

ACTS

Be Wise; Have Courage

Acts 23:1-11

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1. Paul is an example to us of one who acted with Godly wisdom.

“Biblical wisdom is concerned with the whole person, wholly living before the _____ of God. Right thinking and right living are the two hands of a wise person, who uses those hands in reverent service to God.” - Samuel Parkison

- a. Godly wisdom is based on the _____ of the Lord.
- b. Godly wisdom is based on the _____ of the Word of God.
- c. Godly wisdom is able to _____ what the fundamental issue is in a controversy.

2. Paul is an example to us of one who acted with Godly courage.

“The Christian of all men needs courage and resolution. Indeed there is nothing he does as a Christian, or can do, but is an act of _____. A cowardly spirit is beneath the lowest duty of a Christian.” - William Gurnall

- a. Godly courage comes from remembering that in _____ things, believers are serving the Lord.
- b. Godly courage is strengthened by a _____ conscience before God.
- c. Godly courage is needed because believers know that speaking and living out the truth will be _____ to many people.
- d. Godly courage is helped by taking _____ of God’s providential care for His children.