

## Acts 7 • God's Will for Israel Explained

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1. (6:11-14) That \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus' time repeated the same mistakes of previous \_\_\_\_\_.
2. (v.1-8) Their true heritage was not \_\_\_\_\_ to Abraham and Moses, but to \_\_\_\_\_ God and be \_\_\_\_\_ to **ALL** His Law and Promises.
3. (v.9-16) Israel's historical pattern is to be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, always missing what \_\_\_\_\_ was really doing.
4. (v.17-21) Like Moses, Christ was born under a \_\_\_\_\_ and at a time when Israel was subjugated to another \_\_\_\_\_.
5. (v.22-29) Just as Moses was in the right \_\_\_\_\_ and right \_\_\_\_\_ but \_\_\_\_\_ the first time by the Jews, so was Christ.
6. (v.30-34) The symbolism of the burning bush – that Israel underwent the fire of \_\_\_\_\_ in Egypt but was not \_\_\_\_\_ by it – is subsequently applied to the \_\_\_\_\_ coming out of Israel.
7. (v.35-40) Just as Israel ended up blaspheming \_\_\_\_\_ through their disobedience and unbelief, so they repeat the same in regard to \_\_\_\_\_.
8. (v.41-43) The true legacy of Israel is consistent \_\_\_\_\_ of Abraham, Moses, the Law, and the Temple in favor of \_\_\_\_\_ and false \_\_\_\_\_.
9. (v.44-50) The end result was embracing a false \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) over the true one.
10. (v.51-53) Israel's chief impediments:
  - a. They were \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. They were \_\_\_\_\_ in both their heart **AND** ears.
  - c. They \_\_\_\_\_ the Holy Spirit.
  - d. They followed in the footsteps of their \_\_\_\_\_.
11. Stephen's "hope" vs. Jewish "hope": one looks \_\_\_\_\_, relinquishing the past and finding its fulfillment in \_\_\_\_\_; the other clings to the \_\_\_\_\_ never finding fulfillment because it never really \_\_\_\_\_ in the first place.