

# Acts 20:6

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

And we sailed away from Philippi after the days of unleavened bread, and came unto them to Troas in five days; where we abode seven days.

## Analysis

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'We sailed away from Philippi after the days of unleavened bread' - Paul observed Passover timing. 'Came unto them to Troas in five days' - weather affected travel. 'We abode seven days' allowed sabbath gathering.

## Historical Context

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Passover timing (spring AD 57) provides chronological marker. Seven days at Troas allowed Lord's Day worship with the believers.

## Related Passages

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**Matthew 25:31** — Final judgment

**Romans 2:1** — Judging others

## Study Questions

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1. What does Paul's Passover observance teach about maintaining Jewish identity?
2. Why was the seven-day stay significant for church fellowship?

## Interlinear Text

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ἡμεῖς	δὲ	ἐξεπλεύσαμεν	μετὰ	τὰς	ἡμέρας	τῶν	
we	And	sailed away	after	G3588	days	G3588	
G2249	G1161	G1602	G3326		G2250		
ἄζύμων	ἀπὸ	Φιλίππων	καὶ	ἦλθομεν	πρὸς	αὐτοὺς	
of unleavened bread	from	Philippi	and	came	unto	them	
G106	G575	G5375	G2532	G2064	G4314	G846	
εἰς	τὴν	Τρωάδα	ἄχρις	ἡμέρας	πέντε	οὐ	διετρίψαμεν
to	G3588	Troas	in	days	five	where	we abode
G1519		G5174	G891	G2250	G4002	G3757	G1304
ἡμέρας	ἐπτά						
days	seven						
G2250	G2033						

## Additional Cross-References

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**Acts 12:3** (Parallel theme): And because he saw it pleased the Jews, he proceeded further to take Peter also. (Then were the days of unleavened bread.)

**Acts 16:12** (Parallel theme): And from thence to Philippi, which is the chief city of that part of Macedonia, and a colony: and we were in that city abiding certain days.

**Exodus 23:15** (Parallel theme): Thou shalt keep the feast of unleavened bread: (thou shalt eat unleavened bread seven days, as I commanded thee, in the time appointed of the month Abib; for in it thou camest out from Egypt: and none shall appear before me empty:)

**Exodus 34:18** (Parallel theme): The feast of unleavened bread shalt thou keep. Seven days thou shalt eat unleavened bread, as I commanded thee, in the time of the month Abib: for in the month Abib thou camest out from Egypt.