ACTS 1:1-11

#### Luke 4:43

43 But He said to them, "I must preach the kingdom of God to the other cities also, for I was sent for this purpose."



Jesus was an impassioned preacher of what he called the Gospel (Good News) about the Kingdom of God.

#### **Luke 5:1**

5 On one occasion, while the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the <u>word of God</u>, he was standing by the lake of Gennesaret,



Since the Gospel of the Kingdom is the heart and core of everything Jesus said and did, it is natural for those "in the know" to refer to that great saving Gospel message about the Kingdom simply as "the word of God," which means "the message," the Gospel message.

#### Mark 1:14-15

14 Now after John had been taken into custody, Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of God, 15 and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel."



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# Acts 20:24-25

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25 "And now, behold, I know that all of you, among whom I went about preaching the kingdom, will no longer see my face.



# This is the 8 Kingdom text in the book of Acts



#### Acts 1:3

3 To these He also presented Himself alive after His suffering, by many convincing proofs, appearing to them over a period of forty days and speaking of the things concerning the kingdom of God.



#### **Acts 1:6**

6 So when they had come together, they were asking Him, saying, "Lord, is it at this time You are restoring the kingdom to Israel?"



# Acts 8:12

12 But when they believed Philip preaching the good news about the kingdom of God and the name of Jesus Christ, they were being baptized, men and women alike.



#### Acts 14:21-22

21 After they had <u>preached the gospel</u> to that city and had made many disciples, they returned to Lystra and to Iconium and to Antioch, 22 strengthening the souls of the disciples, encouraging them to continue in the faith, and saying, <u>"Through many tribulations we must enter the kingdom of God."</u>



## Acts 19:8

8 And he entered the synagogue and continued speaking out boldly for three months, reasoning and persuading them about the kingdom of God.



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#### Acts 28:23

23 When they had set a day for Paul, they came to him at his lodging in large numbers; and he was explaining to them by solemnly testifying about the kingdom of God and trying to persuade them concerning Jesus, from both the Law of Moses and from the Prophets, from morning until evening.

### Acts 28:31

31 preaching the <u>kingdom of God</u> and teaching concerning the Lord Jesus Christ with all openness, unhindered.

