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# DAILY READING

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### MISTAKEN FOR GODS IN LYSTRA

**14** <sup>14</sup> The apostles Barnabas and Paul tore their robes when they heard this and rushed into the crowd, shouting: <sup>15</sup> “People! Why are you doing these things? We are people also, just like you, and we are proclaiming good news to you, that you turn from these worthless things to the living God, **who made the heaven, the earth, the sea, and everything in them.** <sup>16</sup> In past generations he allowed all the nations to go their own way, <sup>17</sup> although he did not leave himself without a witness, since he did what is good by giving you rain from heaven and fruitful seasons and filling you with food and your hearts with joy.” <sup>18</sup> Even though they said these things, they barely stopped the crowds from sacrificing to them.

<sup>19</sup> Some Jews came from Antioch and Iconium, and when they won over the crowds, they stoned Paul and dragged him out of the city, thinking he was dead. <sup>20</sup> After the disciples gathered around him, he got up and went into the town. The next day he left with Barnabas for Derbe.