

A tropical island scene at sunset. The sky is filled with large, billowing clouds in shades of orange, yellow, and purple. In the foreground, the ocean is a deep blue with white waves breaking. In the middle ground, a large, rugged island with a prominent mountain peak is visible, covered in green and brown vegetation. To the right, a smaller, rounded island is also visible. The text "Welcome to the Island Acts 2:42-47" is overlaid in the center in a white, bold, sans-serif font with a black outline.

**Welcome
to the Island
Acts 2:42-47**



FAMOUS FIRSTS

*Discovering Who We Are
by Learning Where We Began
Understanding Where We are Going
by Knowing Where We Started*

The First Recorded Miracle



The First Recorded Miracle (Acts 3:1-7)



Nothing Special

Not Special Day

Not a Special Place

Not a Special time its 3:00PM

Not a Special man

Not a Special Request



A Very Special Response from Peter and John

They looked

They spoke to him

They got his attention

They offered

They touched him



What Changed? (Acts 3:8-12)



What Changed?

The man was healed

The man went into the temple

The change impacted the people

The Focus Changed



The Church Grew

But many who heard the message believed; so the number of men who believed grew to about five thousand.

Acts 4:4



**The apostles were
indeed impacting
Jerusalem**



**How Does This
Apply to Us?**



Don't Wait for the Special

You don't have to have
a special moment

You don't have to have
a special place

The gospel is not just
for special people



Share What You Have

Then Peter said, “Silver or gold I do not have, but what I do have I give you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk.

Acts 3:7



Share What You Have

Peter did not give
the man what he wanted

Peter did not give
the man what Peter wished

Peter gave the man
what he had



**Peter offered him
Jesus**





Something More?