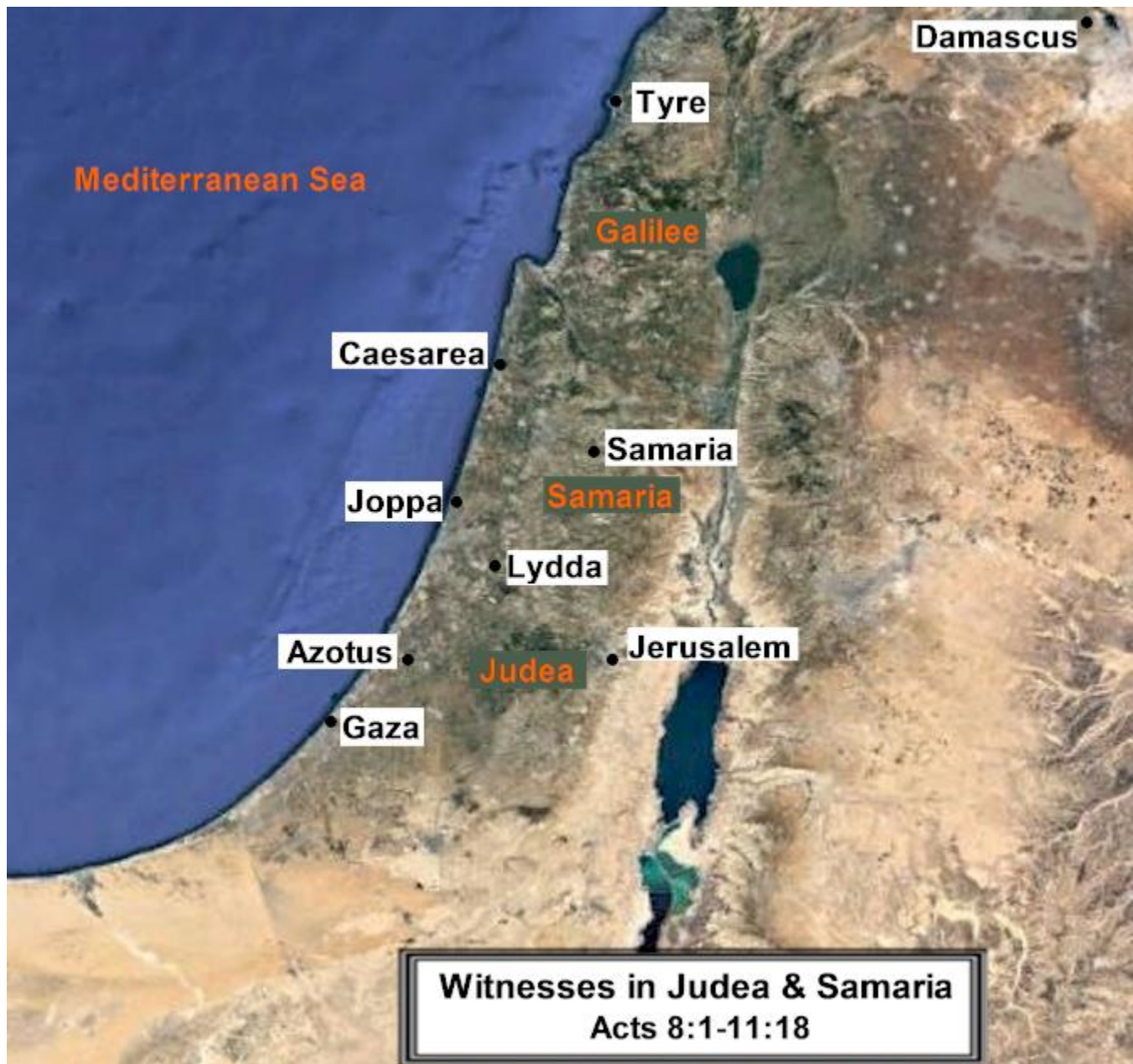


19 – THE DISCIPLESHIP OF SAUL (9:20-31)



I. Saul's Spiritual Growth (9:20-22)

A. Saul preaches Jesus (9:20)

- After Saul's conversion, he began to _____ in the synagogues of Damascus.
- Saul proclaimed that _____.

B. The amazement of the crowd (9:21)

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- Those who heard Saul were amazed at his message since he _____.

C. Saul matures spiritually (9:22)

- The writer tells his readers that Saul's preaching increased in _____.
- The Jews in Damascus were baffled and confounded by _____.

II. The Plot to Kill Saul (9:23-25)

A. The plot emerges (9:23)

- After a period of time, the Jews plotted to _____.

B. The plot exposed (9:24)

- Saul becomes aware of their plot to _____.
- The Jews watched the gates of the city, day and night, for _____.

C. Saul's escape (9:25)

- The disciples in Damascus helped Saul to _____.

III. Saul in Jerusalem (9:26-30)

A. Rejected in Jerusalem (9:26)

- Saul came to Jerusalem and attempted to _____.
- However, the Christians in Jerusalem did not believe that _____.

B. Saul before the Apostles (9:27)

- Barnabas took Saul and _____ before the Apostles.
- Saul told them about _____.

C. Saul's acceptance in Jerusalem (9:28)

- Saul freely joined with believers in Jerusalem as he _____.

D. Another plot against Saul (9:29)

- Saul boldly preached about Jesus as he _____.

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- The Hellenists attempted to _____.

E. Saul's escape from Jerusalem (9:30)

- When the believers discovered the plot, they helped Saul to _____.

IV. The Impact (9:31)

- The churches at this time were _____.
- The church grew as the believers walked in _____.