

~THREE TAVERNS (33)

- **A resting-place attested to in ancient writings, situated on the Appian Way, the well-known highway that ran from Rome to Brundisium by way of Capua.**
- **The place perhaps got its name from three inns where travelers could stop to rest and refresh themselves. The site of Three Taverns is 58 kilometers (36 miles) Southeast of Rome.**
- **The Marketplace of Appius was about 15 kilometers (9.5 miles) farther down the Appian Way. A few Roman ruins are all that remain today at the site.**
- **Having heard about Paul's coming, part of the delegation of the Christians from Rome waited at Three Taverns while the rest traveled as far as the Marketplace of Appius.**
- **From which place we went around and arrived at Rhegium. And a day later a south wind sprang up and we made it into Puteoli on the second day. ([Acts of Apostles 28:13](#))**
- **Here we found brothers and were entreated to remain with them seven days, and in this way we came toward Rome. ([Acts of Apostles 28:14](#))**
- **And from there the brothers, when they heard the news about us, came to meet us as far as the Marketplace of Appius and **Three Taverns** and, upon catching sight of them, Paul thanked God and took courage. ([Acts of Apostles 28:15](#))**