

# The Children's Bible WordShop

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## J.O.P. The Second Journey Of Paul Lesson 11

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A tongue twister for you  
Betty bought butter but the  
Butter was bitter so betty bought  
Better butter to make the bitter  
Butter better  
How fast can you say this one

## THE SECOND JOURNEY OF PAUL LESSON 11

### Those Noble Bereans!

P1 Today we follow Paul and Silas as they are forced to leave Thessalonica and go on to Berea and Athens. Berea is famous to us because many “dispensational” churches are called or have the word “Berean” in its name. We will see the reason for this in verse 11 below.

P2 Acts 17:10 And the brethren immediately sent away Paul and Silas by night unto Berea: who coming thither went into the synagogue of the Jews. Paul and Silas upon entering the city of Berea go straight to the place where they can find religious and lost people.

P3 Acts 17:11 These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so. This verse is the reason why we call ourselves “Bereans”. A Berean is a special kind of believer. A Berean believes all of the Bible not just the parts they like. A Berean is noble which means they have a high moral character because they believe the Bible. A Berean searches the scriptures daily. A Berean checks out what preachers say according to the scriptures. You can be very glad that you are in a church that rightly divides the word of truth.

P4 Acts 17:12 Therefore many of them believed; also of honourable women which were Greeks, and of men, not a few. Because they believed what Paul was saying about the Lord Jesus Christ many of them were saved. Paul only told them what the Bible said, then the Berean’s checked it out. When they compared what Paul said with the word of God they saw that Paul was telling the truth. The truth always leads to salvation.

P5 Acts 17:13 But when the Jews of Thessalonica had knowledge that the word of God was preached of Paul at Berea, they came thither also, and stirred up the people. The evil Jewish leaders that lived in Thessalonica heard that Paul and Silas was preaching the word of God in Berea. They did not want the people there to get saved so they sent evil men to Berea to stir up trouble against Paul and Silas.

P6 It seems that everywhere that Paul goes he gets into trouble for preaching the word of God rightly divided. Remember that when we rightly divide the word of truth we give to Israel what belongs to Israel and we give to the Gentiles what belongs to the Gentiles. We can be very glad and happy that we live in a country where we can preach the word of God without getting into too much trouble.

P7 There are many, many countries where people are still being put into jail and

many are killed for doing just what Paul was doing! These people are called "missionaries". Do you know the names of the missionaries that your church supports? If you do write their names on the lines below.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

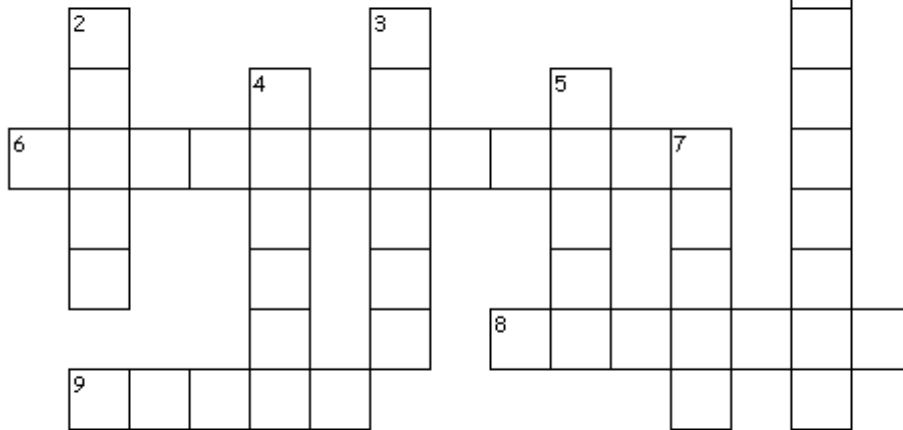
P8 Pray for your missionaries and write them letters and emails. They need to know that we are still thinking about them while they are out in foreign countries putting their lives on the line to preach. Grace missionaries preach in great danger what we preach with very little danger.

P9 Acts 17:14 And then immediately the brethren sent away Paul to go as it were to the sea: but Silas and Timotheus abode there still. The evil Jewish leaders got the people in Berea (the lost people) so mad at Paul that he was forced to leave. Silas and Timothy were able to stay for awhile but they soon joined Paul again in the city of Athens.

