

# LUKE WRITES THEOPHILUS

## ACTS 1:1-3

*How did you see God working in your life this week? (Romans 1:11, 12)*

BACKGROUND: “The papyrus scrolls on which Luke wrote Acts were probably 35 feet in length.” James M. Boice, Acts, page 13.

***ABOUT WHAT JESUS BEGAN***—Acts is the continuation of His life in His followers! (Acts 1:1, 2, fn 1:1[1<sup>st</sup>], fn 1:1[2<sup>nd</sup>], fn 1:1ff, Acts 1:8, Acts 17:6, fn 17:6[2<sup>nd</sup>]) *What gives you assurance that Christ is in your life?*

***ABOUT JESUS' CONVINCING PROOFS THAT HE WAS ALIVE***, appearing for forty days. (Acts 1:3, fn 1:1-3, Luke 24:19-27, fn 24:25, I Corinthians 15:1-7, fn 15:5-8, John 20:24-29, fn 20:24-29) *Do you need more proof that Jesus has been resurrected? Why or why not?*

***ABOUT JESUS' TEACHINGS OF THE KINGDOM OF GOD*** (Acts 1:3, fn 1:3, Matthew 3:2, fn 3:2, Matthew 4:17, fn 4:17[1<sup>st</sup>], Luke 17:20, 21, fn 17:20, 21) *Where is the Kingdom of God most evident and least evident in your life? How could this be changed?*

***Pray for one another's needs.***

***Who in your group needs your encouragement by phone or personal attention?***