

Stephen

(Helpers of the Apostles)

Orlando Bible Students Special Study

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References: Acts 6, Acts 7, R2951, R2108

1) Who was Stephen and what does his name mean?

Acts 6:5

2) What are some of the highlights of Stephen's life?

Acts 6; Acts 7

3) What was Stephen's role as a deacon to the early church?

Acts 6:1-6; 1 Tim 3:8-13

4) How is Stephen an example of faith?

Acts 6:5; Acts 6:8-10

5) What are the ramifications of Stephen as a Christian martyr?

Charges – *Acts 6:11-15*

Defense – *Acts 7:1; Acts 7:51-53*

Death - *Acts 7:54-60; Acts 8:1; Psalm 7; Deut. 17:5-6; Q673*

Burial – *Acts 8:2*

Saul's Role – *Acts 7:58; Acts 8:3; Acts 22:13-21*

6) What lessons can we glean from Stephen's life that can be used in our service to the brethren?

2 Tim. 4:2, Rom. 8:17; 1 Tim. 4:6; 1 Tim. 4:12-13; Luke 14:11; Eph. 4:15; Luke 6:37; Ps. 50:5