

April, 30 2017  
Scripture Reading NASU

Acts 1:1-11 (NASU)

<sup>1</sup>The first account I composed, Theophilus, about all that Jesus began to do and teach,

<sup>2</sup>until the day when He was taken up *to heaven*, after He had by the Holy Spirit given orders to the apostles whom He had chosen.

<sup>3</sup>To these He also presented Himself alive after His suffering, by many convincing proofs, appearing to them over *a period of* forty days and speaking of the things concerning the kingdom of God.

<sup>4</sup>Gathering them together, He commanded them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait for what the Father had promised, "**Which,**" *He said, "you heard of from Me;*

**<sup>5</sup>for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."**

<sup>6</sup>So when they had come together, they were asking Him, saying, "Lord, is it at this time You are restoring the kingdom to Israel?"

<sup>7</sup>He said to them, "**It is not for you to know times or epochs which the Father has fixed by His own authority;**

**<sup>8</sup>but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth."**

<sup>9</sup>And after He had said these things, He was lifted up while they were looking on, and a cloud received Him out of their sight.

<sup>10</sup>And as they were gazing intently into <sup>1</sup>the sky while He was going, behold, two men in white clothing stood beside them.

<sup>11</sup>They also said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into the sky? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will <sup>c</sup>come in just the same way as you have watched Him go into heaven."

**April, 30 2017**  
**Scripture Reading NIV**

**Acts 1:1-11 (NIV)**

<sup>1</sup>In my former book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach

<sup>2</sup>until the day he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen.

<sup>3</sup>After his suffering, he showed himself to these men and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God.

<sup>4</sup>On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about.

<sup>5</sup>For John baptized with<sup>a</sup> water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

<sup>6</sup>So when they met together, they asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?"

<sup>7</sup>He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority.

<sup>8</sup>But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

<sup>9</sup>After he said this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight.

<sup>10</sup>They were looking intently up into the sky as he was going, when suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside them.

<sup>11</sup>"Men of Galilee," they said, "why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen him go into heaven."

April, 30 2017  
Scripture Reading NLT

Acts 1:1-11 (NLT)

<sup>1</sup>In my first book\* I told you, Theophilus, about everything Jesus began to do and teach

<sup>2</sup>until the day he was taken up to heaven after giving his chosen apostles further instructions through the Holy Spirit.

<sup>3</sup>During the forty days after his crucifixion, he appeared to the apostles from time to time, and he proved to them in many ways that he was actually alive. And he talked to them about the Kingdom of God.

<sup>4</sup>Once when he was eating with them, he commanded them, "Do not leave Jerusalem until the Father sends you the gift he promised, as I told you before.

<sup>5</sup>John baptized with\* water, but in just a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

<sup>6</sup>So when the apostles were with Jesus, they kept asking him, "Lord, has the time come for you to free Israel and restore our kingdom?"

<sup>7</sup>He replied, "The Father alone has the authority to set those dates and times, and they are not for you to know.

<sup>8</sup>But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And you will be my witnesses, telling people about me everywhere—in Jerusalem, throughout Judea, in Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

<sup>9</sup>After saying this, he was taken up into a cloud while they were watching, and they could no longer see him.

<sup>10</sup>As they strained to see him rising into heaven, two white-robed men suddenly stood among them.

<sup>11</sup>"Men of Galilee," they said, "why are you standing here staring into heaven? Jesus has been taken from you into heaven, but someday he will return from heaven in the same way you saw him go!"

**April, 30 2017**  
**Scripture Reading NKJV**

**Acts 1:1-11 (NKJV)**

<sup>1</sup>The former account I made, O Theophilus, of all that Jesus began both to do and teach,

<sup>2</sup>until the day in which He was taken up, after He through the Holy Spirit had given commandments to the apostles whom He had chosen,

<sup>3</sup>to whom He also presented Himself alive after His suffering by many infallible proofs, being seen by them during forty days and speaking of the things pertaining to the kingdom of God.

<sup>4</sup>And being assembled together with *them*, He commanded them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the Promise of the Father, *"which," He said, "you have heard from Me;*

*<sup>5</sup>for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."*

<sup>6</sup>Therefore, when they had come together, they asked Him, saying, "Lord, will You at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?"

<sup>7</sup>And He said to them, *"It is not for you to know times or seasons which the Father has put in His own authority.*

*<sup>8</sup>But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me\* in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."*

<sup>9</sup>Now when He had spoken these things, while they watched, He was taken up, and a cloud received Him out of their sight.

<sup>10</sup>And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel,

<sup>11</sup>who also said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This *same* Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven."