

# An Introduction to the Book of Acts

## Lesson 4

### Purpose of Introductory Comments

- We accept the Bible claims re: Inspiration
- How do you prove Bible inspiration?
- Note: Our faith is based on evidence!
- No Christian should hesitate to examine the evidence concerning the legitimacy of scripture
- The effort of men to deny the legitimacy of scripture is incredible.
- If men are spending so much time trying to destroy our confidence in scripture, we must be able to meet their false teaching and refute it.
- Finally, the book of Acts is extremely important. The restoration movement is built upon the book of Acts. We must know what kind of foundation upon which our faith rests.

*"If the Bible can be proved to be true in all points where it can be tested, then who can say it is false in the points where it cannot be tested. And it has been shown to be true where it can be tested. It claims to be inspired. This we cannot test. But we believe it, because the Book is true in all the places where it can be tested."*  
(Reese, pg. xxxviii).

### Introductory Considerations

- Title of the Book
- Purpose of the Book's writing
- Author of the Book
- Trustworthiness of the Book
- Language of the Book
- Date of Writing
- Integrity of the Book
- Characteristics of the Book

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