

STEPHEN – THE MAN JESUS STOOD FOR
Acts 7:54-8:1
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Big Idea: The way Stephen died for Christ shows us how we should live for Christ.

- HE WAS A WILLING SERVANT (v54-56)
 - Stephen was _____ to be used of God, even when it was _____ . 2 Tim 4:1-2
 - Stephen could stand up for Jesus because he was reminded Jesus _____ with him. Acts 18:9; Matt 28:20; Heb 7:25, 13:6
- HE MODELED JESUS (v57-60)
 - Stephen modeled Jesus by living out a life of _____ and _____ . v59-60, Rom 5:8, Col 3:13
 - Stephen _____ of grace he wouldn't see grow. Acts 22:20
- HE TRUSTED GOD WITH THE RESULTS (8:1)
 - God did _____ with Stephen's life and death than he ever could have _____. Acts 1:8
 - All he knew was that God had empowered him to be a _____ and he was going to be as _____ as he could to that task. 2 Tim 4:7
- Key Words:
 - Stand
 - Grace
 - Trust