#### **THE CONTINUATION OF THE BOOK OF ACTS 26**

## **ACTS 25:17**

17 Therefore, when they were come hither, without any delay on the morrow I sat on the judgment seat, and commanded the man to be brought forth.

#### **ACTS 25:18**

18 Against whom when the accusers stood up, they brought none accusation of such things as I supposed:

#### **ACTS 25:19**

19 But had certain questions against him of their own superstition, and of one Jesus, which was dead, whom Paul affirmed to be alive.

#### **ACTS 25:20**

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2) the title of the Roman emperors; Augustan, i.e. taking its name from the emperor; a title of honour which used to be given certain legions, or cohorts, or battalions, "for valour"

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# **ACTS 12:21**

21 And upon a set day Herod, arrayed in royal apparel, sat upon his throne, and made an oration unto them.

# **ACTS 12:22**

22 And the people gave a shout, saying, It is the voice of a god, and not of a man.

## **ACTS 12:23**

23 And immediately the angel of the Lord smote him, because he gave not God the glory: and he was eaten of worms, and gave up the ghost.

# **ACTS 12:24**

24 But the word of God grew and multiplied.

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#### **ACTS 25:24**

24 And Festus said, King Agrippa, and all men which are here present with us, ye see this man, about whom all the multitude of the Jews have dealt with me, both at Jerusalem, and also here, crying that he ought not to live any longer.

#### **ACTS 25:25**

25 But when I found that he had committed nothing worthy of death, and that he himself hath appealed to Augustus, I have determined to send him.

#### **ACTS 25:26**

26 Of whom I have no certain thing to write unto my lord. Wherefore I have brought him forth before you, and specially before thee, O king Agrippa, that, after examination had, I might have somewhat to write.

# **ACTS 25:27**

27 For it seemeth to me unreasonable to send a prisoner, and not withal to signify the crimes laid against him.

# **ACTS 26:1**

1 ¶ Then Agrippa said unto Paul, Thou art permitted to speak for thyself. Then Paul stretched forth the hand, and answered for himself:

# **ACTS 26:2**

2 I think myself happy, king Agrippa, because I shall answer for myself this day before thee touching all the things whereof I am accused of the Jews:

# **ACTS 26:3**

3 Especially because I know thee to be expert in all customs and questions which are among the Jews: wherefore I beseech thee to hear me patiently.

#### **ACTS 26:4**

4 My manner of life from my youth, which was at the first among mine own nation at Jerusalem, know all the Jews;

#### **ACTS 26:5**

5 Which knew me from the beginning, if they would testify, that after the most straitest sect of our religion I lived a Pharisee.

#### **ACTS 26:6**

6 And now I stand and am judged for the hope of the promise made of God unto our fathers:

#### **ACTS 26:7**

7 Unto which promise our twelve tribes, instantly serving God day and night, hope to come. For which hope's sake, king Agrippa, I am accused of the Jews.

## **ACTS 26:8**

8 Why should it be thought a thing incredible with you, that God should raise the dead?

## **ACTS 26:9**

9 I verily thought with myself, that I ought to do many things contrary to the name of Jesus of Nazareth.

# **ACTS 26:10**

10 Which thing I also did in Jerusalem: and many of the saints did I shut up in prison, having received authority from the chief priests; and when they were put to death, I gave my voice against them.