

LESSON-24

HISTORY OF St. PAUL.

Childhood and Education

References: Phil. 3

Memory verse: Eph. 3:8,9. 8. To me, who am less than the least of all the saints, this grace was given, that I should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ, 9. and to make all people see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the beginning of the ages has been hidden in God who created all things through Jesus Christ;

Objective: Understand that election of any man by God is according to pre-destination. God brings that particular person of choice to a suitable place, background and environment.

Introduction:

His birth place:

Parents:

His name:

Education:

Questions:

1. Where was Paul born? Why is it said to be a famous city?
2. To which tribe did he belong?
3. What is the meaning of the name Paul?
4. What was the Jewish name of Paul?
5. Which trade did Paul learn in his early youth?
6. Where did Paul go for his higher education?
7. Who taught Paul at Jerusalem?
8. How did Paul's education influence his later life?
9. Write a short notes on i) Roman citizenship, ii) Paul's family background?

