

PAUL'S SECOND MISSIONARY JOURNEY
c2500 MILES – 2½ YEARS. c AD 49-52
ACTS – 15: 36 – 18: 22

Scripture Ref.	Place	What happened
ACTS – 15:35-40	Antioch	Dispute between Paul and Barnabas over John Mark – while Barnabas takes John Mark with him to Cyprus. Silas goes with Paul to →
ACTS – 15: 41	Syria and Cilicia (Turkey)	Paul re-visits the regions of Syria and Cilicia strengthening the Churches. They proceed to →
ACTS – 16:1-5	Derbe Lystra	Timothy joins Paul and Silas – the churches are strengthened and increase in number. They pass through the regions of →
ACTS 16:6-8	Phrygia and Galatia*	The Holy Spirit forbids them to preach in Asia, so they proceed through Mysia. They try to go into Bithynia, but are stopped by the Holy Spirit. They proceed to →
ACTS 16: 11 **	Troas (Western Turkey)	In a vision, Paul sees a man of Macedonia pleading with him to come and help them. They sail to Samothrace near to Neapolis; next day proceed to →
ACTS 16:13-40	Phillipi *	Lydia is converted, Paul and Silas imprisoned because a devil possessed girl is healed. The jailor is converted . An earthquake shakes the prison, releasing the prisoners – the magistrates implore Paul and Silas to leave Phillipi when they find out that they are Roman citizens. They pass though →
ACTS – 17:1-9	Amphipolis, Apolonia – to Thessalonica *	Paul and Silas reason with the Jews in the synagogue; they are persecuted by the Jews, they flee by night to →
ACTS 17:10-14	Berea	Fair-minded Jews in the synagogue search the Scriptures daily, receive the word readily from Paul and Barnabas; Jews from Thessalonica stir up trouble. Silas, Timothy & Luke stay, Paul travels to →
ACTS 17:15-34	Athens	While he waits for Timothy and Silas, Paul disputes with the Jews in the synagogue and in the marketplace. He proclaims Christ to learned men on Mars hill (the Areopagus) – there are conversions. Paul departs to →
ACTS – 18:1-18	Corinth *	Paul stays with a Christian couple – Priscilla & Aquila – all tent makers. Paul is joined by Timothy and Silas. Crispus, the chief ruler is converted. They stay 18 months, then travel to →
ACTS 18:19-21	Ephesus *	Paul preaches in the synagogue. He cannot stay, as he has to go to the Feast in Jerusalem. Sails to →
ACTS 18:22	Caesarea – in Syria	Paul greets the Church in Jerusalem and returns to Antioch in Syria.

* Letters (epistles) were written by Paul to the Christians in these places.

** Commentators suggest that Luke joined Paul and Silas at Troas: verse 11 uses the word “we’ for the first time.