



# Records of the Great Commission

**Matt. 28:19-20**

**Mark 16:15-20**

**Luke 24:47-48**

**John 20:21-23**



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# The Book of Acts is a Book of Conversions

- An inspired commentary on the commission
- Fulfillment of prophecy (i.e. Isaiah 2)
- More teaching on conversion in this book than any other book
- It tells us:
  - ✓ *Actual cases*
  - ✓ *Type of people (common, high rank)*
  - ✓ *Numbers (single conversion or thousands)*
  - ✓ *What they were taught & what they did*

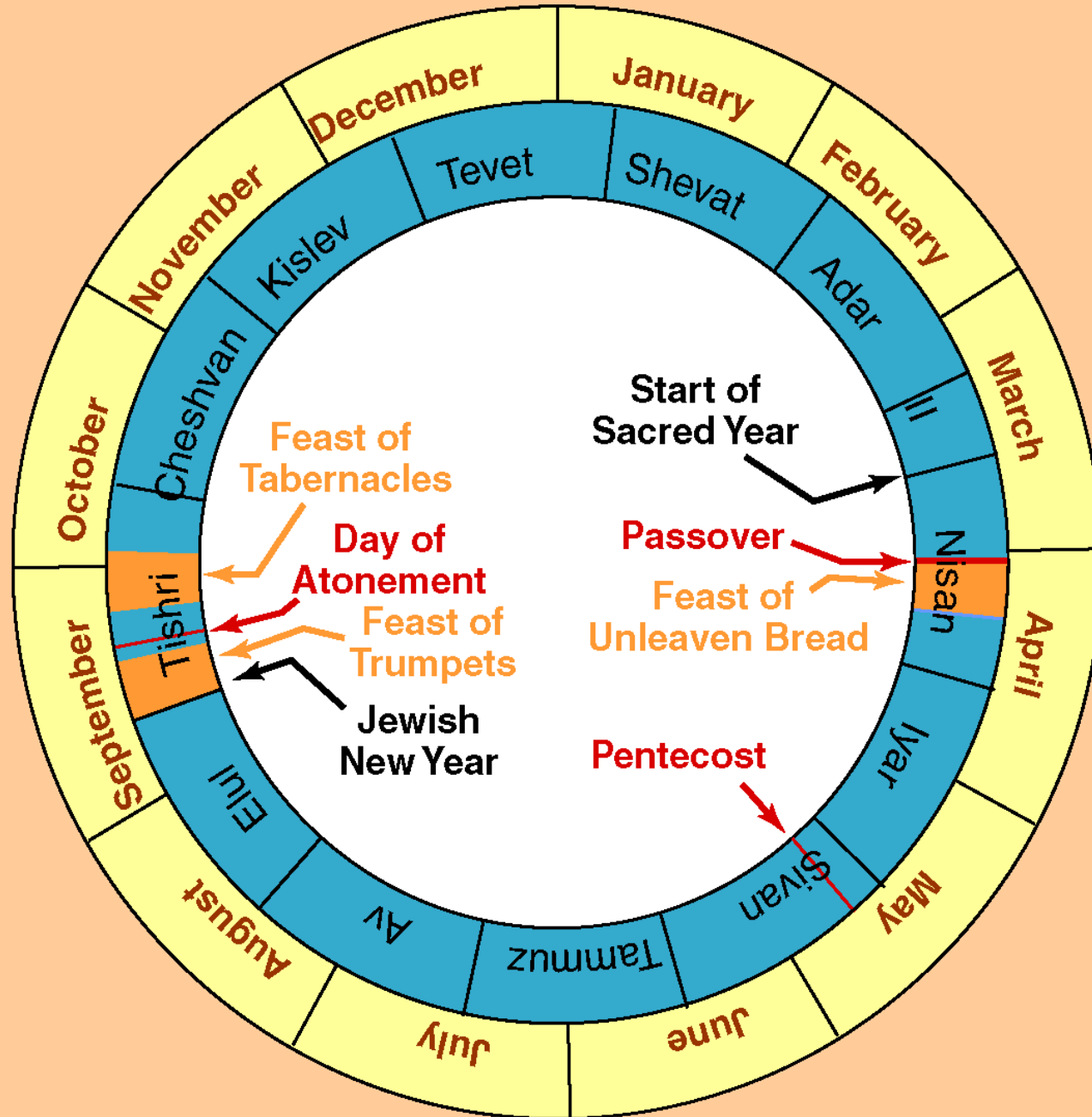
# Conversion of the 3,000 (Acts 2)

