7. The one side of Paul that we often don't think about is that he had what kind of heart?

8. Paul wanted to go back and visit the churches he and Barnabas found on which journey?

9. Barnabas kept insisting that they do what?

10. It is possible that John Mark left the team while on the earlier journey because he was upset that Paul did what?

11. John Mark was the cousin of whom?

12. Some have suggested that John Mark left the team because of what?

13. Another possibility for why John Mark left the team is because he disagreed with the emphasis on what?

14. Maybe he left because the romance of ministry had done what?

15. Paul looked at people and asked, "What can they do for God's work?" Barnabas looked at people and asked what?

16. Barnabas may have had a tendency to be a what at times?

17. In Galatians 2 we see that who was carried away by compromise?

18. It is possible that Paul was so committed to what, that he refused to make a valid exception with John Mark?

19. What does Satan want to do with our strengths?

20. If you are a tender-hearted encourager, Satan will use that strength to try to get you to do what?

21. If you are a strong believer in not compromising principle, Satan will use that strength to try to get you to be what?

22. Some might be so giving that they do what?

23. What two disciples were fervent, ambitious, aggressive, charged up sort of guys?

24. Matthew 20:20-28 points out what about James and John?

25. In Luke 9:51-54, it is obvious that James and John didn't have what?

26. Zeal has to be balanced with what?

- 27. When Herod wanted to stifle the church he went after whom?
- 28. Compared to James, who was mellow?
- 29. The only time John appears alone in the gospels he is what?
- 30. The Apostle John's life is seen in what 2 emphases?
- 31. Taking a stand for truth with no love is just rigid what?
- 32. Holding up love at the expense of truth is sloppy what?

33. Paul had so much love for the Lord Jesus that he wanted to do what?

34. Why was Silas a strategic partner for Paul?

35. Why does Pastor Bryan believe Paul was right in this dispute?

36. It is encouraging to know that Paul and Barnabas weren't what?

37. It's encouraging to know that Paul and Barnabas didn't hold what?

38. Who does Paul see as useful to him for service in ministry at the end of his life?

39. Who had a significant ministry in John Mark's life?

40. The rupture of Acts 15 and God bringing good out of it is a beautiful illustration of what verse?

## God did not give you His Word to make you a smarter sinner. He gave you His Word to make you more like His Son. Apply what you learn!

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?

»→ How can I accomplish this change?

»> What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

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## WHEN FRIENDS PART WAYS Acts 15:36-41

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "When Friends Part Ways." All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. Have you ever experienced a fracture in a friendship?

2. One of the things that is so amazing about the word of God is its what?

## 3. Fill in the blanks:

- a. Genesis 9 tells about \_\_\_\_\_ drunkenness.
- b. Genesis 12 tells about Abram's
- c. Genesis 16 tells about Abram's
- d. Genesis 20 tells about another of Abram's

- g. Genesis 31 tells about Rachel's \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_h. Genesis 38 tells about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ incest and Tamar's \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

prostitution.

i. Numbers 20 tells about Moses' sin of \_\_\_\_\_

the rock when God told him to speak to it.

j. Judges tells about \_\_\_\_\_ lust and sexual immorality.

k. 2 Samuel tells about King David's adultery and

4. God doesn't gloss over the what?

5. Acts 15 records a rift between what two of the most godly men of the first century?

6. God used Paul and Barnabas to bring about unity between whom?

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