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Bible Study

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“Benefits of Operating in Divine Order as a Church”

Acts 17:10-15

I Corinthians 14:40 reads, "Let all things be done decently and in order." (KJV) This verse reveals the Apostle Paul's desire for a local church in the country of Greece. All believers should aim to be a vibrant part of a congregation that operates in divine order. There is no way any Christian institution could do this without making the Word of God their operational standard. This lesson is designed to share positive outcomes of local churches operating in divine order.

Breakdown of Acts Chapter 17

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| 1. The Rejection _____ | in Thessalonica | Verses 1-9 |
| 2. The Protection _____ | in Berea | Verses 10-15 |
| 3. The Detection _____ | in Athens | Verses 16-34 |

1. Churches operating in divine order can help members to become **Receptive** _____ .
Verse 11
“And the people of Berea were more open-minded than those in Thessalonica, and they listened eagerly to Paul’s message. They searched the Scriptures day after day to see if Paul and Silas were teaching the truth.”
(NLT)
 2. Churches operating in divine order can help members to become **Attentive** _____ .
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(NLT)
 3. Churches operating in divine order can help members to become **Addictive** _____ .
Verse 11
“And the people of Berea were more open-minded than those in Thessalonica, and they listened eagerly to Paul’s message. They searched the Scriptures day after day to see if Paul and Silas were teaching the truth.”
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