- Up till now – preached only in promise – now it is fact!
- Called “The beginning” (Acts 11:15)
- Called the “hub of the Bible”

# Pentecost

- ❖ One of three annual Jewish festivals
- ❖ Observed on the 50<sup>th</sup> day (7 weeks) from Paschal Feast [*7 Sabbaths + 1 day = 1<sup>st</sup> day*]
- ❖ Called "Feast of Harvest" (Exo. 23:16), "Feast of Weeks" (Num. 28:16; Lev. 23:17)
- ❖ Fell in 3<sup>rd</sup> month (Sivan) = our late May

# Jewish Calendar



# Conversion of the 3,000 (Acts 2)

## I. The Account (Acts 2)

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The Beginning  
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And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting.

3 Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of fire, and one sat upon each of them.

4 And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

The Crowd Response

5 Now there were diverse Jews, dwelling in Jerusalem, gathered from every nation under heaven.

6 And when this sound occurred, the multitude gathered together, and were confused because everyone heard them speak in his own language.

7 Then they were all amazed and marveled, saying to one another, "Look, are not all these who speak Galileans?"

8 "And how is it that we hear each in our own language in which we were born?"

9 "Parthians and Medes and Elamites, these dwelling in Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia,

10 "Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya adjoining Cyrene, visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, 11 "Cretans and Arabs." We hear them speaking in our own tongues the wonderful works of God."

12 So they were all amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "Whatever could this mean?"

by the prophet Joel:

17 "And it shall come to pass in the last days," says God, "that I will pour out of My Spirit on all flesh. Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your young men shall see

21 And whoever calls on the name of the LORD shall be saved."

Men of Israel, Jesus of Nazareth, a Man attested by God to you by miracles, signs and wonders which God wrought through Him in your midst, as you yourselves also know—

23 "I am, being delivered by the determined counsel and foreknowledge of God, you have taken by lawless hands, have crucified, and put to death;

24 "whom God raised up, having loosed the pains of death, because it was not possible that He should be held by it.

29 "Men and brethren, let me speak freely to you of the patriarch David, that he is both dead and buried, and his tomb is with us to this day.

30 "Therefore, being a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him that of the fruit of his body, according to the flesh, He would raise up the Christ to sit on his throne,

31 "he, foreseeing this, spoke concerning the resurrection of the Christ, that His soul was not left in Hades, nor did His flesh see corruption.

32 "This Jesus God has raised up, of which we are all witnesses.

33 "Therefore being exalted to the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, He poured out this which you now see and hear.

34 "For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he says himself:

"The LORD said to my Lord, 'Sit at My right hand, Till I make Your enemies Your footstool.'"

36 "Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly that God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ."

37 Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the

Acts 1:8, 3, 15

32 (Acts 5: 31) (Heb. 10:12)

(John 14: 20) (Acts 2: 1-11, 17; 10: 45) (Possibility by

34 \*Ps. 68:18, 110:1

37 \*Luke 3: 10, 12, 14

38 \*Luke 24: 47 (forgiveness

39 \*Joel 2:28, 32 \*Eph. 2: 13

40 I crooked

41 INU omits gladly

42 \*Acts 1:14 (teaching

43 \*Acts 2:22

44 \*Acts 6:32, 34, 37; 5:2

45 \*1a, 50:7 (would sell distributed

46 \*Acts 1:14 (Luke 24:53 (Acts 2:42, 20:7

47 \*Acts 5:14 (INU omits to the church

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1 \*Acts 2:46

2 \*Ps. 55:17, Matt. 27:45, Acts 10:30

3 \*Acts 14:8 (John 9:8, Acts 3:10 (Beg

A Vital Church Grows

40 And with many other words he testified and exhorted them, saying, "Be saved from this perverse generation."

41 Then those who gladly received his word were baptized; and that day about three thousand souls were added to them.

42 "And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers.

