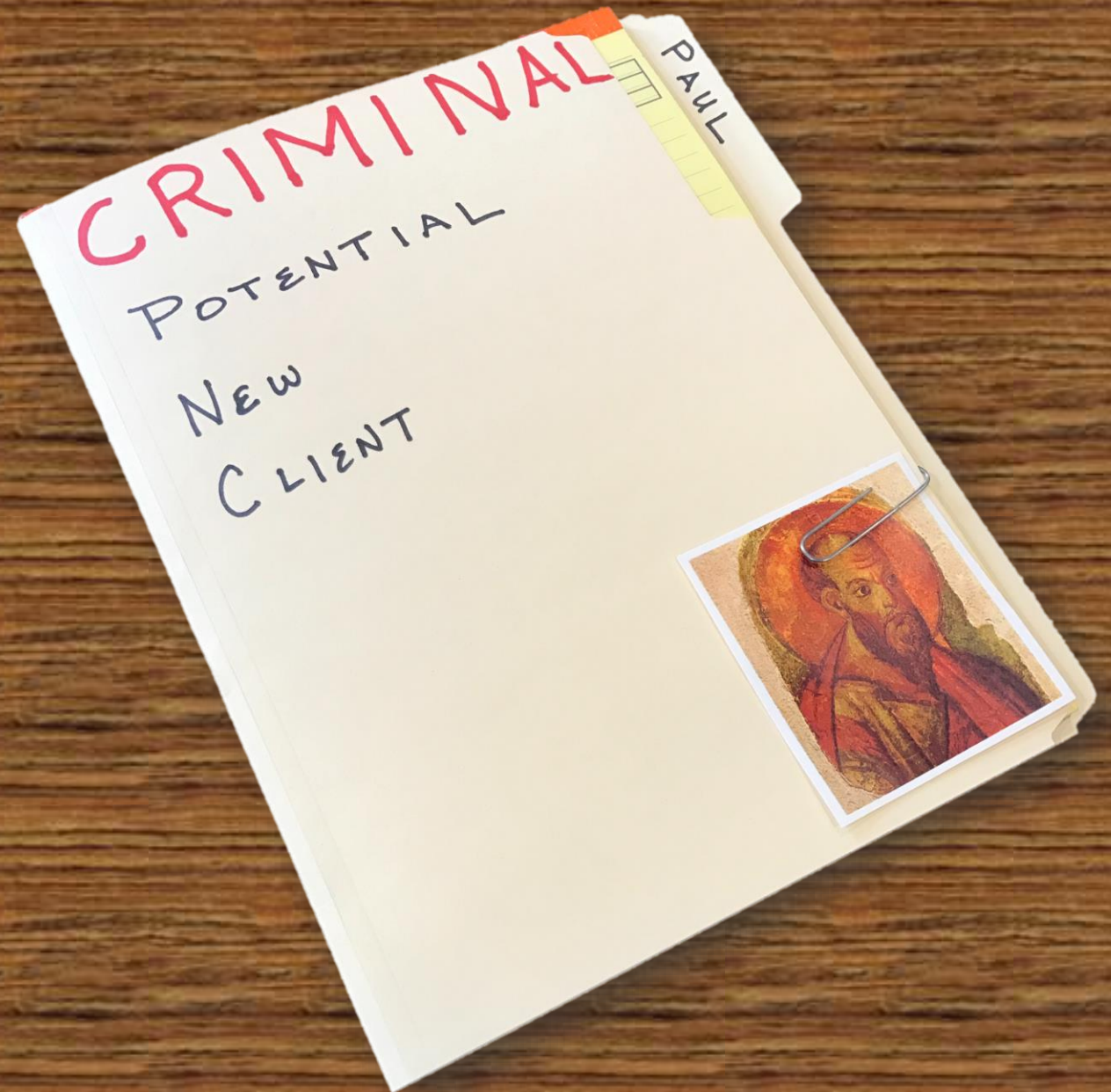


Paul: a legal case study





**Is Paul legit
or lunatic???**



Is Paul legit or lunatic???

