

# *The Gospel in Action!*

## *Studies in the Acts of the Apostles*

### *Lesson 12a*

**December 20, 2015**

#### **Chapter Twelve**

- Date of the events in this chapter: \_\_\_\_\_
- Who do we read about in this chapter? \_\_\_\_\_
- Where do these events take place? \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Herod Persecutes – Acts 12:1-5**

1. What did Herod stretch out his hand to do? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Herod \_\_\_\_\_ James the brother of John with the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. What was the reaction of the Jews to Herod's actions? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Why did Herod seize Peter? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What time of year was it on the Jewish calendar? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Peter was arrested and who guarded him? \_\_\_\_\_
7. THINK! Why was Herod waiting until after the Passover to bring Peter before the people? \_\_\_\_\_
8. The church offered constant \_\_\_\_\_ for Peter.



## Peter is Released – Acts 12:6-11

1. Describe how secure Peter was in prison on this particular night. \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. An Angel appears in prison:
  - a. A \_\_\_\_\_ shone.
  - b. He \_\_\_\_\_ Peter on the side.
  - c. He said “ \_\_\_\_\_ !”
  - d. The \_\_\_\_\_ fell off Peter.
  - e. He told Peter, “ \_\_\_\_\_ yourself and tie on your \_\_\_\_\_.”  
and “Put on your \_\_\_\_\_ and follow \_\_\_\_\_.”
  - f. Peter thought all this was a \_\_\_\_\_.
  - g. The walked past the first and second \_\_\_\_\_.
  - h. The iron gate of the city \_\_\_\_\_ on its own.
3. Peter realized that the Lord had send His \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Who was Peter delivered from? \_\_\_\_\_