

# “Stand Bold On Teaching God’s Word In Difficult Places”

Mission Bible Study

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# Acts 17:10-16

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<sup>10</sup> And the brethren immediately sent away Paul and Silas by night unto Berea: who coming thither went into the synagogue of the Jews.

<sup>11</sup> These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so.

<sup>12</sup> Therefore many of them believed; also of honourable women which were Greeks, and of men, not a few.

# Acts 17:10-16 (*Continued*)

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<sup>13</sup> But when the Jews of Thessalonica had knowledge that the word of God was preached of Paul at Berea, they came thither also, and stirred up the people.

<sup>14</sup> And then immediately the brethren sent away Paul to go as it were to the sea: but Silas and Timotheus abode there still.

<sup>15</sup> And they that conducted Paul brought him unto Athens: and receiving a commandment unto Silas and Timotheus for to come to him with all speed, they departed.

# Acts 17:10-16 (*Continued*)

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<sup>16</sup> Now while Paul waited for them at Athens, his spirit was stirred in him, when he saw the city wholly given to idolatry.

# Three Reasons Why To Stand Bold:

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- 1. People need to hear the Word of God**
- 2. Being deeply involved in the Word keeps us directly connected to God**
- 3. Our job as Christians is to compel others to Christ**

# LESSON #1: **People Need To Hear The Word of God**

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- ❖ **There are people who are lost and need to know the Word**
- ❖ **Misinterpretation of the Word is being taught by those who truly do not understand the Word**

# LESSON # 2: **Being Deeply Involved In The Word Keeps Us Directly Connected To God**

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- ❖ **In order for our message to be effective, we need to be one with God**
- ❖ **We need to allow the Holy Spirit to guide our every word and thought**
- ❖ **One's own opinion should not be taught. The Word should not ever be water downed nor should we take pieces out that fits our personal gain.**

# LESSON # 3: **Our Job As Christians Is To Compel Others To Christ**

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- ❖ **We have a great responsibility as Christians and should not take our role lightly when it comes to sharing the Word of God to others**
- ❖ **In order to compel others, we need to study God's Word effectively and live the life that we that we teach**
- ❖ **We cannot expect others to come to Christ if we aren't living up to God's standards.**