

The End of the Beginning

Acts 28:17-31
(series #100)

Intro: Luke's purpose to show the growth of the church
- Acts 6:7, 8:4, 9:31, 12:24, 16:5, 19:20, 28:30-31

Paul's introduction to the Jewish leaders vv. 17-22

He called them together v. 17

He told them the accusations couldn't be proven v.
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He told them he was forced to appeal to Caesar v.
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He told them what the real issue was v. 20

They said they hadn't been informed about him v.
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They said they desired to hear from him v. 22

Paul's ministry to the Jewish leaders vv. 23-29

He instructed them and sought to persuade them v.
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Some were convinced, others were not v. 24

Paul gave them a serious warning vv. 25-27
Isaiah 6:9-10

John 12:37-40

Paul turned to the Gentiles v. 28

Paul's ministry to the city of Rome vv. 30-31

Concluding application: faithfully serve the Lord in all

circumstances!