The story:

Acts 9

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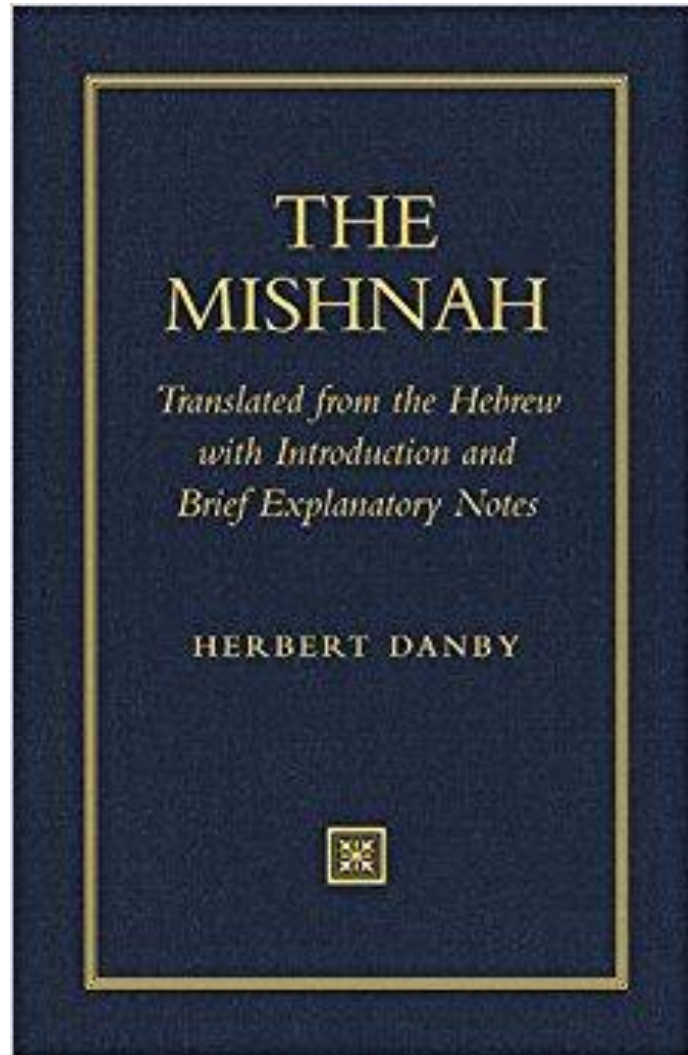
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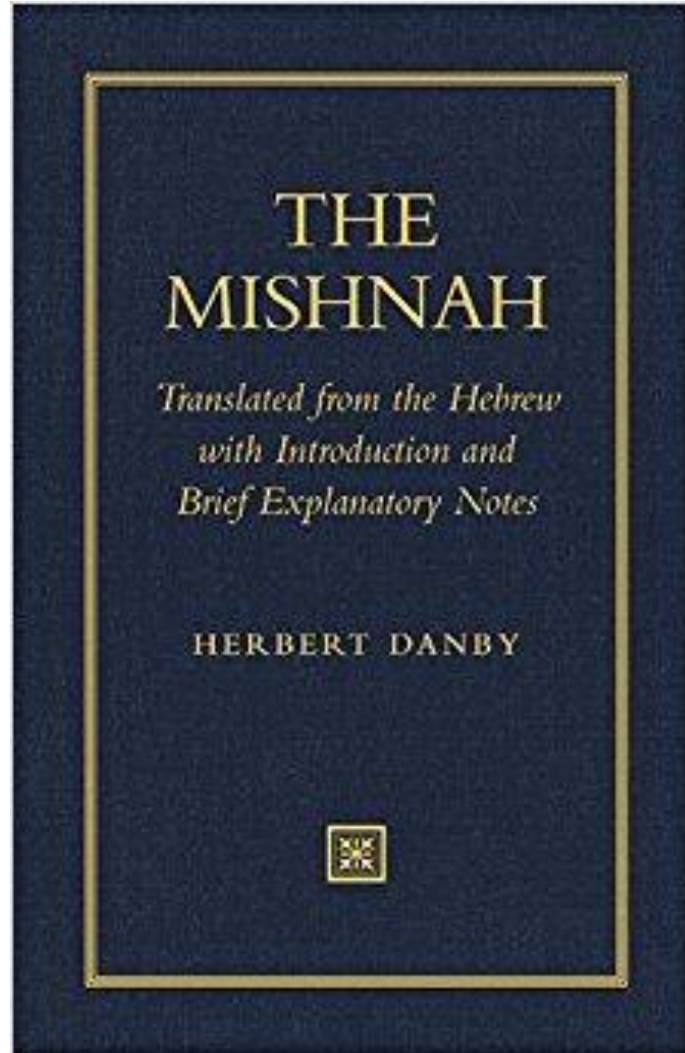
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Conversion? **NOT
really**

