

Acts 13 & 14

Chapter 13:

Comprehension – What stood out to you in this chapter?

Interpretation

What were the prophets and teachers doing when the Holy Spirit gave instructions about Saul and Barnabas?

Where did Saul become Paul?

Why was Elymas blinded? Does this seem a little extreme?

Application

How exactly are you forgiven? Is there a way to earn it? What's required? (v 38–39)

Continuing with verse 46...do you accept and hear the word of God? Do you consider yourself worthy of eternal life?

Chapter 14:

Comprehension – What stood out to you in this chapter?

Interpretation

What purpose did the miracles that God allowed Paul and Barnabas to perform serve?

Why did Lystra turn into a bit of a disaster? (5–19) Was it a disaster? What does the scripture tell us about this city later in the chapter? (21–23)

Application

What do the experiences of Paul and Barnabas in Lystra teach us about living for the crowd's approval?

Verse 22 tells us that P & B encouraged disciples in Lystra, Iconium and Antioch “to remain true to the faith.” They also said, “we must go through many hardships to enter the kingdom of God.” WHY? How do you feel about this?