

Transformation Card

This page provides an overview of the message and resources for individual and group study.

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Sermon Audio

Full Msg. Title: **Paul's Defense of His Gospel before Roman Governor Felix**

Short Ver. Title: **Paul's Defense before Felix**

Series Title*: Acts

Text: Acts 24

Key Words: Paul, Caesarea, Felix, hope, resurrection

Message Outline

Learning from Paul's Mission at Caesarea

Paul's Ministry with the Roman Leaders – Part 1 of 3

Paul's Defense before Felix

Acts 24:1-27

- I. What **HAPPENED** – An Overview
- II. Paul's **DEFENSE** – A Closer Look
- III. How Paul's Defense **HELPS** Us

God's Word for Devotions

1. Acts 21
2. Acts 22
3. Acts 23
4. Acts 24
5. Acts 25

Talk About It with Your Friends and Family

1. Review chapters 21-23 and note how Paul has defended himself and his gospel to different audiences so far.
2. What new elements does Paul add to his defense?
3. What already stated elements get repeated?
4. What does Paul readily admit to beginning in v. 14?
5. How can Paul's defense of his gospel help you understand The Gospel?
6. How can it help you share The Gospel?
7. How can it help you live The Gospel?

Memory and Meditation Verse

“14 But this I admit to you, that according to the Way which they call a sect I do serve the God of our fathers, believing everything that is in accordance with the Law and that is written in the Prophets; 15 having a hope in God, which these men cherish themselves, that there shall certainly be a resurrection of both the righteous and the wicked..”

Acts 24:14-15 (NASB)

Community Life

- ❖ Regular Summer groups resume this week.
- ❖ Have a seat!

Next Week: Acts 25