

## **PETER PREACHES CHRIST Pt. 1**

(Acts 3:12-18)

### **I. THE INFANCY AND THE GROWTH OF THE CHURCH IN JERUSALEM (3-7)**

#### **A. A Miracle Performed in the Name of Jesus Christ (3:1-11)**

#### **B. The Message Preached about the Name of Jesus Christ (3:12-26)**

1. Immediately following the miracle, Peter saw the golden opportunity to \_\_\_\_\_,  
and stand up and \_\_\_\_\_ about the One who healed the lame man. (v. 12a)

2. As he addressed the enormous crowd, the apostle made sure that all the \_\_\_\_\_ and  
\_\_\_\_\_ for the healing was not given to himself nor John, but to Christ \_\_\_\_\_.  
(v. 12b)

\* How does this apply to the good works done in your Christian life? (1 Cor. 1:31; 10:31; 2 Cor.  
4:7; Gal. 6:14)

3. The same God of their forefathers was the One who sent "*His Servant Jesus*" to the Jewish  
people, but they \_\_\_\_\_ Him, and \_\_\_\_\_ Him up to the Romans  
for execution. (v. 13)

\* Is the title "*His Servant*" Messianic in nature?

4. To make these kinds of \_\_\_\_\_ accusations to a massive crowd of religious Jews  
took \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ in the Lord. (Acts 2:40; 4:13, 29, 31; 2  
Tim. 4:1-2; Titus 2:15)

5. Peter used several titles to describe the Lord Jesus...

- a. *“the Holy One”* Gk. *hagios* (v. 14a)
- b. *“the Just/Righteous”* Gk. *dikaios* (v. 14b)
- c. *“the Prince of Life”* Gk. *archegos zoe* (v. 15)

6. Their guilt was heavy, but their murder was unsuccessful; not only was Jesus \_\_\_\_\_, but the miracle was accomplished in the \_\_\_\_\_ of His \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 16)

\* What is the content of Peter’s preaching and how does this relate to the gospel? (vv. 12-16)

CONTEXT:

CONTENT:

RESPONSE:

RESULT:

7. The vast majority of Jews did \_\_\_\_\_ take part in falsely accusing their own Messiah; many of those that did, committed this sin in \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 17; Luke 23:34; Acts 17:30; Eph. 4:17-18; 1 Pet. 1:14)

8. The sufferings of the Messiah had been clearly \_\_\_\_\_ in prophesy, and in this generation’s time, Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ all of them! (v. 18)

\* What can you personally apply from this passage today?