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- 2. Sometimes <u>literally</u>, sometimes <u>figuratively</u>, all of us are going to have seasons of "storms, shipwrecks and snake bites" in <u>our lives</u>.
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- 2. We can <u>trust</u> that in the midst of our "storms, shipwrecks & snake bites" of life, God will be faithful!
 - God was faithful to Paul through his <u>friends</u>. (v.27:3)
 - God was faithful to Paul through his presence. (v.27:23-24)
 - God was faithful to Paul through his answered prayers. (v.27:24b-25)
- 3. Ultimately, God's kept His <u>promises</u> to Paul. Not <u>in spite</u> of his circumstances, but <u>through</u> them. (v.28:14b-16)

 The spite of his circumstances, but <u>through</u> them. (v.28:14b-16)