

LESSON - 33

PERSECUTIONS OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Portion to read: Revel 2: 8-11, Acts 7:54-60

Memory Verse: Revel 2:10:- 10 "Do not fear any of those things which you are about to suffer. Indeed, the devil is about to throw some of you into prison, that you may be tested, and you will have tribulation ten days. Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life.

Objective: To get encouragement from the early church, to go forward in the midst of trials and tribulations.

Introduction:

Reasons for persecutions

Ten persecutions

Questions:

1. What were the reasons for Roman persecutions?
2. Give the name of the Emperors who led the different persecutions.
3. In whose time were Peter and Paul martyred? What was his accusation against the Christians?

