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## THE INFLUENCE OF GOD'S WORD IN TWELVE CASES OF CONVERSION IN *THE BOOK OF ACTS* -- LESSON 1

1. **\*The Three Thousand** “*Now when they heard this*” (Acts 2:37-38)
2. **\*The Five Thousand** “*many of them which heard the word believed*” (Acts 4:4)
3. **\*The Samaritans** “*But when they believed Philip preaching*” (Acts 8:12)
4. **\*Simon The Sorcerer** “*Then Simon himself believed also*” (Acts 8:13)
5. **\*The Eunuch** “*and preached unto him Jesus*” (Acts 8:35-38)
6. **\*Saul Of Tarsus** “*it shall be told thee of all things*” (Acts 22:10)
7. **\*Cornelius** “*Who shall tell thee words*” (Acts 11:14)
8. **\*Lydia** “*heard us.....attended unto the things which were spoken*” (Acts 16:14)
9. **The Jailer** “*they spake unto him the word of the Lord*” (Acts 16:32)
10. **The Corinthians** “*hearing believed, and were baptized*” (Acts 18:8)
11. **The Bereans** “*many of them believed*” (Acts 17:12)
12. **The Twelve** “*When they heard this, they were baptized*” (Acts 19:5)

### ALL NEW TESTAMENT CONVERSIONS WERE PRODUCED BY THE WORD OF GOD

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1. **The Very First Conversion – In Jerusalem** In (Acts 2) the Scriptures state: (V37) “*Now when they \_\_\_\_\_, they were \_\_\_\_\_ in their heart.*” These Jews had just heard the very first gospel sermon. Remember: The *gospel* is the *good news* of Jesus. They asked, “*Men and brethren, \_\_\_\_\_?*” Were they interested? \_\_\_\_\_ Did they want to know more? \_\_\_\_\_ They were told *what* to do (V38): “*\_\_\_\_\_, and be \_\_\_\_\_ every one of you in the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus Christ for the \_\_\_\_\_ of sins.*” Repentance is a change of attitude. Is this all they were told to do? \_\_\_\_\_ What else? \_\_\_\_\_ Why? \_\_\_\_\_ What does remission mean? \_\_\_\_\_ How many obeyed (V41)? \_\_\_\_\_ How did they learn what to do to be saved? \_\_\_\_\_
2. **The Sermon On Solomon’s Porch -- Conversion Of The 5,000** About 5,000 (4:4) did what? \_\_\_\_\_ Believed what? \_\_\_\_\_ The sermon begins in (3:12) and in (3:19) we read, “*\_\_\_\_\_ ye therefore, and be \_\_\_\_\_, that your sins may be \_\_\_\_\_, when the times of refreshing shall come from the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Lord.*” They believed (4:4) and obeyed. How did they learn what to do to be saved? \_\_\_\_\_