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- So then those who were scattered because of the persecution that occurred in connection with Stephen made their way to Phoenicia and Cyprus and Antioch, speaking the word to no one except to Jews alone.

- Acts 11:19



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- But there were some of them, men of Cyprus and Cyrene, **who came to Antioch and began speaking to the Greeks also, preaching the Lord Jesus.** And the hand of the Lord was with them, and a large number who believed turned to the Lord.

- Acts 11:20-21



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- **The news about them reached the ears of the church at Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas off to Antioch. Then when he arrived and witnessed the grace of God, he rejoiced and began to encourage them all with resolute heart to remain true to the Lord.**

- Acts 11:22-23



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- **for he was a good man, and full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And considerable numbers were brought to the Lord.**

- Acts 11:24



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- **And he left for Tarsus to look for Saul;** and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch.
- And for an entire year they met with the church and taught considerable numbers; **and the disciples were first called Christians in Antioch.**

- Acts 11:25-26



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- This effort would tie perfectly with the special work given to him by the Lord (Acts 9:15).



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- It was delivered by Barnabas and Paul to the elders (vs. 30).



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- They were “set apart” for this work by the Holy Spirit (vss. 2-3).

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- After preaching the gospel in the synagogue of Salamis, they made their way to the Roman capital of Paphos (vss. 5-6).

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- Elymas was a false prophet and sorcerer.



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- **Paul and Barnabas would have crossed over the Taurus Mountains on their journey from Perga to Antioch. These mountains were inhabited by dangerous robbers.**

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- **A warning against rejecting Jesus (vss. 40-41)**

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- While a large number of people believed, disbelieving Jews succeeded in poisoning the minds of the Gentiles against the brethren (vs. 2).

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- Paul and Barnabas had to flee to another city when opponents tried to stone them (vs. 5)

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- Paul and Barnabas then traveled to Lyconia, Lystra, Derbe, and the surrounding region (vss. 6-7).





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- Troublemakers from Antioch and Iconium started winning the crowds. They persuaded the crowds to stone and drag Paul out of the city (vs. 19).



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- Paul survived the stoning. He went back to Lystra and then to Derbe (vs. 20). Many disciples were made in Derbe (vs. 21).



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- Paul returned to Lystra, Iconium and to Antioch (vs. 21). He strengthened the churches and helped them appoint elders (vss. 22-23)



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- Paul and Barnabas then “spent a long time with the disciples” (vs. 28).

