Galatians 1:23~ They only used to hear. The man that formerly persecuted us is now declaring the Good News about the faith which he formerly devastated.

1. These congregations in Judea only used to hear the report, that the man who used to persecute them, had now actively taken up the declaring of the Good News, concerning this faith, that he had formerly devastated.

[Question] What report had these congregation only heard about, concerning Paul?

2. You, of course, heard about my conduct formerly in Judaism, that to the point of excess, I kept on persecuting the congregation of God and devastating it. (Galatians 1:13)

[Question] To what degree did Paul persecute other anointed ones, before becoming an anointed disciple of Christ?

3. Saul, though, began to deal outrageously with the congregation. Invading one house after another, and dragging out both men and women, he would turn them over to prison. (Acts of Apostles 8:3)

[Question] How outrageously did Paul then act towards anointed Christians?

4. After hearing this they began to glorify God, and they said to him; You behold, brother, how many thousands of believers there are among the Jews, and they are all zealous for the Law. (Acts of Apostles 21:20)

[Question] How were the many thousands of Jews, then feeling and acting about the Law Covenant?

5. But all those hearing him gave way to astonishment and would say; Is this not the man that ravaged those in Jerusalem who call upon this name, and that had come here for this very purpose, that he might lead them bound to the chief priests? (Acts of Apostles 9:21)

[Question] How did many come to feel, when they heard that Paul was now preaching the Good News of God?