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Acts 27:1-8

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If you choose to live your life on mission, you will...

Go Places You Had Not Planned

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I will instruct you and teach
you in the way you should
go; I will counsel you
with My eye upon you.

—Psalm 32:8 ESV

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²³The steps of a man are
established by the Lord,
when He delights in his way;
²⁴though he fall, he shall not
be cast headlong, for the
Lord upholds His hand.
—Psalm 37:23-24 ESV

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If you choose to live your life on mission, you will...

Face Experiences That Provoke Fear

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Acts 27:9-38

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⁹Since much time had passed, and
the voyage was now dangerous
because even the Fast was already
over, Paul advised them, ¹⁰saying,
“Sirs, I perceive that the voyage
will be with injury and much loss,
not only of the cargo and the
ship, but also of our lives.”

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¹¹But the centurion paid more
attention to the pilot and to
the owner of the ship than to
what Paul said. ¹²And because
the harbor was not suitable to
spend the winter in,

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the majority decided to put out
to sea from there, on the chance
that somehow they could reach
Phoenix, a harbor of Crete,
facing both southwest and
northwest, and spend the winter
there. —Acts 27:9-12 ESV

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Two Insights:

1. The experts aren't always right.
2. The majority is often wrong.

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If you choose to live your life on mission, you will...

**Confront Challenges You Would
Not Choose**

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Acts 27:39–28:6

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If you choose to live your life on mission, you will...

**Discover Providences You Could
Have Never Imagined**

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²³When they had appointed a day for him, they came to him at his lodging in greater numbers. From morning till evening he expounded to them,

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testifying to the kingdom of God and trying to convince them about Jesus both from the Law of Moses and from the Prophets. ²⁴And some were convinced by what he said, but others disbelieved. —Acts 28:23-24 ESV

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³⁰He lived there two whole years at his own expense, and welcomed all who came to him, ³¹proclaiming the kingdom of God and teaching about the Lord Jesus Christ with all boldness and without hindrance.
—Acts 28:30-31 ESV

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Acts = An unfinished book;
a story without an ending

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Note:
The following screens are to be used with the Lord's Supper. Thank you.

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God sent His Son for us.

For our sake He made Him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God.
—2 Corinthians 5:21 ESV

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⁹In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent His only Son into the world, so that we might live through Him. ¹⁰In this is love, not that we have loved God but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins.
—1 John 4:9-10 ESV

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For our sake He made Him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God.
—2 Corinthians 5:21 ESV

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God sends us for others.

As you sent Me into the world,
so I have sent them into the
world. —John 17:18 ESV

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⁸“But you will receive power
when the Holy Spirit has
come upon you, and you will
be My witnesses in Jerusalem
and in all Judea and Samaria,
and to the end of the earth.”

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⁹And when He had said these
things, as they were looking on,
He was lifted up, and a cloud
took Him out of their sight.
¹⁰And while they were gazing
into heaven as He went, behold,
two men stood by them in
white robes, ¹¹and said,

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“Men of Galilee, why do you
stand looking into heaven? This
Jesus, who was taken up from
you into heaven, will come in the
same way as you saw Him go
into heaven.” —Acts 1:8-11 ESV

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For as often as you eat this
bread and drink the cup,
you proclaim the Lord's death
until He comes.

—1 Corinthians 11:26 ESV

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