

Chapter 21 (1 - 14)

Our sea voyage took us to the city of Caesarea. A prophet there took Paul's belt and used it to tie up his own feet and hands, as a sign of what would happen to Paul in Jerusalem

Everyone implored Paul not to go to Jerusalem. Paul replied "I am ready not only to be tied up, but even to die in Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus".

And so we packed up and headed for Jerusalem.
Jesus, please give me a bit of Paul's courage

Chapter 21 (15 -40)

In Jerusalem Paul gave a report to James and other Christian leaders of all that God had done for non-Jews through his ministry.

But Paul was soon seen by Jews from where he had traveled. He was dragged out of the Temple and beaten by a wild crowd.

The beating was stopped by a Roman captain who had Paul bound with chains.

The crowd was calling out for Paul to be killed. Paul asked for permission to speak to the crowd and the captain agreed. Paul then spoke to the crowd in Hebrew.

Jesus, please protect Christians
who live in dangerous places