

## **AM: Gospel Threat (Acts 19:20-41)**

The sons of Sceva Acts 19: 13-17

The apostle Paul (19:11, 12, 18-20)

### **I. The Gospel Pierces the Darkness (19:21-34)**

- a. The Gospel *threatens* (19:23-27)
- b. The Gospel threatened (19:28-34)

### **II. The Gospel Triumphs over Darkness (19:35-41)**

1. Paul proclaimed the Gospel boldly – he was not disrespectful to idolaters
2. God’s kingdom stands in stark contrast to the kingdom of darkness
3. Gospel is a threat to the domain of darkness – to many governments
4. God is sovereign over each and every government
5. In a winsome way be a threat to the way things are *God will change them*

## **PM: God Who Knows the End from the Beginning (Isaiah 46:8-11)**

### **I. God Defines and Describes Who He is**

- a. I declare how things will work out long before they even happen
- b. I declare not just natural events but human events, things not yet done

### **II. God has Purposed All Things**

- i. God’s *sovereignty* over nature

### **III. God can Avert All Disaster**

- ii. God’s *sovereignty* in human actions

### **IV. Boasting is Excluded**