- 40. What event did Josephus report about which is also talked about in verse 28?
- 41. The Gentile church decided to help out what group?
- 42. What is the New Testament pattern for giving to the Lord's work?
- 43. Our giving is to be done in proportion to what?
- 44. What group has the responsibility of the oversight of everything in the life and ministry of the church?
- 45. The elders may choose to transfer some responsibility and authority to what other group in the church?
- 46. Our love for Christ ought to be expressed in what ways?
- 47. Do you tell other people that you are a Christian or can they see it simply by the way you live life?

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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First Called Christians Acts 11:19-30

Series #6

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon: "First Called Christians." All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

- 1. The man who Dr. Ironside interacted with assumed that he was a Christian because he was a what?
- 2. The text we study in this sermon is the first place in the Bible where what term is used?
- 3. Up until Acts 11, the headquarters for Christianity was where?
- 4. What church becomes the central church for the latter half of the first century?
- 5. The church in Antioch became the home-base church for the beginning of what?
- 6. The group in Acts 8 were scattered and they preached the gospel to whom?
- 7. The word "Grecians" is a synonym for what?
- 8. Grecians/Hellenists were what?
- 9. It is probable that in Acts 11:20 Luke is referring not to Greek speaking Jews, but to whom?
- 10. Verse 20 says that the believers preached what?
- 11. We do talk about the Messiahship of Jesus but since most of our ministry is to Gentiles, the emphasis is on what?

12. God wants us to proclaim what? 27. Barnabas was a good and kind man. He was also what? 13. One day, everyone will confess what? 28. What shows the humility of Barnabas? 14. In Hebrew, the word "hand" is also the word for what? 29. Why did Barnabas choose to get Saul to help him? 15. True believing means doing what? 30. The priority of the first Gentile church was what? 16. You haven't really believed in the Lord if you haven't done what? 31. How do we know that the church in Antioch took Saul and 17. In Acts 8 the church had sent Peter and John to check on what? Barnabas' teaching seriously? 18. In Acts 11, who does the church send to check on things? 32. If you were arrested for being a Christian, would there be enough evidence to convict you? 19. What was the real name for Barnabas? 33. Paul tells us in Romans 2 that because of the way the Jews acted, the name of God was what? 20. The name "Barnabas" means what? 34. God's reputation is connected with whom? 21. How do you see the grace of God? 35. How do you do as a representative of Christ? 22. Does it make you glad to see God's grace at work in people's lives? 36. The name "Christian" means what? Does your character match 23. How did you do on the 3 question guiz that Pastor Bryan gave? the name of "Christian"? 24. Barnabas encouraged the believers that with purpose of heart they 37. The believers in Antioch didn't go around announcing that they should do what? were what? 25. We know that God began a good work in us and He will complete it 38. What did the believers do that showed they were followers of and we know it is very important to encourage people to do what? Christ? 26. If you want to pattern your life after someone, Pastor Bryan 39. What group, before passing off the scene, were foundational to suggests who? the church?