

12. We tend to think that the title “Son of God” places Jesus just slightly where?
13. What is the obvious answer to the questions of John 5:16-17?
14. Who could you never convince that Jesus never claimed to be equal with God?
15. When you compare what Jesus said in John 8:54-58 with Exodus 3:14, you would see that this is clearly a claim of what?
16. In John 10:22-30 Jesus made a direct claim of what?
17. If our lives have been changed by Christ, then the first place it ought to show up is where?
18. Why did Saul not get puffed up with pride about the change in his life?
19. The word “proving” (v. 22) literally means what?
20. Can you use the Bible to support what you believe?
21. Did Saul/Paul ever get complacent?
22. How much time is being referred to by Paul’s words “many days”?
23. During the 2-3 years, where did Saul go?
24. What did Saul already have by the time we get to Acts 9:23-25?
25. How did the disciples react to Paul when he arrived at Jerusalem and tried to associate with them?
26. When Saul came to Damascus as a saved man, he needed the friendship of whom?
27. As a saved man in Jerusalem, he needs the friendship of whom?
28. Barnabas’ real name was what?
29. The name “Barnabas” means what?
30. Do you have the “gift” of discouragement or are you an encourager?
31. If you want someone to pattern your life after, Pastor Bryan suggests whom?
32. Though once he was trying to destroy it, Saul is now (when we come to verse 28), trying to build what?
33. Who was the last guy to take on the Hellenists in Jerusalem?
34. Saul was viewed as a what by the Hellenists?
35. Saul thought that because of his unusual testimony he would have a great impact in what city?
36. When we get to Acts 9:31, why did the church have peace?
37. When Saul left town what happened to the turmoil?
38. Oftentimes, the times of ease cause us to be what?
39. Which comes first: Edification or Multiplication?
40. The church had peace and nothing to fear so they walked in what?
41. Acts 5 shows us that there is a healthy kind of what?
42. What is the beginning of wisdom?
43. There is a healthy kind of fear that serves as a deterrent to those who are what?
44. Do you take God and sin seriously?

45. Are you lazy and complacent because of times of ease?

46. Like Saul's focus, is your focus on what really matters?

***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 Acts 9, three times this week.
2. Read Acts 1-8 one time and note all the things that Peter did?
3. What is meant by the phrase, "the signs of an apostle"?
4. Do you think the spiritual gifts of tongues, interpretation of tongues, healing, and miracles have passed off the scene? Why or why not?

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## SAUL INCREASED IN STRENGTH

### Acts 9:10-19

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "**Saul Increased In Strength.**" 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. For a couple of weeks now we have been considering the transformation of whom?
2. Saul was on his way to persecute Christians in what city when the Lord struck him down and made him see the light?
3. The light that Saul saw was so bright that it did what to Saul?
4. What did Saul know inside and out?
5. Saul went beyond preaching Jesus as the Messiah to preaching Jesus as whom?
6. What title is an incarnational term emphasizing the second member of the trinity?
7. Jesus is the "Son of God" in the sense that He took on human flesh and did what?
8. In the Eastern mind-set the term "son" was often used to refer to any man in the what?
9. What is an illustration of question #8?
10. Most of the time when the word "son" is used in the Bible it communicates the idea of what?
11. The phrase "Son of Man" communicates the idea of what?

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