

Ascension

Bible Text: Acts chapter 1.

Define these words:

Passion -

Ascension -

Witnesses -

Memory Verse

Acts 1:11b - "This same Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven." NKJV

Questions

In **Chapter 1** Jesus gathers the apostles and tells them to stay at Jerusalem until they receive power from the Holy Spirit. Jesus ascends into heaven. The apostles gather with other brethren and a man is chosen to take Judas' place.

1. How many days was Jesus alive on Earth after his resurrection?

What did he do during those days? (Acts 1:1-3)

2. Jesus commanded the apostles to stay at _____. He said "for John truly _____ with water, but you shall be _____ with the _____ not many days from now." (Acts 1:4-5 NKJV)

3. What would the power from the Holy Spirit allow the apostles to do? (Acts 1:8)

4. Where was the ascension? (Acts 1:9-12)

5. Luke 24:44-53 tells the same story as Acts 1:4-12. Two passages like this are called **parallel** passages. Read the passage in Luke. Jesus opened the apostles' minds to understand the scriptures (old testament prophecies). Name two things that he helped them understand.

(Luke 24:45-47)

6. What indication do we have that the apostles needed help understanding? (Acts 1:6)

7. What does "Akeldama" or "Hakeldama" mean? (Acts 1:19)

What happened there?

8. What were the "job qualifications" that Peter set for the man who would become an apostle to replace Judas? (Acts 1:21-22)

9. Who was chosen to replace Judas as an apostle?

10. How was he chosen?