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### from $\rightarrow$ to

#### From Affliction to Example

(vv. 6 - 7)

For to you it has been granted for Christ's sake, not only to believe in Him, but also to suffer on His behalf.

**Philippians 1:29** 

God gave you the honor both of believing in Christ and suffering for Christ. Both these things bring glory to Christ.

Philippians 1:29 (ICB)



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(vv. 9b - 10)

...proclaimed to those in Damascus first, and in Jerusalem, and then all the region of Judea, and even to the Gentiles, that they are to repent and turn to God...

Acts 26:20

#### From Idols to the True God

(vv. 9b - 10)

### ...whom heaven must receive until the period of restoration of all things...

Acts 2:21

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## For He must remain in heaven until the time for the final restoration of all things...

Acts 2:21 (NLT)

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