

Everyday
CHRISTIANITY

ACTS 6-7



Persecution looks differently today, in our culture, than it did 2,000 years ago in Jerusalem.

¹Now in these days when the disciples were increasing in number, a complaint by the Hellenists arose against the Hebrews because their widows were being neglected in the daily distribution.



ACTS 6:1

²...“It is not right that we should give up preaching the word of God to serve tables. ³Therefore, brothers, pick out from among you seven men of good repute, full of the Spirit and of wisdom, whom we will appoint to this duty. ⁴But we will devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word.”



ACTS
6:2-4

⁷And the word of God continued to increase, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests became obedient to the faith.



ACTS 6:7

⁸And Stephen, full of grace and power, was doing great wonders and signs among the people.



ACTS 6:8

⁵¹stiff-necked people,
uncircumcised in heart and ears
⁵⁴enraged, and they ground
their teeth at him.

⁵⁵saw the glory of God, and
Jesus standing at the right hand
of God.

⁵⁸cast him out of the city and
stoned him. And the witnesses
laid down their garments at the
feet of a young man named
Saul.



ACTS 7

1. Christian Service Persuades Better than any Sermon or Debate
2. Christian Service must be Tied to Teaching
3. Greatest Service and Teaching is Accomplished by Everyday Christians