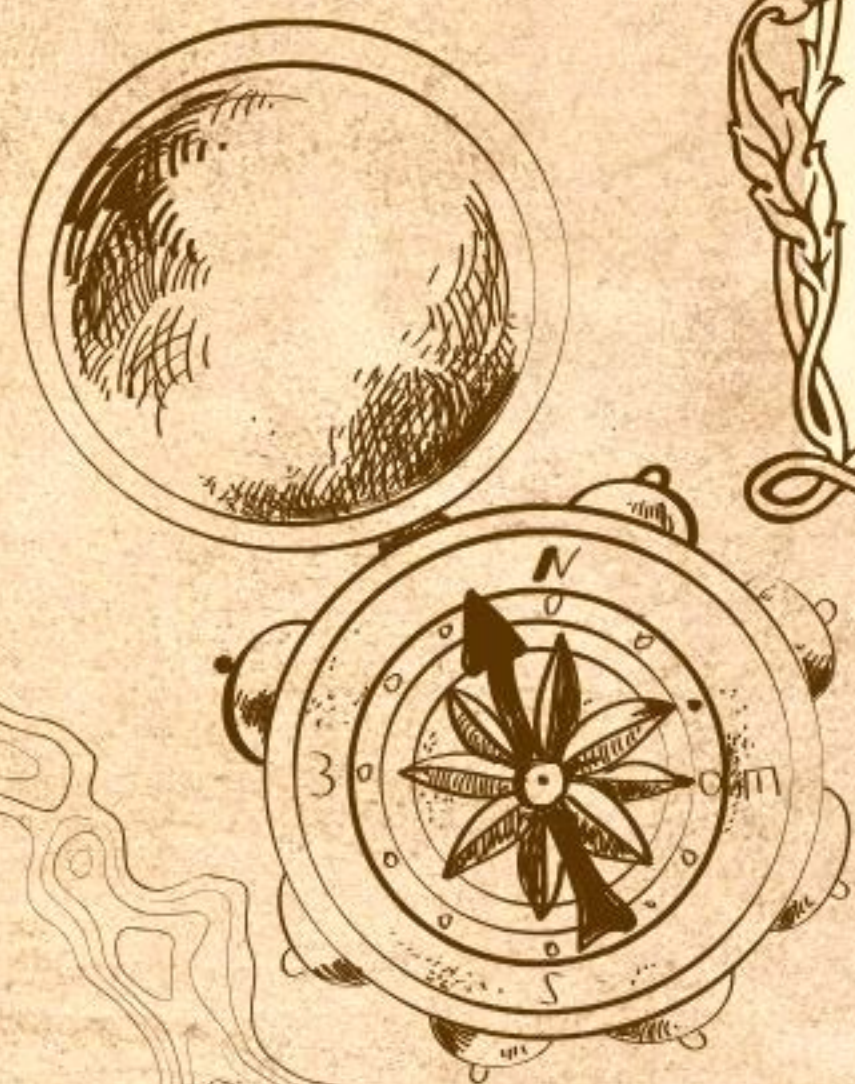


Journey through Acts



**3b... seven men of good standing, full of the Spirit
and of wisdom, whom we may appoint to this
task**

**5a... they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and
the Holy Spirit ...**

**v. 8 Stephen, full of grace and power, did great
wonders and signs among the people.**

Acts 6:3b,5a,a8

55 But filled with the Holy Spirit, he gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God.

56 “Look,” he said, “I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!”

Acts 7:55-56

**Martus (μάρτυς), which means “Witness,”
is the source of the word “Martyr.”**

**59 While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed,
“Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.”**

**60 Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud
voice, “Lord, do not hold this sin against them.”
When he had said this, he died.**

Acts 7:59-60

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