

## ~PAUL, MINISTRY OF THE APOSTLE (139)

### .. Paul's Second Missionary Trip

### .. Paul's Third Missionary Trip

### .. Paul's Trip To Rome

- Commissioned by Jesus to be an apostle to the nations, Paul zealously carried out his assignment.
- Now I speak to you who are people of the nations. Forasmuch as I am, in reality, an **apostle to the nations**, I glorify my ministry. (**Romans 11:13**)
- His first missionary trip took him through Cyprus and into Asia Minor. He was thrown out of cities by angry mobs, even stoned and left for dead. But he returned to strengthen those who had become disciples.
- On his second trip, he reached into Macedonia and Greece. Here he was able to give a witness at the Areopagus in Athens, as illustrated below.
- On **Paul's** third trip, he **preached** for some three years in Ephesus, a crossroads of the Roman world. Then he went on to Macedonia and Greece to build up the congregations there.
- When being held prisoner by the Roman government, Paul used his time well to write inspired letters that are part of the Bible today.

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- Now after some days Paul said to Barnabas; Above all things, let us return and visit the brothers in every one of the cities in which we published the word of Yehowah to see how they are. (**Acts of Apostles 15:36**)
- And came down to Caesarea. And he went up and greeted the congregation, and went down to Antioch. (**Acts of Apostles 18:22**)

Paul's Route  
Roads  
SYRIA

Antioch  
CILICIA  
Derbe  
PAMPHYLIA  
GALATIA  
Lystra  
Iconium  
PHRYGIA  
ASIA  
BITHYNIA  
MYSIA  
Troas  
Philippi  
Amphipolis  
Thessalonica  
Beroea  
Athens  
Corinth  
Ephesus  
Mediterranean Sea  
CRETE  
CYPRUS  
Caesarea  
Jerusalem

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- And when he had passed some time there he departed and went from place to place through the country of Galatia and Phrygia, strengthening all the disciples. ([Acts of Apostles 18:23](#))
- And he greeted them and began giving in detail an account of the things God did among the nations through his ministry. ([Acts of Apostles 21:19](#))

### Paul's Route

Roads  
Antioch  
GALATIA  
PHRYGIA  
Ephesus  
Troas  
MACEDONIA

**Philippi**  
**GREECE**  
**Assos**  
**MITYLENE**  
**CHIOS**  
**SAMOS**  
**Miletus**  
**COS**  
**Patara**  
**RHODES**  
**Mediterranean Sea**  
**CRETE**  
**CYPRUS**  
**Tyre**  
**Ptolemais**  
**Caesarea**  
**Jerusalem**

### **.. Paul's Trip To Rome**

- But the following night the Lord stood by him and said, Be of good courage! For as you have been giving a thorough witness on the things about me in Jerusalem, so you must also bear witness in Rome. (**Acts of Apostles 23:11**)
- Preaching the kingdom of God to them and teaching the things concerning the Lord Jesus Christ with the greatest freeness of speech, without hindrance. (**Acts of Apostles 28:31**)

### **Paul's Route**

**Caesarea**  
**Sidon**  
**CYPRUS**  
**CILICIA**  
**GALATIA**  
**Myra**  
**ASIA**  
**Cnidus**  
**CRETE**  
**CAUDA**  
**Mediterranean Sea**  
**MACEDONEA**  
**ITALY**

**MALTA**  
**SICILY**  
**Syracuse**  
**Rhegium**  
**Puteoli**  
**Rome**