

CHARACTER STUDY

BARNABAS

Encourager

ENCOURAGER

Acts 4:34-37

³⁴ There were no needy persons among them. For from time to time those who owned lands or houses sold them, brought the money from the sales ³⁵ and put it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to anyone as he had need. ³⁶ Joseph, a Levite from Cyprus, whom the apostles called Barnabas (which means Son of Encouragement), ³⁷ sold a field he owned and brought the money and put it at the apostles' feet.

THE BASIS FOR MINISTRY

Later Barnabas was recognized



PROPHET (Acts 13:1)



APOSTLE (Acts 14:14)

ENCOURAGERS NOTICE THOSE DOING LIFE TOUGH

The blue between Paul and Barnabas –
Acts 15:36-41

Paul – The Leader

DRIVER



Barnabas – The Encourager

AMIABLE

LIVES TRANSFORMED

The fruit of true encouragers is that lives are changed around them

Col 4:10

2 Tim 4:11

ENCOURAGERS MAKE A DIFFERENCE