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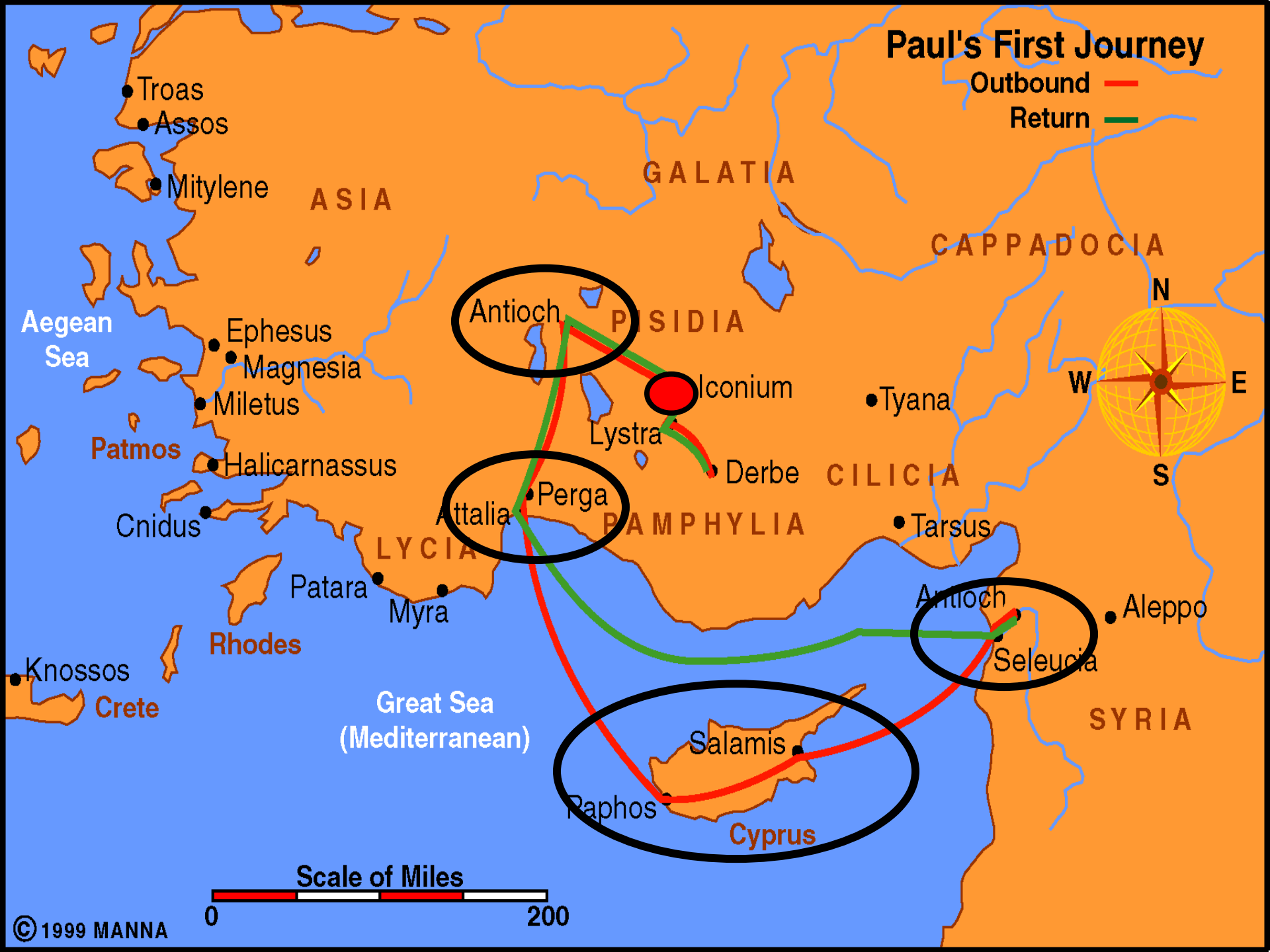
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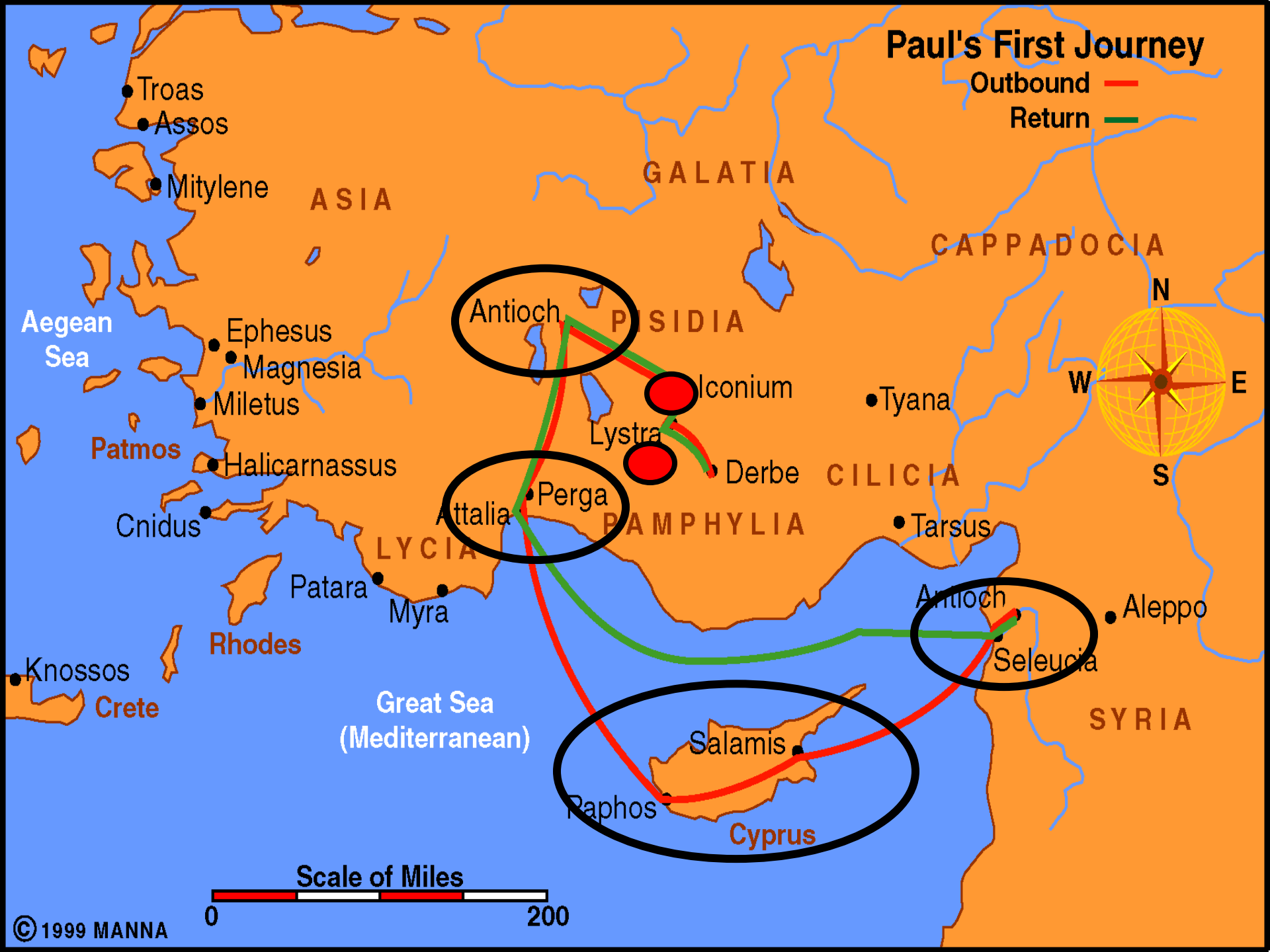
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