

## Lessons & Observations from Acts 23

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1. How tragic that man conspires against man.
2. Intervene in order to help others. Become involved.
3. The Lord still stand with and by His people.
4. Even “distinguish” gatherings can end up in dissension.
5. We need to live “in all good conscience” but the conscience needs to be trained properly.
6. Proper authority deserves proper respect.
7. There will be a resurrection.
8. Lying and deceit have no proper place among humanity.
9. Protect that and those for which you are responsible.
10. Sometimes men think they are doing the right thing when in fact they are doing wrong.
11. Even “religious” people sometimes do illegal things.
12. Assuming someone to be guilty does not mean they actually are guilty.
13. As Christians, we are to represent Christ.
14. A divided meeting will not reach a consensus while in a divided state,
15. God will help us when we are under fire for our faith.
16. To some, business, politics and position have become more important than God.
17. As was true in Paul’s day, remains so today, namely, God is still in control of things.
18. You people can do a lot of good for God.
19. Give children the importance that God gives them.
20. Our ways are limited, God’s way are not.
21. Be as safe as you can in the Lord’s work so that you may continue to do the Lord’s work.
22. Conspiring to do harm to others is wrong.
23. Lying to government officials, or anyone else, is wrong.
24. Do what is right is more important that doing what others may want you to do.
25. Religious people should never be co-conspirators to aid evil.
26. Promptness is so important, especially in the Lord’s work.
27. Promises of God do not take away our responsibility to act.

