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Acts: The Birth of the Church
Acts 6:8–7:60
“Proclaiming Truth in the Face of Death”

1. STEPHEN ACCUSED: GOD’S WORKS OPPOSED. (6:8–15)

God’s _____ through a humble servant. (8)

God’s grace against Satanic tactics. (9–15)

See Luke 21:12–15.

2. STEPHEN’S SERMON: A HISTORY OF GOD’S REVELATION IGNORED. (7:1–50)

Responding to God’s messengers: _____. (1–36)

- Abraham: the God of Glory makes _____ with men. (1–8)
- Joseph: the patriarchs cannot _____ God’s plan. (9–16)
- Moses: God delivers through His _____ servant. (17–36)

Responding to God’s Word: _____. (37–43)

Responding to God’s presence: _____. (44–50)

3. STEPHEN’S ACCUSATION: GOD’S ENEMIES INDICTED. (7:51–53)

4. STEPHEN’S DEATH: GOD’S SERVANT WELCOMED HOME. (7:54–60)

They rejected God’s _____. (54–56)

They rejected God’s _____. (57)

They rejected God’s _____. (58–60)

Conclusion: