

The Power of Your Story

(How You Came to Believe in Jesus)

Acts 21: 37 – 22: 21

I. What does your Testimony do?

- It declares that you are committed to Jesus Christ!
- It declares that you are a believer in Jesus and all He has said!
- It declares you before God / others / all of Hell.

II. What are the key elements of your story?

1. Jesus is the key element
2. Who and what you were before you met Jesus (vs 3-6)
3. How you came to meet Jesus (vs 7-11)
4. Who and what you are now that you know Jesus (Paul's life declared who he was now)

III. Why is your (Story) testimony so important?

1. It is my Devil Repellent!

Acts 21: 37 - 22: 1

and

Revelation 12: 11

“Testimony” – 3141 – a word that denotes Martyrdom

2. It is a witnessing Gun
3. It is a mountain of encouragement, to others as well as to yourself
4. It is a glorifying element to God and His transformation power
5. It is the channel by which God has Chosen to use to empower you, and transform others!

Acts 22: 1 Paul is the greatest example!