INTRODUCTION:

1. PAUL DECLARED THAT HE HAD LIVED IN ALL GOOD CONSCIENCE BEFORE GOD (22:30-23:1).

a. The *context* of the passage

b. The *meaning* of the passage

c. The *focus* of the passage

2. PAUL DECLARED THAT HE LIVED WITH A CONSCIENCE VOID OF OFFENSE BEFORE GOD AND MEN (24:1-16).

a. The enemies' accusation in the passage

- b. The reply Paul gave in the passage
- c. The focus of the passage
- **3.** Applications:
 - (1) By faith in Christ, in the power of the Holy Spirit, in accordance with God's Word, believers should exercise themselves daily to have a conscience void of offense toward God.
 - (2) By faith in Christ, in the power of the Holy Spirit, in accordance with God's Word, believers should exercise themselves daily to have a conscience void of offense toward men.

CONCLUSION: