



Acts – The Church on Fire

What things make or help Christians and God's Church to be on fire for Him?

Chapter Twenty Six

Verse(s)

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| 1 - 3 | <p>1. A Christian on Fire shouldn't be afraid to share the gospel with anyone, no matter what place they are at in society. For Paul to speak to King Agrippa was a good thing if even it was under bad circumstances. It actually made him happy. He knew it was a chance to witness for Christ again and as the fulfillment of what he was told in Acts 9: 15. He was also pleased that someone who understood Jewish traditions would finally be hearing him as well.</p> |
| 4 - 5 | <p>2. A Christian on Fire should be able to give clear conscience account of their life. They should not be afraid to share their history/testimony. Even if they have done things in the past that were not godly and they know that with Christ they have turned their life around to a godly life, then it should not bother them to give an account. It is a chance to witness.</p> |
| 6 - 7 | <p>3. A Christian on Fire makes the most of every opportunity to share about what God has promised and done for us. .</p> |
| 8 | <p>4. A Christian on Fire should know his audience and his beliefs. Paul used King Agrippa's belief in an all-powerful God to try and persuade him that it was possible that God was able to raise Jesus from the dead. Paul centers his witnessing on the most important part of Jesus work on Earth, the Resurrection.</p> |
| 9 - 11 | <p>5. A Christian on Fire should be honest about what they have done wrong in their walk. They should be accountable for their actions. .</p> |
| 12 - 15 | <p>6. A Christian on Fire should be able to tell their testimony as a witnessing tool. It isn't always necessary to memorize lots of scripture and then explain it all to witness to someone. Many times it is just as effective to just tell what God has done for you and then explain the simple story of the gospel.</p> |
| 16 - 17 | <p>7. A Christian on Fire should know their purpose(s). God has given each one of us a purpose in life. All of us have several of the same basic purposes. One we are all called to be witnesses in word and action for Christ to those who do not know Him yet. Two we are called to bring glory to God. Beyond that each of us have ministries and missions we have been called to fulfilled that might be different from others that we know. God has given us each unique gifts to use for Him.</p> |
| 18 | <p>8. A Christian on Fire should have the driving desire to see others escape sin, darkness and God's judgment. A Christian on Fire should want to share the grace and mercy they have been given with others. There is more than enough grace and inheritance to go around. God loves everyone and we should have that same love.</p> |
| 19 - 20 | <p>9. A Christian on Fire should be able to say that they have done what God has called them to do. They should be able to say that they have done their best to be faithful to God and witness to those who need Him in their lives. They should be able to say that they have taught others accurately the Word of God and His ways.</p> |
| 21 - 23 | <p>10. A Christian on Fire will recognize that God is the one that takes care of them in no matter what situation they face and they should glorify God publically for God's intervention in their lives.</p> |
| 24 - 29 | <p>11. A Christian on Fire cannot expect that everyone they witness to will just readily accept what they have shared. Not everyone will receive Christ. Many will think we are crazy because of the things which we believe in. The Devil has blinded them to the truth. Like Paul we should not give up and keep sharing with others and desiring that all should come to know Christ.</p> |
| 30 - 32 | <p>12. A Christian on Fire may have done nothing wrong, but still may have to face on going trials in their lives. Even though those listening to Paul saw he had done nothing wrong, due process needed to be carried out. As Christians God expects us to obey the laws of the land, unless it contradicts God's laws.</p> |