# Paul's Timeline

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<th>PAUL – Dates are approximate</th>
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<td>Birth of Paul (some say 5-15)</td>
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<td>Paul attends School of Gamaliel in Jerusalem</td>
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<td>Beginning of Jesus’ ministry</td>
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<td>Martyrdom of Stephen; Paul’s persecution of the Church; Paul’s conversion</td>
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<td>Rule of Pontius Pilate ends (began in 26)</td>
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<td>Paul preaches in Damascus; Paul withdraws to Arabia; he returns to Damascus and travels to Jerusalem</td>
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<td>Death of Tiberius in 37; Caligula succeeds him</td>
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<td>Paul’s first visit to Jerusalem; stays with Peter 15 days; leaves for Tarsus</td>
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<td>Assassination of Caligula; Claudius becomes Emperor; Herod Agrippa I becomes king of Judea</td>
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<td>Martyrdom of James the disciple; Peter imprisoned; Paul is brought to Antioch, Syria, by Barnabas; believers are first called Christians at Antioch</td>
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<td>Paul’s second visit to Jerusalem with alms; Paul and Barnabas return to Antioch, Syria</td>
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<td>FIRST MISSIONARY JOURNEY: Antioch, Syria, Seleucia, Cyprus: Salamis, Paphos; Perga in Pamphylia; Antioch, Pisidia; Iconium, Lystra, Derbe, Lystra, Iconium, Antioch, Pisidia; throughout Pisidia; Perga, Attalia; Antioch, Syria</td>
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<td>Paul’s 3rd visit to Jerusalem to attend the FIRST CHURCH COUNCIL; Paul’s stay in Antioch with Barnabas; quarrel between Paul and Peter</td>
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<td>SECOND MISSIONARY JOURNEY: Antioch, Syria (Paul and Barnabas separate); Syria and Cilicia; Derbe, Lystra, Phrygia and Galatia; Mysia, Troas, Samothracia, Neapolis, Philippi, Amphipolis, Apollonia, Thessalonica, Berea, Athens, Corinth, Cenchrea, Ephesus, Caesarea; Paul’s 4th visit to Jerusalem; Antioch, Syria</td>
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<td>I Thessalonians written from Corinth</td>
<td>Claudius expels Jews from Rome</td>
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<td>II Thessalonians written from Corinth</td>
<td>Felix becomes procurator of Judea</td>
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<td>Death of Claudius; Nero becomes Roman Emperor</td>
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<td>THIRD MISSIONARY JOURNEY: Antioch, Syria, Galatia, Phrygia, Ephesus (Paul visits Corinth for 2nd time, returns to Ephesus), Troas, Macedonia, Illyricum, Greece; Paul’s 3rd visit to Corinth, Philippi, Troas, Assos, Mitylene, Chios, Samos, Trogyllium(?), Miletus, Coos, Rhodes, Patarra, Tyre, Ptolemais, Caesarea; Paul’s 5th visit to Jerusalem</td>
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<td>I Corinthians written from Ephesus; II Corinthians written from Macedonia; Galatians written from Corinth</td>
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<td>Paul in Caesarea, Maritima (Israel)</td>
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<td>MISSIONARY JOURNEY TO ROME: Caesarea, Sidon, Myra, Cridus, Crete Salmone, Fair Havens (Lasea), (Phenice), under Clauda; Melita, Syracuse, Rhegium, Puteoli, Apii Forum, The Three Taverns, Rome</td>
<td>Festus replaces Felix as procurator</td>
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<td>61-63</td>
<td>Paul’s First Roman Captivity</td>
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<td>James, the half-brother of Jesus is stoned by the Jews near the Temple</td>
<td>Philemon; Colossians; Ephesians</td>
<td>Albinus succeeds Festus as procurator</td>
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<td>63-67</td>
<td>Between First and Second Roman Captivities: Conjectural travels: Philippi, Colossae, Laodicea, Hierapolis, Spain; authentic travels: Ephesus, Macedonia, Crete, Miletus, Ephesus, Troas, Corinth, Nicopolis</td>
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<td>Great fire in Rome followed by persecutions of Roman Christians</td>
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<td>Jewish revolt begins against Rome</td>
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<td>I Timothy written from Macedonia; Titus written from Ephesus</td>
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<td>Paul in prison in Rome; Paul’s execution</td>
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<td>Vespasian becomes Roman Emperor (69-79)</td>
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<td>General Titus lays siege to Jerusalem</td>
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