More next week....

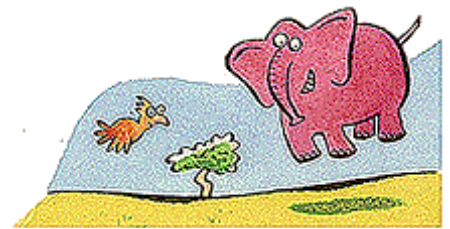
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- 6. we should pray for our P8
- 8. we call ourselves this P3
- 9. Paul went here after leaving Thess. P2



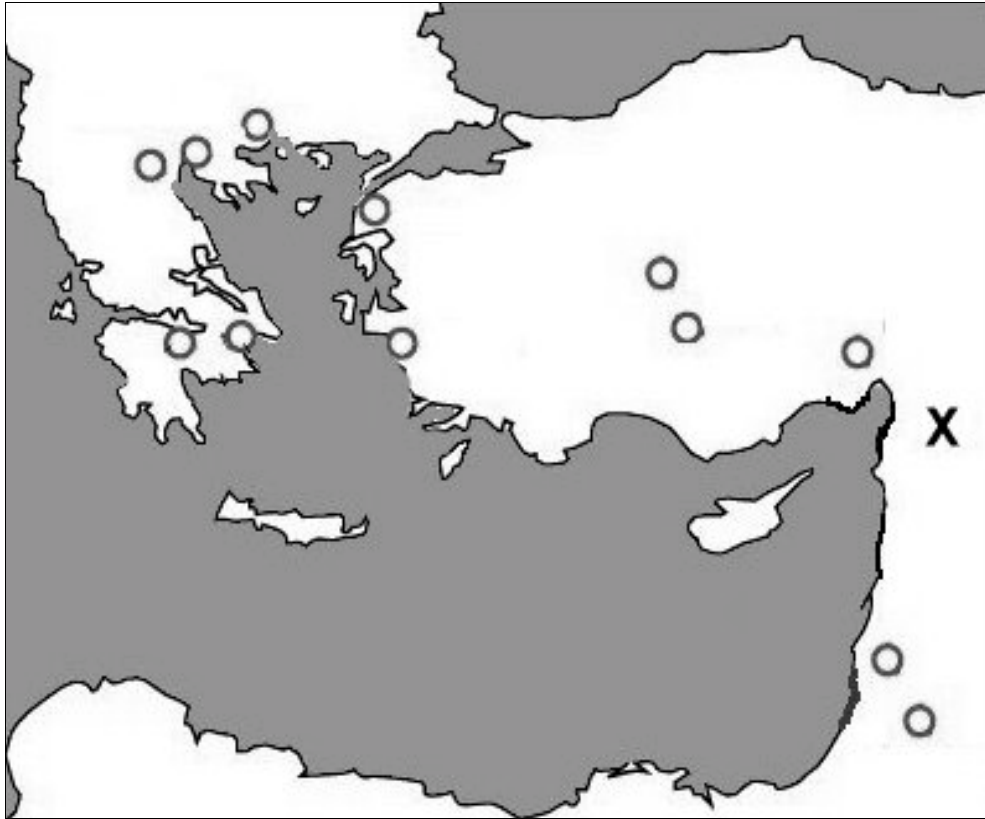
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- 1. Paul was forced to leave this city P1
- 2. a Berean searches the scriptures P3
- 3. missionaries preach in great P8
- 4. rightly \_\_\_\_\_ the word of truth
- 5. a Berean believes all of the P3
- 7. when Paul preached in Berea many people were P4



**Q** How do you make an elephant float?

Put him  
In a tub  
And add  
Root  
beer



**Start** At X And Draw  
A Line From The  
Names Below To The  
Circles On The Map.

1. Antioch Syria
2. Tarsus
3. Derbe
4. Lystra
5. Troas
6. Philippi
7. Thessalonica
8. Berea
9. Corinth
10. Athens
11. Ephesus
12. Caesarea
13. Jerusalem
14. Antioch Syria

Draw A Missionary Picture

