

## **“The God We Can Know” Acts 17**

### **Paul and the Ministry of the Word**

- **Ministry in Thessalonica**  
(Acts 17:1-6; 1 Thessalonians 1:6-8; 2 Thessalonians 1:4)
- **Ministry in Berea**  
(Acts 17:10-13; Romans 10:17)
- **Ministry in Athens**  
(Acts 17:16-18)

### **The Unknown Made Known**

(Acts 17:22-23; John 1:14, 16-18)

### **Four Truths About God**

1. **God is \_\_\_\_\_.**  
(Acts 17:24; Genesis 1:1; Psalms 24:1)
2. **God is \_\_\_\_\_.**  
(Acts 17:25; Matthew 5:45; James 1:17)
3. **God is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.**  
(Acts 17:26-29; John 1:1-4, 12; 17:3)
4. **God is \_\_\_\_\_; He is Savior and \_\_\_\_\_.**  
(John 3:16; Romans 1:18-20; 6:23)

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### **Acts 17**

1. Read **Acts 17**. How did God speak to you through the sermon? What challenges did you take away from the sermon?
2. What were the different responses that Paul and his team received on their journeys? How should we prepare for different ways that people may respond to our witness? What was the difference between the Thessalonians and the Bereans? How does the Spirit and the Word work to reveal God?
3. What is the cultural philosophy of our world today? How does Paul’s reasoning with the people of Athens resonate with our own culture of lostness and brokenness? What are the truths about God that must be shared? Which of the “arguments” do you believe would impact those in your sphere of influence?
4. How does your journey of faith, personal relationship, and the truth of God’s Word work together in “persuading” others to come to Christ? As we think about the power of the Gospel, the work of God, and our obedience, why can we have confidence when we proclaim Christ?

Share any insights from your S.O.A.P. Bible reading this week; discuss any challenges that people may be having. Encourage one another in the journey.

### **Who’s your Neighbor? “As we go!”**

Who are you praying for this year that God would impact with His love and that He would use you as a faithful witness? Pray for an opportunity to share your story.

### **Prayer**

Pray that God will reveal Himself to you and give you a desire to seek Him.

Pray that God would manifest His presence, power, protection, and provision in your life today.