- 12. Paul wanted to make sure that the Jewish believers didn't see Christianity as a what?
- 13. What was Paul taking back to Jerusalem with him to bring to the Jewish believers there?
- 14. Paul was also traveling with several what?
- 15. The early church met on what day?
- 16. The early believers began the practice of meeting on the first day of the week to celebrate what?
- 17. Sunday has NOT become the new what?
- 18. The observance of the Sabbath was a mere shadow that has been dispersed by the what?
- 19. Paul gave instruction regarding giving by telling people to give on what day?
- 20. Does it matter on what day of the week we meet for worship?
- 21. What should be our priority as Christians (as it relates to meeting)?
- 22. What should we NOT forsake?
- 23. The reason we come together is to do what?
- 24. The early church shared a "potluck" meal known as the what?
- 25. Who would eat together in the early church's agape feasts?
- 26. Do you sacrifice for the work of Christ? Do you sacrifice for the good of the body of Christ?
- 27. Even though Paul preached until midnight, Luke doesn't record anyone doing what?

- 28. Eutychus means what?
- 29. It seems that Eutychus was about what age?
- 30. Luke makes sure to note that Eutychus was what?
- 31. Luke wants to make it clear that Paul did what?
- 32. Where do we find the "signs of the apostles"?
- 33. Why does Luke not seem to be making a bigger deal out of this miracle?
- 34. How did Paul travel from Troas to Assos?
- 35. What would a host do as a gesture of hospitality?
- 36. Paul was utterly what?
- 37. The spiritual leader who is always available isn't what?
- 38. How many days were there between Passover and Pentecost?
- 39. Paul had already taken 16 days in traveling so he decided to not stop where?
- 40. Paul taking a boat that didn't stop in Ephesus is an example of his what in his ministry?
- 41. Why did Paul do what he did as stated in Acts 20:17?
- 42. Paul knew it wasn't wrong to be strategic in how one does what?
- 43. One reason why the Spirit of God took the time and space to put this section into the Word is what?

44. What are some things that characterized Paul that we could learn from and follow his example in?

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?

For Next Time:

- 1. Read Romans 1 through one time this week.
- 2. Read Romans 1:18-32, through 3 times.
- 3. What is the beginning of the gospel?

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STRATEGIC, SELFLESS MINISTRY Acts 20:7-16

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "Strategic, Selfless Ministry." 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. What is one of the most fascinating topics to consider?
- 2. Jesus was very what in His ministry?
- 3. There are many people who would say that is it unloving not to be what?
- 4. Jesus was selfless in His ministry, and, at the same time, He was what?
- 5. What did Jesus exhibit in His ministry?
- 6. One of the things that makes it difficult for us is that we are not what?
- 7. We are all naturally what?
- 8. When we come to Acts 20:7-16, Paul is on which of his journeys?
- 9. How many years had he spent in Ephesus ministering and teaching?
- 10. Paul is on his way to where?
- 11. Paul wants to be in Jerusalem in time to celebrate what?

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