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Acts 15:1-21

- I. The <u>decision</u> to seek clarification (vv. 1-5).
 - A. The <u>division</u> over the doctrine of salvation (vv. 1-2).
 - B. The <u>description</u> of God's working in hearts (vv. 3-4).
 - C. The direction the Pharisees want to go (v. 5).

II. The <u>definition</u> of biblical salvation (vv. 6-11).

A. The <u>debate</u> over biblical salvation (vv. 6-7a)

B. The <u>distinction</u> between Jew and Gentile (vv. 7b-11).

III. The <u>declaration</u> of the path forward (vv. 12-21).

A. The <u>doctrine</u> of the prophets (vv. 12-18).
B. The <u>discretion</u> to be implemented (vv. 19-21).

CONCLUSION

Are you willing to defer on non-doctrinal issues for the cause of Christ?