

KJV **1 Corinthians 15:18** Then they
also which are fallen asleep in
Christ are **perished**.

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Last time ...



• KJV **1 Corinthians 15:9,10** For I am the least of the apostles, that am not meet to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. ¹⁰ But by the grace of God I am what I am: and his grace which *was bestowed* upon me was not in vain; but I laboured more abundantly than they all: **yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me.**

Antecedent of
“they”

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“I” or “they”

- KJV **1 Corinthians 15:11** Therefore whether *it were I or they, so we preach, and so ye believed.*
- TBT **1 Corinthians 15:11** εἴτε οὖν **ἐγώ**, εἴτε **ἐκεῖνοι**, οὕτω κηρύσσομεν, καὶ οὕτως ἐπιστεύσατε.

Tense! οὕτω κηρύσσομεν, καὶ οὕτως
ἐπιστεύσατε

So we go on preaching
So ye believed

HOLD the PHONE man!!!

Mid-Acts
Assumption



HOLD the PHONE man!!!

- The Corinthians heard a message that was “common”
- Peter
 - The 12
 - > 500
- James
 - All the apostles
 - Paul (Last and Least, Trauma)



I or they

“Common Salvation”

- ^{KJV} **Jude 1:3** Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of **the common salvation**, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort *you* that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints.
- ^{TBT} **Jude 1:3** Ἀγαπητοί, πᾶσαν σπουδὴν ποιούμενος γράφειν ὑμῖν περὶ **τῆς κοινῆς σωτηρίας**, ἀνάγκην ἔσχον γράψαι ὑμῖν, παρακαλῶν ἐπαγωνίζεσθαι τῇ ᾧπαξ παραδοθείσῃ τοῖς ἁγίοις πίστει.

Without Acts 28 R/D error is easily promoted

- KJV 1 Timothy 4:3 Forbidding to marry, and commanding to abstain from meats, which God hath created to be received with thanksgiving of them which believe and know the truth. (1Ti 4:3 KJV)



Objection

- ^{KJV} **1 Thessalonians 2:16** Forbidding us to speak to the Gentiles that they might be saved, to fill up their sins alway: **for the wrath is come upon them to the uttermost.**
- ^{TBT} **1 Thessalonians 2:16** κωλυόντων ἡμᾶς τοῖς ἔθνεσι λαλῆσαι ἵνα σωθῶσιν, εἰς τὸ ἀναπληρῶσαι αὐτῶν τὰς ἀμαρτίας πάντοτε· **ἔφθασε δὲ ἐπ' αὐτοὺς ἡ ὀργὴ εἰς τέλος.**

Sins filled up, wrath come to the end



When does the wrath come?

- KJV **1 Thessalonians 1:10** And **to wait** for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, *even* Jesus, **which delivered us from the wrath to come.**
- TBT **1 Thessalonians 1:10** καὶ **ἀναμένειν** τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν, ὃν ἤγειρεν ἐκ νεκρῶν, Ἰησοῦν, **τὸν ῥυόμενον ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τῆς ὀργῆς τῆς ἐρχομένης.**

ANSWER

- 1 Thess. 5:1-10
- 2 Thess. 1:4-10 (The point was that Trumpets was still future)
- **Their sins were FULL** – wrath had come to the end BUT the Feast of Trumpets was still future



This is the Corinthian context also

- ^{KJV} **1 Corinthians 15:23** But every man in his own order: Christ the firstfruits; afterward they that are Christ's at his **coming**.
- ^{TBT} **1 Corinthians 15:23** ἕκαστος δὲ ἐν τῷ ἰδίῳ τάγματι· ἀπαρχὴ Χριστός, ἔπειτα οἱ Χριστοῦ ἐν τῇ **παρουσίᾳ** αὐτοῦ.

“coming”

ἔπειτα οἱ Χριστοῦ ἐν τῇ
παρουσίᾳ αὐτοῦ. (1Co
15:23 TBT)

- Matt. 24:3, 27, 37, 39
- 1 Co. 15:23
- 1 Co. 16:17
- 2 Co. 7:6-7
- 2 Co. 10:10
- Phil. 1:26
- Phil. 2:12

Paul's
coming or
presence

- 1 Thess. 2:19
- 1 Thess. 3:13
- 1 Thess. 4:15
- 1 Thess. 5:23
- 2 Thess. 2:1, 8
- 2 Thess. 2:9
- Jas. 5:7-8
- 2 Pet. 1:16
- 2 Pet. 3:4, 12
- 1 Jn. 2:28

