

ANCCI UNIVERSITY
BS 206.ACTS OF THE APOSTLE

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RATIONALE

In one sense Acts is the most important book in the New Testaments in that apart from what we deduce from the letters of Paul, Acts is the only book which gives us information about the early Church. In addition the book shows the disciple's obedience of Jesus command in the Great Commission. Mark 16:15-17, Matt. 28:16-20 and the fulfillment of Jesus Great Promise Acts 1:8

OBJECTIVE

To show how the disciples obeyed Jesus command to “go and make the disciples of **All Nations**” and how Jesus fulfilled the Great promised. “You will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria and to the end of the earth

STRATEGY

The course will cover the following topics

1. Christ parting instruction (1:1-11}
2. Church in Jerusalem(1:12-8:1)
3. Expansion in Palestine (8:2-12:25)
4. Paul's first missionary journey (13:1-14:28)
5. The Council at Jerusalem (15:1-35)
6. Paul's second missionary journey (15:36-18:22)
7. Paul in Jerusalem and Caesarea (20:1-26:32)
8. Paul mission in Rome (27:1- 28:31)

TEXT BOOK

New International Version of The Holy Bible

Barclay,William. The Acts of the Apostles. Philadelphia. The west Minister Press,1976

Adeyemo, Tokunboh. African Bible commentary. Nairobi, 2007

Term paper

Using both the primary and secondary sources discuss how the Luke proves that the disciple obeyed Jesus command: “Go and make the disciples of All nations” and how the Lord fulfilled the Great Promise in Acts1:8. In 10-12 page double spaced undergraduate 20-25 graduate show how the following themes reoccur throughout the book of Acts: Holy Spirit, power, signs and wonders, God's presence, witness, multiply, joy and how the Gospel spread from Jerusalem to the end of the earth.