



A TIME LINE OF THE LIFE & LABORS OF PAUL

YEAR A.D.	EVENT	Comments
1		Cæsar Augustus 27 B.C.–14 A.D.
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5	<i>BIRTH OF SAUL OF TARSUS</i>	
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10	<i>Saul would begin learning at the synagogue</i>	
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13		Cæsar Tiberius 12/14–37 A.D. 
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15	<i>Saul would begin attending the School of the Mishna</i>	
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18	<i>Saul's Bar Mitzvah Saul goes to Jerusalem to Rabbinical School</i>	
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23	<i>Saul is married</i>	
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26		Ministry of John the Baptist Public ministry of Jesus Christ begins
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29		Crucifixion & resurrection of Jesus Christ THE DAY OF PENTECOST (Acts 2)
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31		Spread of Gospel in Jerusalem (Acts 3-4)
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33		Death of Ananias and Sapphira (Acts 5)
34	<i>Paul was a Pharisee at this time, meaning he had to have been at least 30 years of age</i>	Selection of Deacons (Acts 6)
35	Martyrdom of Stephen (Acts 7) CONVERSION OF SAUL OF TARSUS (Acts 9)	Spread of Gospel to Judæa, Samaria, & beyond (Acts 8)
36	Saul in Damascus and Arabia	√ Aretas takes control of Damascus
37	(Acts 9:19-23; Galatians 1:15-17)	Emperor Caligula
38	3+ years	37-41 A.D.
39	Saul's FIRST visit to <u>Jerusalem</u> (Acts 9:26-29; Galatians 1:18) Saul is sent to Tarsus via Cæsarea (Acts 9:30; Galatians 1:21)	♄
40		Death of Aretas IV
41		Emperor Claudius
42	Church at Antioch organized (Acts 11:22-23) Saul joins the church at Antioch (Acts 11:25-26)	41-54 A.D.
43	Saul's SECOND visit to <u>Jerusalem</u> (Acts 11:29-30) with Barnabas	
44	Barnabas and Saul return to Antioch (Acts 12:25) FIRST EVANGELISTIC JOURNEY (Acts 13-14)	Martyrdom of Apostle James Death of Herod Agrippa I ♄
45	Cyprus (Salamis, Paphos) Pamphylia (Perga) Pisidia (Antioch)	
46	Lycaonia (Iconium, Lystra, Derbe) Conversion of Timothy	
47	Ministry in Antioch (Acts 14:28)	
48	Arrival in Antioch of the Judaizers (Acts 15:1)	
49	Paul's THIRD visit to <u>Jerusalem</u> with Barnabas & Titus THE COUNCIL AT JERUSALEM (Acts 15) Ministry in Antioch (Acts 15:35) Visit of apostle Peter to Antioch (Galatians 2:11-14) SECOND EVANGELISTIC JOURNEY (Acts 16-18) Paul, Silas, Timothy Syria, Cilicia, Lycaonia, Pisidia, Phrygia, Galatia Troas, Neapolis Philippi "The Macedonian Call"	Date estimated by adding 14 years to the date of Paul's conversion to Christ (<i>Galatians 2:1</i>)

49	Amphipolis, Apollonia Thessalonica Berea Athens Corinth	Luke remains at Philippi Silas & Timothy remain Silas & Timothy join Paul Timothy (& Silas) are sent back to Macedonia	
50	I Thessalonians written from Corinth II Thessalonians written from Corinth Cenchrea Ephesus	Spring Fall	Date calculated by subtracting 1½ years from the beginning of Gallio's proconsulship
51	Cæsarea Paul's FOURTH visit to <u>Jerusalem</u>	[Passover] Spring	Governor Gallio (r.51-52 A.D.) 
52	Ministry at Antioch (Acts 18:23a)		Antonius Felix (r.52-60 A.D.)
53	THIRD EVANGELISTIC JOURNEY (Acts 18–21) Galatia, Phrygia, "upper coasts" (of Asia)		
54	Ephesus		Emperor Nero 54–68 A.D.
55	All Asia reached by men Paul had trained at Ephesus		
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57	I Corinthians written from Ephesus Timothy & Erastus sent to Macedonia Uproar in Ephesus Macedonia II Corinthians written from Philippi Illyricum Greece	Spring May/June Fall	
58	Romans written from Corinth Philippi Troas Assos, Trogyllium Miletus Patara, Ptolemais, Cæsarea Paul's FIFTH visit to <u>Jerusalem</u> Paul is arrested in Jerusalem Placed in protective custody Speaks to the Jews (Acts 22) then the Sanhedrin (Acts 23) Cæsarea (Acts 24)	Winter [Passover] Spring	
59	CONFINEMENT AT CÆSAREA (two years)		
60	Paul before Festus (Acts 25) The appeal to Cæsar JOURNEY TO ROME Sidon, Myra Crete – The Great Storm – Melita (Malta) Syracuse, Puteoli Appi Forum, The Three Taverns	Fall	Porcius Festus (r.60-62 A.D.)
61	ROME CONFINEMENT AT ROME — 2 years (Acts 28:30)	Late Winter/early Spring	

62	<p>Colossians, Philemon, & Ephesians written from Rome Borne by Tychicus & Onesimus</p>	<p>The Great Fire of Rome July 19, 64 A.D.</p> <p>Neronian Persecutions begin</p>
63	<p><i>Hebrews probably written from Rome</i></p> <p>Philippians written from Rome Borne by Epaphroditus</p> <p>PAUL IS RELEASED FROM HIS ROMAN CONFINEMENT</p> <p>Paul travels to Ephesus Colosse (visit with Philemon)</p> <p>Timothy to Philippi Timothy joins Paul in Ephesus</p> <p>Philippi I Timothy written from Philippi</p>	
64	<p>Crete Paul, Titus, & others</p>	
65	<p>Corinth Titus written from Corinth</p> <p><i>Possible evangelistic trip to Spain</i></p>	
66	<p>Ephesus Troas</p> <p>PAUL IS ARRESTED AT TROAS — taken to Rome</p> <p>PAUL'S SECOND ROMAN IMPRISONMENT</p> <p>II Timothy written from Rome</p>	
67	<p>PAUL'S MARTYRDOM</p>	
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