

## Fatal Truth

### Acts 6:8-8:1

Stephen was a faithful \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_ of the gospel!  
His story teaches us that,

1. **God's truth is \_\_\_\_\_ than our experience or \_\_\_\_\_**
2. **Jesus Christ is the \_\_\_\_\_ of all of God's \_\_\_\_\_**
3. **God's \_\_\_\_\_ in history have sometimes been on the \_\_\_\_\_ side**
4. **Misguided religious \_\_\_\_\_ can be dangerous, even \_\_\_\_\_**
5. **Being a faithful \_\_\_\_\_ to the truth of God can be \_\_\_\_\_**

#### Application:

1. Proclaim that Truth is a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Engage the \_\_\_\_\_ with its spiritual and \_\_\_\_\_ implications.
3. Be careful that you are not opposing God's \_\_\_\_\_ by opposing someone you don't like or agree with.
4. Be prepared to be \_\_\_\_\_ and misrepresented by religious people, even when you know the \_\_\_\_\_ guides you.
5. Know that \_\_\_\_\_ is not an option. Silence is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Discussion question for families or home groups:**

**HEAD**

1. What characteristics did Stephen possess?
2. What did the message of Stephen consist of?

**HEART**

1. Why do you think the religious Jews became so angry with Stephen?
2. How do you think all other Christ followers felt about what happened to Stephen?
3. What do the religious Jews reveal about us today?

**HANDS**

1. How do you need to be a faithful witness of God's truth to others?
2. How do you need to be more receptive to God's truth through others?