. 31) through a Man whom He has appointed (Acts 10:42; 2 Cor. 5:10; 2 Tim 4:1). Proof: God raised Him from the dead (v. 31)

-Response (vs. 32-34)

→**How are you responding?**