

ANSWERS ON THE QUESTIONS OF ACTS CHAPTER 26

1. How did Paul consider himself in regard to all things of which he was accused by the Jews?
Fortunate.
2. For what hope was Paul being accused by Jews according to his defense?
For the hope that God does raise the dead.
3. What things had Paul done which were hostile to the name of Jesus of Nazareth?
Not only did he lock up many of the saints in prisons, having received authority from his chief priests, but also when they were being put to death he cast his vote against them. And as he punished them often in all the synagogues, he tried to force them to blaspheme; and being furiously enraged at them, he kept persuading them even to foreign cities.
4. What did Paul see on the way to Damascus?
A light from heaven, brighter than the sun, shining all around him and those who were journeying with him.
5. What did the risen Jesus say to Paul in the Hebrew dialect?
“Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting Me? It is hard for you to kick against the goads.”
6. What is Jesus His purpose in opening the eyes of the Jewish people and the Gentiles?
So that they may turn from darkness to light and from the dominion of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who have been sanctified by faith in Him
7. What message kept Paul declaring to Jews and Gentiles?
That they should repent and turn to God, performing deeds appropriate to repentance.
8. According to Festus, what was Paul’s great learning doing?
It was driving Paul mad.
9. How did Paul answer Festus?
That he was not out of mind, but that he uttered words of sober truth.
10. What was Paul’s wish to God?
That whether in a short or long time, not only Agrippa, but also all who heard him that day, might become such as he was, except for his chains.