

~DAMASCENES (25)

(Dam-a-scenes') [Of or Belonging to Damascus]

- **The inhabitants of Damascus.**
- **In Damascus the governor under Aretas the king was guarding the city of the **Damascenes** to seize me. (**2 Corinthians 11:32**)**
- **Paul used the term when recounting his narrow escape from that city about 20 years after it occurred, as narrated in;**
- **Now when a good many days were coming to a close, the Jews took counsel together to do away with him. (**Acts of Apostles 9:23**)**
- **However, their plot against him became known to Saul. But they were closely watching also the gates both day and night in order to do away with him. (**Acts of Apostles 9:24**)**
- **So his disciples took him and let him down by night through an opening in the wall, lowering him in a basket. (**Acts of Apostles 9:25**)**