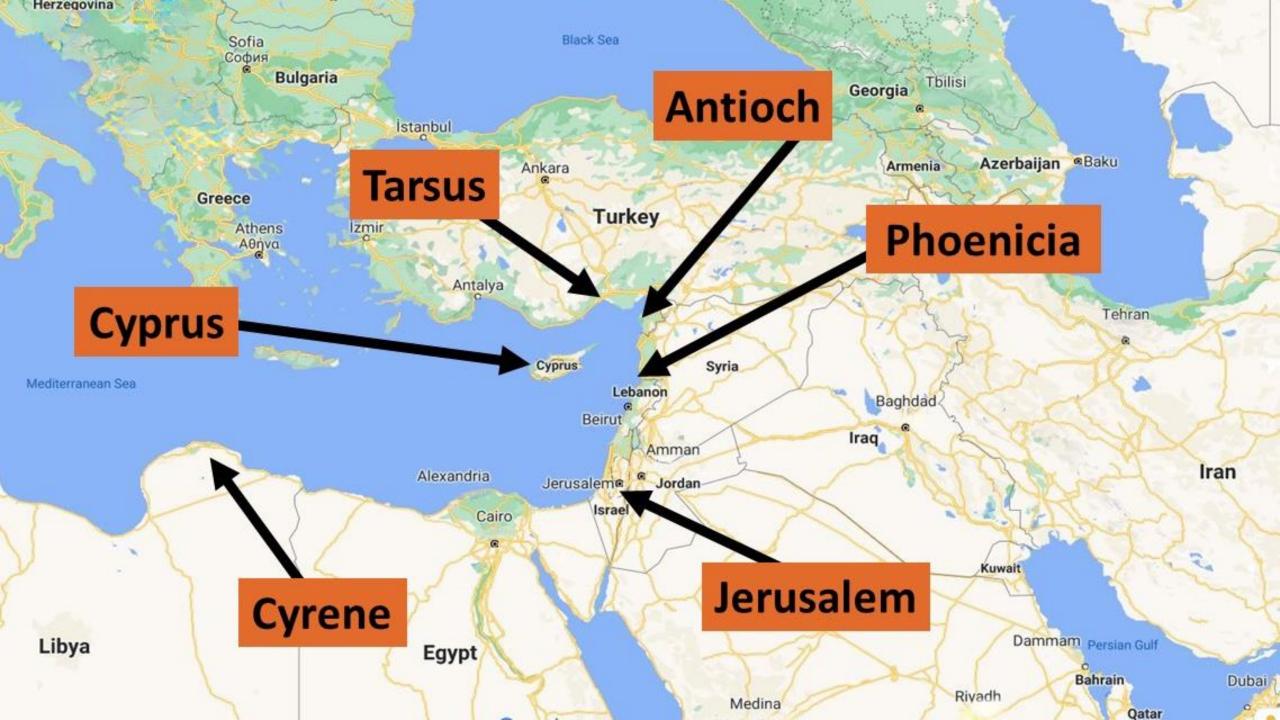
ANTIOCH AWAKENS

Acts 11:19-30



ACTS 11:19 (NIV)

Now those who had been scattered by the persecution that broke out when Stephen was killed traveled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus and Antioch, spreading the word only among Jews.



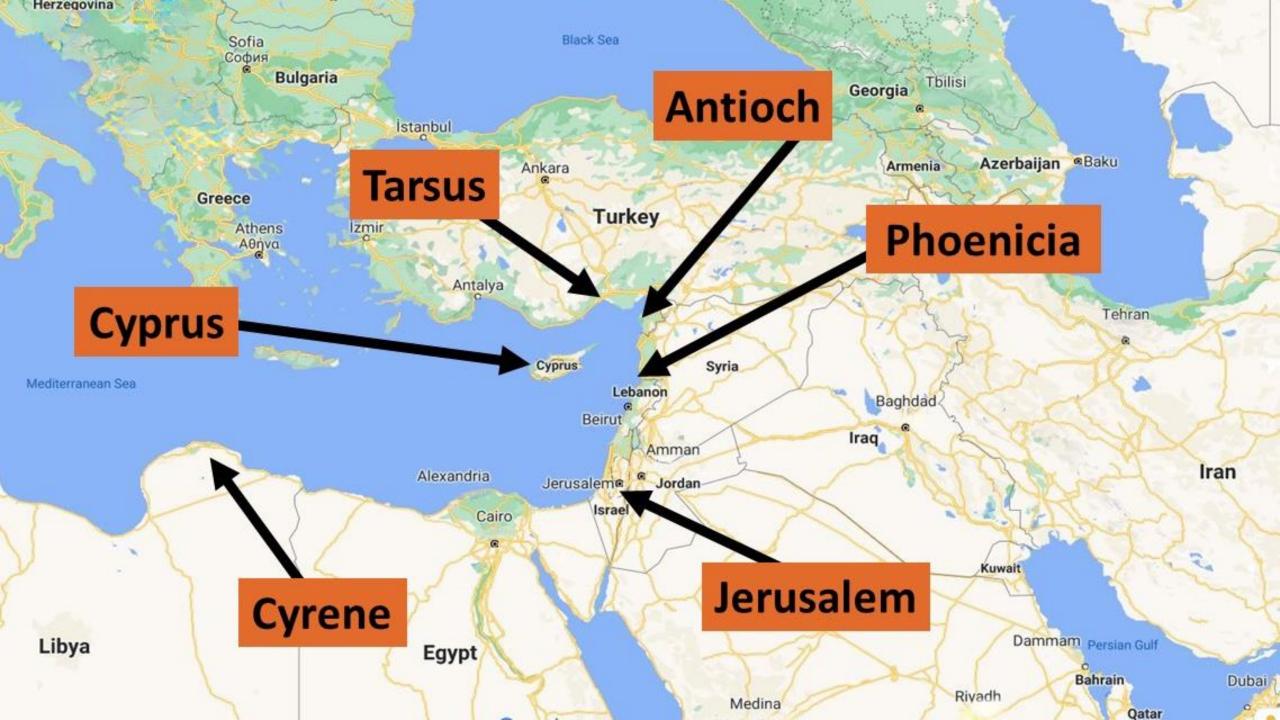


REACH WHO YOU CAN REACH



ACTS 11:20-21 (NIV)

[20] Some of them, however, men from Cyprus and Cyrene, went to Antioch and began to speak to Greeks also, telling them the good news about the Lord Jesus. [21] The Lord's hand was with them, and a great number of people believed and turned to the Lord.



DO MINISTRY IN TEAMS



ACTS 11:22-24 (NIV)

Barnabas to Antioch. [23] When he arrived and saw what the grace of God had done, he was glad and encouraged them all to remain true to the Lord with all their hearts. [24] He was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and faith, and a great number of people were brought to the Lord.

ACTS 11:25 (NIV)

Then Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul

GALATIANS 1:23b (NIV)

The man who formerly persecuted us is now preaching the faith he once tried to destroy.

ACTS 11:26 (NIV)

and when he found him, he brought him to Antioch. So for a whole year Barnabas and Saul met with the church and taught great numbers of people.

WHAT WOULD THEY CALL US?



ACTS 11:26b (NIV)

The disciples were called **Christians** first at Antioch.

ACTS 11:29-30 (NIV)

[29] The disciples, as each one was able, decided to provide help for the brothers and sisters living in Judea. [30] This they did, sending their gift to the elders by Barnabas and Saul.