

Acts 6:11

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

Then they suborned men, which said, We have heard him speak blasphemous words against Moses, and against God.

Analysis

'They suborned men' - secretly inducing false testimony. The accusations of speaking 'against Moses, and against God' echoed charges against Jesus (Mark 14:58). False accusation is Satan's ancient strategy against God's servants.

Historical Context

Jewish law required multiple witnesses for capital charges (Deuteronomy 17:6). Suborning false witnesses violated the commandment against bearing false witness (Exodus 20:16).

Related Passages

Revelation 20:12 — Judgment according to deeds

Romans 2:1 — Judging others

Study Questions

1. Why do opponents resort to false accusation when they cannot refute truth?
2. How does Stephen's experience parallel Jesus' trial?

Interlinear Text

τότε ὑπέβαλον ἄνδρας λέγοντας ὅτι Ἀκηκόαμεν αὐτοῦ

Then **they suborned** **men** **which said** **We have heard** **him**

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speak **words** **blasphemous** **against** **Moses** **and** **G3588**

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