

TIMELINE OF THE LIFE OF THE APOSTLE PAUL

Born in Tarsus (?)	4 A.D.?
Rabbinical studies in Jerusalem	10-25?
Road to Damascus, baptism	35
<i>First trip to Jerusalem (Acts 9:26)</i>	37
<i>Second trip to Jerusalem (Acts 11:30)</i>	44
First Mission Journey with Barnabas and John Mark (Acts 13-14)	47-48
Cyprus, Lystra, Derbe, Antioch of Pisidia	
<i>Third trip to Jerusalem to resolve the Gentile question (Acts 15)</i>	49
*** <i>Writes letter to Galatians (?)</i>	49?
Second Mission Journey with Silas and Timothy and Luke (Acts 15:36-18:22)	49-51
Philippi, Thessalonica, Athens, 18 months at	
Corinth, Ephesus, Caesarea, Antioch.	
*** <i>Writes 1 and 2 Thessalonians</i>	50-51
<i>Fourth trip to Jerusalem (Acts 18:22)</i>	
Third Mission Journey with Titus and Luke (Acts 18:23-21:17)	52-57
Galatia, Phrygia, three years at Ephesus	
*** <i>Writes a "Former Letter to Corinthians" (?) about sexual sin (1 Cor. 5:9)</i>	
Afterward, Paul receives a negative report from the household of	
of Chloe and a letter from Corinth (see 1 Cor. 1:11; 7:1)	
*** <i>In response, writes 1 Corinthians from Ephesus (1 Cor 16:8)</i>	55
Sends Timothy to deliver 1 Corinthians (1 Cor. 4:17; 16:10)	
Probably makes another visit to Corinth, where he is rejected.	
*** <i>In response to his rejection, writes a "Painful letter" (?) (2 Cor. 2:2; 2:4; 7:8)</i>	
In this letter Paul rebukes the Corinthians for rejecting him.	
Afterward, Paul sets out for Corinth but is met by Titus in Macedonia,	
who tells Paul the Corinthians have repented (2 Cor. 7:6, 14).	
*** <i>In response, Paul writes 2 Corinthians from Macedonia</i>	56
Visits Corinth a third time (3 months--Acts 20:2-3)	56
*** <i>Writes Romans from Corinth</i>	56
<i>Fifth trip to Jerusalem (Acts 21:17). Paul is arrested and tried before</i>	
Felix, Festus, Agrippa (Acts 24-26)	57-59
Journey to and imprisonment in Rome (Acts 28:30)	60-62
*** <i>Likely writes Philemon, Colossians, Ephesians, Philippians from</i>	60-62
<i>Roman prison. Book of Acts ends.</i>	
Probably released from prison and does some additional travel	62-64
*** <i>Writes 1 Timothy and Titus from Macedonia</i>	
Imprisoned a second time in Rome	64
*** <i>Writes 2 Timothy from Roman prison; his farewell letter.</i>	
Beheaded by Nero in Rome	64