# Acts 24 Before Felix

### I. Paul Accused Before Felix (vv. 1-9)

- A. Tertullus commends Felix (vv. 1-4).
- B. Tertullus states the charges against Paul (vv. 5-6).
  - 1. A plague (v. 5).
  - 2. A creator of dissension (v. 5).
  - 3. A ringleader of the sect of the Nazarenes (v. 5).
  - 4. He tried to profane the temple (v. 6).
- C. Tertullus states that Lysias sent Paul to Felix so that he could determine the accusations (vv. 7-8).
- D. The Jews agreed with the charges (v. 9).

### II. Paul's Defense Before Felix (vv. 10-21)

- A. They can't prove their accusations (vv. 11-13).
- B. I serve God according to the Way that is called a sect (vv. 14-15).
  - 1. I believe the law and the prophets (v. 14).
  - 2. I have hope of a resurrection (v. 15).
- C. I always strive to have a clear conscience (v.16).
- D. Where are the witnesses (vv. 17-20)?
- E. The reason I am questioned is the resurrection of the dead (v. 21).

### III. Felix Dismissed (Deferred) The Proceedings (vv. 22-23)

- A. Felix said that he would decide when Lysias comes (v. 22a).
- B. He commanded that Paul be given liberty (v. 23).

### IV. Paul Preaches To Felix (vv. 24-25)

- A. Paul's message (vv. 24-25a).
- B. Felix's response (v. 25b).

## V. How Felix Treated Paul (vv. 26-27)

- A. Sent for and conversed with Paul often (v. 26).
- B. Left Paul bound for two years (v. 27).

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