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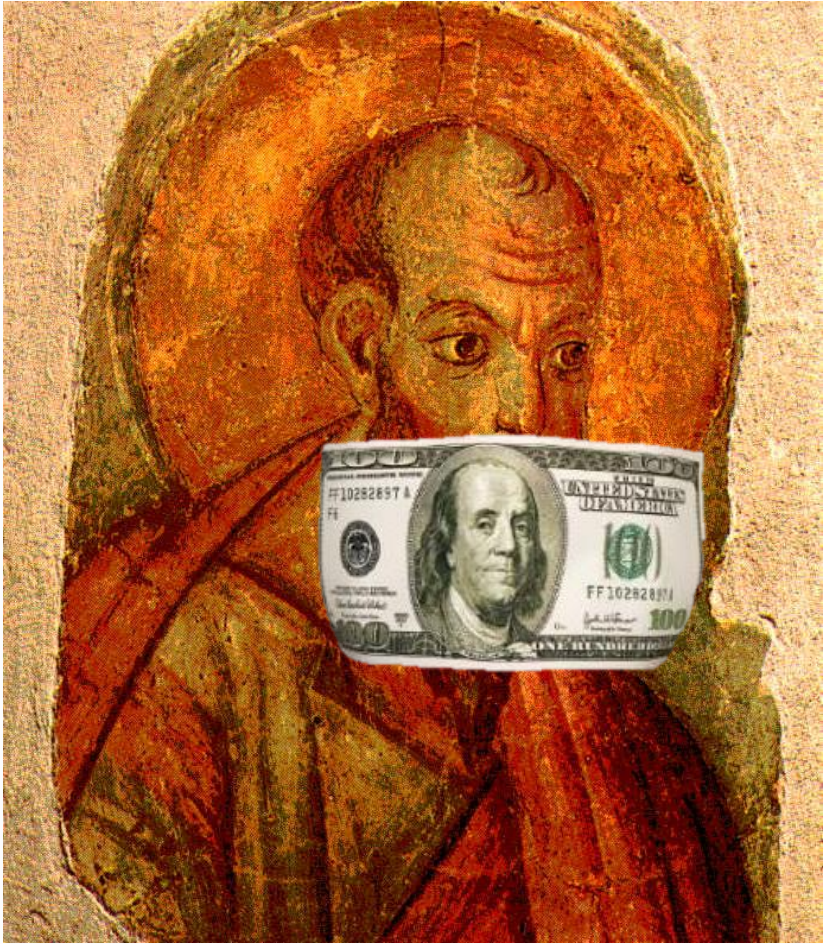
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Miracles



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Shows auth.

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Points for home



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(Phil. 3:7-9)

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I'm rechecking my priorities

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**Paul can talk;
I’d be a fool not to listen**

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Lord, have mercy on me!