

I. His divine enablement, vs. 8-14.

A. The wonders he performed, vs. 8.

1. And Stephen, full of faith and power, did great wonders and miracles among the people., vs. 8.

B. The words he proclaimed, vs. 10-14.

1. And they were not able to resist the wisdom and the spirit by which he spake., vs. 10.

2. Then they suborned men, which said, We have heard him speak blasphemous words against Moses, and against God., vs. 11.

3. And they stirred up the people, and the elders, and the scribes, and came upon him, and caught him, and brought him to the council, And set up false witnesses, which said, This man ceaseth not to speak blasphemous words against this holy place, and the law: vs. 12-13.

4. But the chief priests moved the people, that he should rather release Barabbas unto them. Mark 15:11.

5. For we have heard him say, that this Jesus of Nazareth shall destroy this place, and shall change the customs which Moses delivered us., vs. 14.

II. His divine Enlightenment, vs. 15.

A. The glory he displayed, vs. 15.

1. And all that sat in the council, looking stedfastly on him, saw his face as it had been the face of an angel., vs. 15.