

## Lesson 7 How Christ Converted Saul

Saul was a Jew born in \_\_\_\_\_, a tent maker by trade and he \_\_\_\_\_ at the feet of Gamaliel. He was a Pharisee, a chief \_\_\_\_\_ of the followers of \_\_\_\_\_. Saul persecuted the believers, putting them into \_\_\_\_\_. He asked for the High Priest to write a \_\_\_\_\_ giving him authority to search \_\_\_\_\_ in Damascus for any who believed Jesus.

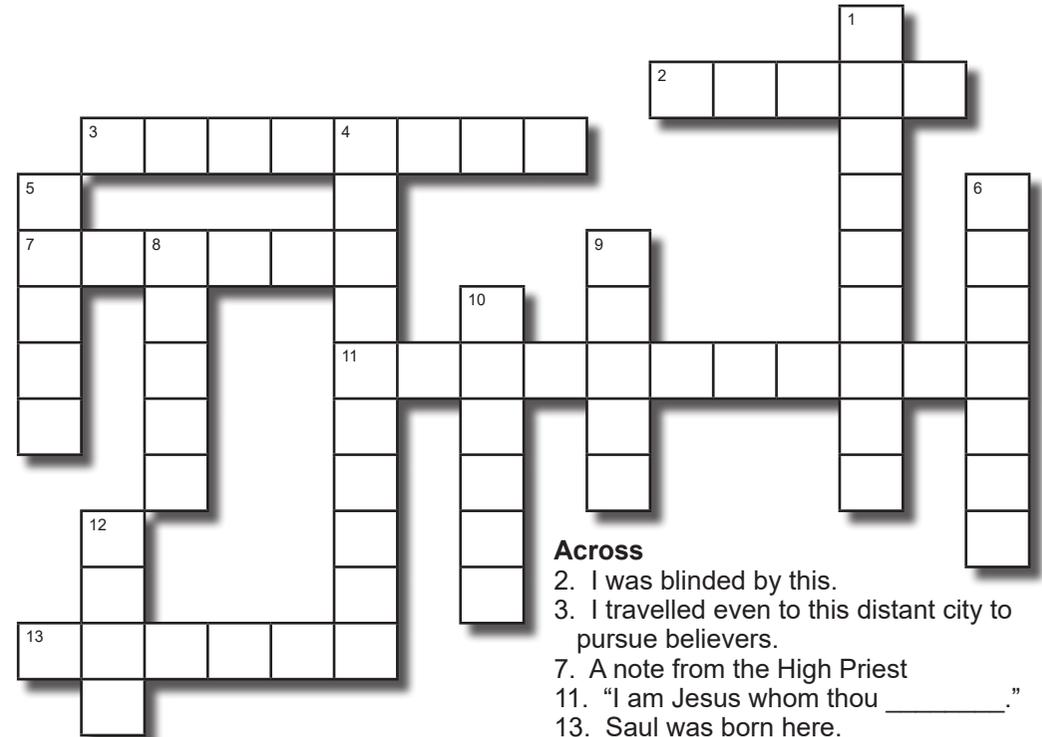
He was very eager to put his \_\_\_\_\_ into action so that he travelled in the \_\_\_\_\_ part of the day towards Damascus. At \_\_\_\_\_, near Damascus a bright \_\_\_\_\_ from heaven shone around him brighter than the \_\_\_\_\_. Saul fell to the ground, \_\_\_\_\_ and afraid.

A voice from heaven spoke "Saul, \_\_\_\_\_, why persecutest thou me?" Saul answered "Who art thou, \_\_\_\_\_." The reply "I am Jesus whom thou \_\_\_\_\_: it is hard for thee to \_\_\_\_\_ against the pricks." Saul replied trembling "Lord, what \_\_\_\_\_ thou have me do?" The Lord told him to \_\_\_\_\_ to Damascus and he would be told what to do.

### WORD LIST

Blinded	Jews	Midday	Studied
Christ	Kick	Persecutest	Sun
Enemy	Letter	Plan	Tarsus
Go	Light	Prison	Wilt
Hottest	Lord	Saul	

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### Across

2. I was blinded by this.
3. I travelled even to this distant city to pursue believers.
7. A note from the High Priest
11. "I am Jesus whom thou \_\_\_\_\_."
13. Saul was born here.

### Down

1. Saul joined a religious group called the \_\_\_\_\_.
4. I studied hard the Holy \_\_\_\_\_.
5. I became this after seeing the brilliant light
6. These were laid at my feet when Stephen was stoned.
8. I was blind for \_\_\_\_\_ days
9. I was so zealous I was an \_\_\_\_\_ of the followers of Christ.
10. I put believers here.
12. A long pole used to prod oxen.



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The people with \_\_\_\_\_ were amazed. They have heard a \_\_\_\_\_, but seen no-one and now Saul was \_\_\_\_\_. They led him into Damascus. Saul stayed for “\_\_\_\_\_ days without sight, and neither did \_\_\_\_\_ nor drink”. The Lord spoke also to Ananias, a \_\_\_\_\_ and told him to go to a street called \_\_\_\_\_ to the house of \_\_\_\_\_ and ask for Saul of Tarsus. He was \_\_\_\_\_, knowing how cruel Saul was, but he \_\_\_\_\_ God and when he met Saul he put his \_\_\_\_\_ on him and he \_\_\_\_\_ sight and was full of the Holy \_\_\_\_\_. Ananias \_\_\_\_\_ him and the brethren realized that Saul had a change of \_\_\_\_\_ and was ready to \_\_\_\_\_ God.

## WORD LIST

Afraid	Eat	Obeded	Spirit
Baptized	Hands	Received	Straight
Blind	Heart	Saul	Three
Disciple	Judas	Serve	Voice

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**Diagonal Crossword**  
Look up each verse from Acts 9 in this exciting story and add the missing words to the grid to find out the hidden phrase in the diagonal boxes.

### Across

- v22 Saul \_\_\_\_\_ the more in strength
- v22 proving that this is very \_\_\_\_\_.
- v23 the Jews \_\_\_\_\_ counsel to kill Saul
- v24 they watched the \_\_\_\_\_.
- v25 let him down in a \_\_\_\_\_.
- v27 but \_\_\_\_\_ took him
- v12 and hath seen in a \_\_\_\_\_.
- v28 coming in and going out at \_\_\_\_\_.
- v29 \_\_\_\_\_ boldly
- v29 and \_\_\_\_\_ against the Grecians.
- v31 then had the ecclesias \_\_\_\_\_
- v31 \_\_\_\_\_ in the fear of the Lord

### Diagonally in the grey squares

Saul (Paul) was called to be a \_\_\_\_\_.



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### WHERE HAVE THE WORDS GONE?

Look up Acts 9:5 in your Bible and 2 other translations. Some words do not appear in the original manuscripts and these have been left out in all reliable translations. Which words have been left out and why?

King James Version.....

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Revised Version.....

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Diaglott .....

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