

1. Our great need today is for members who will respond to the part of the gospel which is for them, as they want the alien sinner to respond to the part of the gospel which is for him.
2. The question is: HOW DO YOU HEAR THE GOSPEL?
SOME EXAMPLES:
 1. Men were cut to the heart and took counsel to slay the preachers. Acts 5:33-38,39
 2. Men not only cut to the heart. They slew the preacher. Acts 7:54
 3. Not only withstood preacher. They sought to turn men aside from the truth. Acts 13:8
 4. Saw the multitudes, they were filled with envy. Spoke against those things which were spoken by Paul, contradicting and blaspheming. Acts 13:45
 5. Some would idolize the preacher. Acts 14:18
 1. Those same people when stirred up by the Jews from Antioch and Iconium stoned Paul. 14:19
 2. Some can be greatly stirred up by some preacher from without.
6. 6. Still others heard and were baptized the same hour of the night. Acts 16:32,33
7. Three classes of hearers at Athens. Acts 17:32-34
 1. Some mocked.
 2. Others would hear more.
 3. Still others accepted the gospel then.
8. Cut to the heart they asked, "WHAT SHALL WE DO?"
Acts 2:37,38

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