Acts witnesses OT hope

- Acts 24:14,17,18
- Acts 25:8
- Acts 26:22-28
- Acts 28:23

Today

Mid-Acts Assumption

**Paul – given “the Mystery” in Acts
Rom-Heb (14 books) – all to this “age”**

Correcting the Mid-Acts Assumption

**Paul NOT given “the Mystery”
In Acts (7 books)
Rom, 1,2Cor, Gal,1,2Thess,Heb**

**Paul given “the Mystery”
Post Acts (7 books)
Eph, Phil, Col, 1,2Tim,Tit, Phile.**

Logic



If then

No Resurrection
of the Dead

Christ not risen

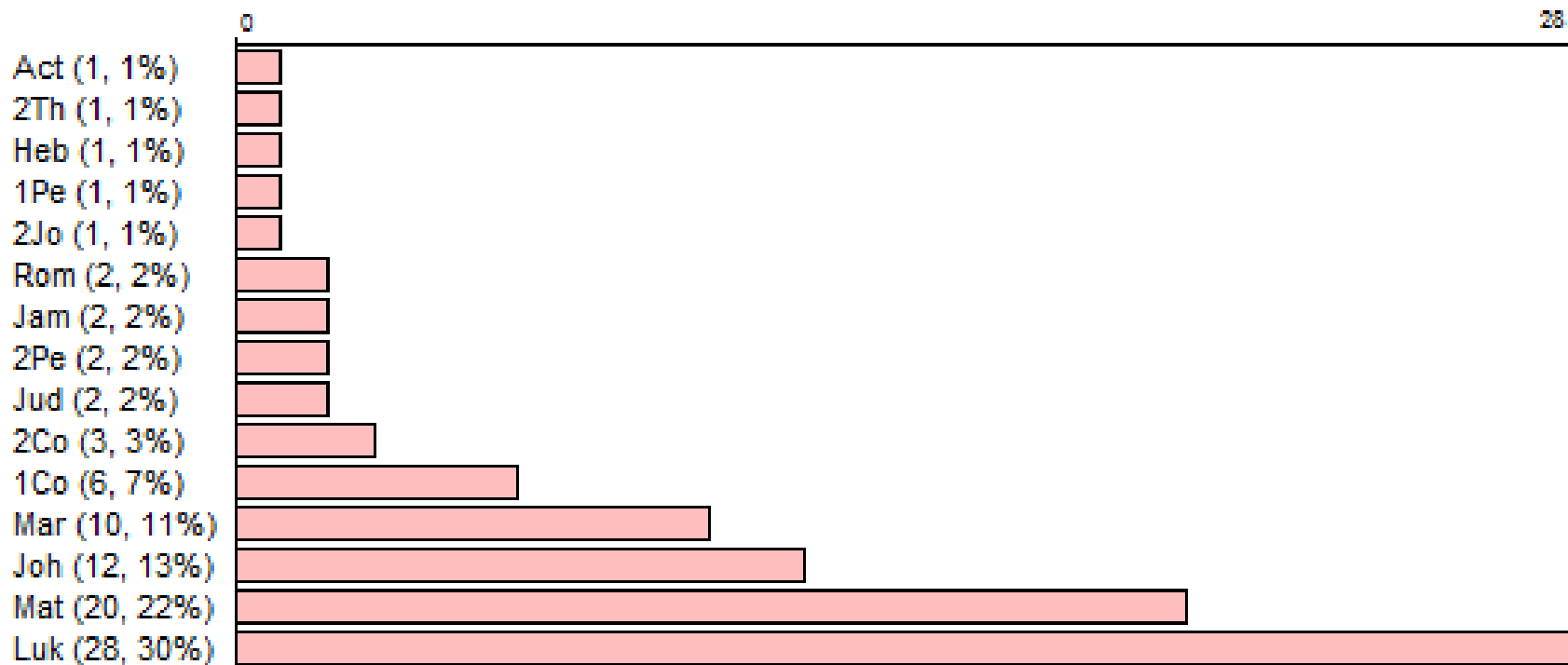
False witnesses

Perished

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- ^{KJV} **1 Corinthians 15:18** Then they also which are fallen asleep in Christ are perished.
- ^{TBT} **1 Corinthians 15:18** ἄρα καὶ οἱ κοιμηθέντες ἐν Χριστῷ ἀπώλοντο.

ἀπώλοντο. (1Co 15:18 TBT)



Perish – what does it mean?

- ^{KJV} **John 3:16** For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not **perish**, but have everlasting life.
- ^{TBT} **John 3:16** Οὕτω γὰρ ἠγάπησεν ὁ Θεὸς τὸν κόσμον, ὥστε τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ τὸν μονογενῆ ἔδωκεν, ἵνα πᾶς ὁ πιστεύων εἰς αὐτὸν μὴ **ἀπόληται**, ἀλλ' ἔχη ζωὴν αἰώνιον.

The seed

- Matt. 13: 24-30, 36-42
- Gen. 3:15
- John 8: 42-44,47