

**A Study of the Book of Acts**  
**Link between Christ's life and the life of the Church**  
**Session 22 – Ministry in Caesarea (Part 3)**  
**(Read: Acts 11: 1 – 18)**

1. By what definition is a person a Gentile?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. What is Christianity in the mind of “those that were of the circumcision”?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. When Peter brought the news of Cornelius's conversion back to Jerusalem, the believers were shocked that Peter had eaten with Gentiles. Why?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. Peter explained as clearly and straightforwardly as he could what had happened to him. Outline Peter's explanation by filling in the blanks.  
A \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ came from God. (v. 5)  
A \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ descending from \_\_\_\_\_ to him. (v. 5)  
The Lord \_\_\_\_\_ to him. (v.7 – 8)  
The Lord \_\_\_\_\_ him \_\_\_\_\_ times. (v. 10)  
The \_\_\_\_\_ ascending back into \_\_\_\_\_ (v.10)  
The supernatural timing in the arrival of \_\_\_\_\_ servants. (v. 11)  
The Holy Spirit's \_\_\_\_\_ him to go to the Gentiles (v. 12)  
The \_\_\_\_\_ visit to the Gentile and his instructions to send for \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 13)  
The \_\_\_\_\_ falling on the Gentiles even before he had finished (v. 15)  
The \_\_\_\_\_ fell on the Gentiles just as “on us” (v. 15)  
The \_\_\_\_\_ fell just as the Lord promised (v. 16)  
God \_\_\_\_\_ the Holy Spirit to \_\_\_\_\_ just “as He did to us” (v. 17)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. Everything that happened to Peter in opening the door to the Gentiles was of God, initiated and controlled by God. How many witnesses were there to what happened? (see verse 12)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
6. What is the churches first Magna Charta of Missions? (Read the following verses for the answer. Matthew 22:9, Matthew 28: 19 – 20, Mark 16:15, Luke 9:60, and Luke 24:47.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
7. What lessons can we learn from these verses (1 – 18) for the church today?