

**THE FIRST MISSIONARY OUTREACH:
HOW THE GOSPEL SPREAD TO SAMARIA
(ACTS 8:1-25)**

1. The Persecution of Saul

A. Stephen's martyrdom brought about great persecution

(v1b, v3)

B. And this great persecution, Luke says, led to a great

scattering

(v1c)

C. This great scattering resulted in wide-spread

evangelism

(v4)

2. The Preaching of Phillip

(v5-8, v12)

3. The Prayer of the Apostles

(v14-17)

4. The Pretense of Simon

(v9-11, v13, v18-19, v20-23, v24, v25)