

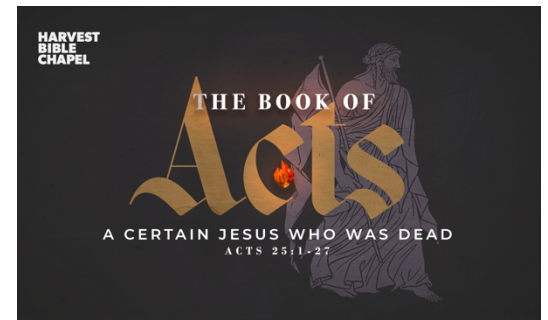
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Life Group Questions / January 11, 2026

## The Book of Acts

### 64 – A Certain Jesus Who Was Dead

#### Acts 25:1-27



1. In your experience, would you say that people you know would still acknowledge the basics of the Christian faith (Jesus lived and died and his followers believe he rose from the dead) even if they don't believe or live the Christian life?
2. Would you say that your life motto is, "For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain" (Philippians 1:21)? That is to say, "While I'm here, I'm full out for Jesus. If he calls me home, all the better." If not, what could change that?
3. Think about that quote from slain missionary, Jim Elliot, "He is no fool who gives what he cannot keep to gain what he cannot lose." Build a list of things that we value but, in the end, cannot keep. Why do we value temporal things so much? What can we, as Christians, do about that to show we're serious about eternal things?
4. Review the nine points under "Talking about Jesus with unbelievers." Review the available resources and what's available on our website and YouTube channel.

#### Talking about Jesus with unbelievers...

1. Pray for opportunities to come your way;
2. Offer to meet to talk;
3. Listen to their story;
4. Tell your own story of coming to Christ;
5. Have key Scriptures ready to share the gospel;
6. Use resources when stumped by a question;
7. Point them to our website, YouTube channel;
8. Invite them to join you for a service;
9. Be courageous to ask them to express faith in Christ.

#### Resources:

Could God be the Answer?

[www.trygod.ca](http://www.trygod.ca)

#### All Resources:

<https://www.harvestbible.ca/resources/>

#### Christianity Explored:

<https://harvestbarrie.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/3372481>

#### Harvest YouTube Channel

<https://www.youtube.com/@HarvestBibleChapelBarrie>

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**What do I know about Jesus?**

**...that he lived? (v. 19a)**

[Jesus Christ] certainly existed, as virtually every competent scholar of antiquity, Christian or non-Christian, agrees, based on certain and clear evidence.

- Bart Ehrman

**...that he died? (v. 19b)**

**...that he rose from the grave? (v. 19c)**

**...and that he's worth...**

**...living for? (v. 1-10, 11b-18)**

Hebrews 4:15

John 1:14

Philippians 1:21

**...dying for? (v. 11a)**

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**...and talking about? (v. 20-27)**

1 Peter 3:15

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