Traditionally, Paul is said to have made three missionary journeys, plus a fourth journey to Rome as a prisoner. We follow this arrangement of Paul's journeys, in our four lessons.

The four journeys are...

1st missionary journey
(Acts 13:4 to 15:35)  
Starts and ends in Syrian Antioch

2nd missionary journey
(Acts 15:36 to 18:22)  
Starts and ends in Syrian Antioch.  
(This pamphlet)

3rd missionary journey
Start Syrian Antioch, end Jerusalem

Journey to Rome
Starts from Jerusalem, ends in Rome.

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Paul's Journeys (2)

By Ron Graham

This is our second study on the journeys of Paul. We look at Paul's second missionary journey (Acts 15:36 to 18:22).

The Journey Begins

On the first journey, Barnabas had been Paul's main companion. On this second missionary journey, he chooses Silas for that role.

Paul and Barnabas had intended to go together, but they disagreed about taking John Mark with them. John had quit the first missionary journey early (Acts 13:13) apparently to Paul's great displeasure.

To resolve the matter, Barnabas took John Mark with him and they sailed to Cyprus, while Paul took Silas with him, and they travelled by land. Paul and Silas went through Syria and on to Cilicia as the first stage of their journey (Acts 15:36-41).

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