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THE DIAMETER OF THE GOSPEL

(Ephesians 4:4-6)

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THE ORIGINAL MESSAGE: THE PREACHED “WORD” IS THE GOSPEL

The gospel _____ - _____ the New Testament.

Synonyms in the book of Acts that all refer to the gospel:

- The word of G_____ (Acts 6:7; 12:24; 19:20)
- The w_____ (Acts 4:4; 10:44; 11:19; 14:25; 16:6; 17:11)
- The word of the L_____ (Acts 8:25; 13:48-49; 15:36; 16:32)
- The word of the Lord J_____ (Acts 19:10)
- The word of his G_____ (Acts 14:3; 20:32)
- The word of the G_____ (Acts 15:7)
- The word of this S_____ (Acts 13:26)

People in the book of Acts respond to the “word” (gospel):

- H_____ (Acts 4:4; 13:7, 44; 19:10)
- B_____ (Acts 4:4; 13:48; 15:7)
- R_____ (Acts 8:14; 17:11)
- B_____ (Acts 2:41)

FINGERS OF FAITH: REMEMBERING THE 7 SUBJECTS OF THE GOSPEL

1. Thumbs Up: I believe Jesus is L_____ (Eph 4:5) (see Acts 2:36; 10:36)
2. Index Finger: I believe there is one G_____: Father, Son, & Spirit (Eph 4:6) (Acts 2:31-33; 10:38)
3. Peace Sign: I believe in the one F_____: the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus (Eph 4:5) (Acts 2:23-24, 31-32; 3:15; 10:39-40; 13:28-33)
4. Ring Finger: I believe in one B_____, the church, the bride of Christ (Eph 4:4) (Acts 2:41)
5. Pinky Finger: I (weak and sinful) believe in the Forgiveness of sins received in B_____ (Eph 4:5) (Acts 2:38; 3:19; 10:43; 13:26, 38; 22:16)
6. Palm Out: I accept the gift of the Holy S_____ (Eph 4:4) (Acts 2:33, 38; 10:38, 44; 13:52; 20:32)
7. Raised Palm: I believe in the H_____ of resurrection and life everlasting (Eph 4:4) (Acts 3:19-21; 10:42; 20:32)

(“Fingers of Faith” developed by Dr. Scott Adair)

Answers: pre-dates; God; Word; Lord; Jesus; Grace; Gospel; Salvation; Hear; Believe; Receive; Baptism; Lord; God; Faith; Body; Baptism; Spirit; Hope