



**Earnestly**

**Contending**

**For the**  
*Acts of the Apostates*

**Faith**

**Jude 1-3**

# ***Introduction To Our Study***

**In the early years of the church, false teachers appeared and false teaching occurred. From where did these attacks come?**

**How did the apostles respond to these attacks?**

**In the final years of the 1<sup>st</sup> century who warned the church about false teachers? How did they warn the church?**

# ***Overview of Jude***

**Jude has been nicknamed the Acts of the \_\_\_\_\_.**

**What is the theme or purpose of Jude?**

**What is the purpose of this study?**

# ***Jude A Bond-Servant - 1***

Jude 1

- **What does the Greek for the phrase “bondservant” mean?**
- **What did the apostles Paul, James, Peter and Jude call themselves?**
- **What is every Christian in relation to Christ?**

# ***Jude A Bond-Servant - 2***

Jude 1

- Verse 1 reveals that Jude was a \_\_\_\_\_ man.
- What do we know about Jude?

# ***Jude A Bond-Servant - 3***

Jude 1

- **Who are the called in verse 1?**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- **What is wonderful about the fact that Jude calls every Christian “the called”?**

# ***Jude A Bond-Servant - 4***

Jude 1

- **What is special about the word “kept”?**

# ***Mercy, Peace and Love***

Jude 2

- **Why should we rejoice that God gives us mercy?**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- **The Greek word for “multiplied” has the idea “to increase greatly.” What does this mean for Christians?**



# ***Earnestly Contend For the Faith***

Jude 3

- **What is the meaning of the word “contend”?**
  
- **What two important facts are revealed by the statement “handed down once for all?”**

# ***Conclusion***

Jude 1-3

- **How can we contend for the faith?**