43 Then fear came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles.

44 Now all who believed were together, and had all things in common,

45 and sold their possessions and goods, and divided them among all, as anyone had need.

46 "So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart, 47 praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved.

A Lame Man Healed

3 Now Peter and John went up together to the temple at the hour of prayer, the ninth hour.

2 "And a certain man lame from his mother's womb was carried, whom they laid daily at the gate of the temple which is called Beautiful, to ask alms from those who entered the temple;

B. Jews Praisel  
From David  
22-36

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15:30-34  
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III. Response  
of Multitude  
37-41

Concluded by what  
they heard of Felix

Added to the  
Ch. 37-40

B. 1-2 = 502  
37-41 = 904/7

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B. Study Rev  
Wink + Oswald  
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IV. Continued  
Abiding One  
42-47

A. Activity - 42  
B. Social - 42  
C. Worship - 42  
D. Fear - 43  
E. Took care  
of people - 44  
F. Shared Daily  
G. Good - 47

Healing of Lame Man  
3:5-10  
on Church

12-16

I. Healing  
Lame Man

A. Lame  
6:1-10  
From  
6:10

# Acts 2

## "The Beginning"

I. The Reception Of The Holy Spirit (vv. 1-13)

II. Peter's Sermon (vv. 14-36)

III. Response Of The Multitude (vv. 37-41)

IV. The Disciples Continued In The Apostles Doctrine (vv. 42-47)



# I. The Reception Of The Holy Spirit (vv. 1-13)

*A. The apostles receive the Spirit and speak in tongues (vv. 1-4)*

*B. The multitude is amazed (vv. 5-13)*

**The Audience:**

**In Sin**

**Think they are okay**

**Have some knowledge**

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Your old men shall dream dreams.  
18 And on My menservants and on My maidservants  
I will pour out My Spirit in those days;  
And they shall prophesy.  
19 I will show wonders in heaven above  
And signs in the earth beneath:  
Blood and fire and vapor of smoke.  
20 The sun shall be turned into darkness,  
And the moon into blood,  
Before the coming of the great and awesome day of the LORD.  
21 And it shall come to pass  
That whoever calls on the name of the LORD  
Shall be saved.'

Revelation

Confirmation

Salvation

## II. Peter's Sermon (vv. 14-36)

A. *Explanation of the events* (vv. 14-21)

B. *Jesus is raised from the dead* (vv. 22-36)

1. The one you crucified is raised (vv. 22-24)

2. David prophesied of this (vv. 25-31)

3. He is now exalted as both Lord & Christ (vv. 32-36)

What they heard:  
Conviction of sin  
Evidence of Res. of Christ

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### III. Response Of The Multitude (vv. 37-41)

#### A. *They asked what to do* (vv. 37-40)

1. The question (v. 37)

2. The answer (vv. 38-40)

a. Repent & be baptized for rem. (vv. 38-39)

b. Save yourself (v. 40)

#### B. *They gladly received word & obeyed* (v. 41)

What they were told:

Repent

Be Baptized

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- A. Followed apostles authority (v. 42)
- B. Were steadfast (v. 42)
- C. Worshiped (v. 42)
- D. Feared (v. 43)
- E. Took care of needy (vv. 44-45)
- F. Served daily (v. 46)
- G. Grew (v. 47)

**What did they become?**

*Active Christians  
Worshiped, Dedicated, Active*

# Conversion of the 3,000 (Acts 2)

## I. The Account (Acts 2)

## II. The Summary

# Summary of Their Conversion



**What Were They Told?**

They were in sin  
Jesus was raised from dead  
Must Repent & Be Baptized

**What Did They Understand?**

That they needed to be saved  
That Jesus is Son of God  
That they must repent & be baptized

**How Did They Respond?**

Gladly, willingly obeyed

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