WILL YOUR ANCHORS HOLD IN THE STORMS OF LIFE? ACTS 27:1-44

- I. OUR TIMES OF DESPAIR [27:13-20]
 - **A. DECEPTION IN CASUAL OBSERVATION** [27:13; Job 14:1;5,7; Jn. 16:33; ECCL.5:16-17]
 - **B. DISASTER IS THE NATURAL OUTCOME** [27:14-17]
 - C. DECISION THROUGH CAREFUL EVALUATION [27:18-19; Rom.8:28; 2 Cor.4:17]
 - **D. DESPERATION UNDER PRESSURE** [27:20]
- II. OUR TIMES OF DANGER [27:29a]
 - **A. THEY CAN MAKE US STRONGER** [Job 1:20-22; Lk.22:31-32; Matt.26:69-75]
 - **B.** THEY CAN WEAKEN OR DESTROY US [27:29]
- III. OUR TIMES OF DELIVERANCE [27:21-44]
 - A. GET ANCHORED [27:29b]
 - **1. THE PRESENCE OF GOD** [27:23; Matt.28:20; Heb.13:5; Jn.6:16-21]
 - **2. THE PROMISES OF GOD ARE STEDFAST AND TRUE** [27:24-25; Rom.4:21; Ps.30:5; 34:19; Rom.8:18,28; 2 Cor.12:9; Rev.21:4; Psa.119:89]
 - **3. THE PROVIDENCE OF GOD** [27:24; Psa.57:1; Isa.25:4 Jer.29:11]
 - **B. ACCEPT THE STORM** [27:30-40; 1 Peter 5:6; James 4:10]
 - **C. AWAIT THE DELIVERANCE** [27:41-44; 1 Cor.15:58]
- IV. OUR FOUR SPIRITUAL ANCHORS
 - A. ANCHOR ON OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD [2 Tim.1:12; Job 13:15]
 - **B.** ANCHOR **ON THE WORD OF GOD** [2 Tim.3:16]
 - **C.** ANCHOR **WITH THE PEOPLE OF GOD** [Eccl.4:9-12; Acts 27:2-3]
 - **D.** ANCHOR WITH **PATIENT ENDURANCE** [Heb.10:36; Matt.10:22; Jas.1:12; Rev.3:21; 2 Tim.4:7]