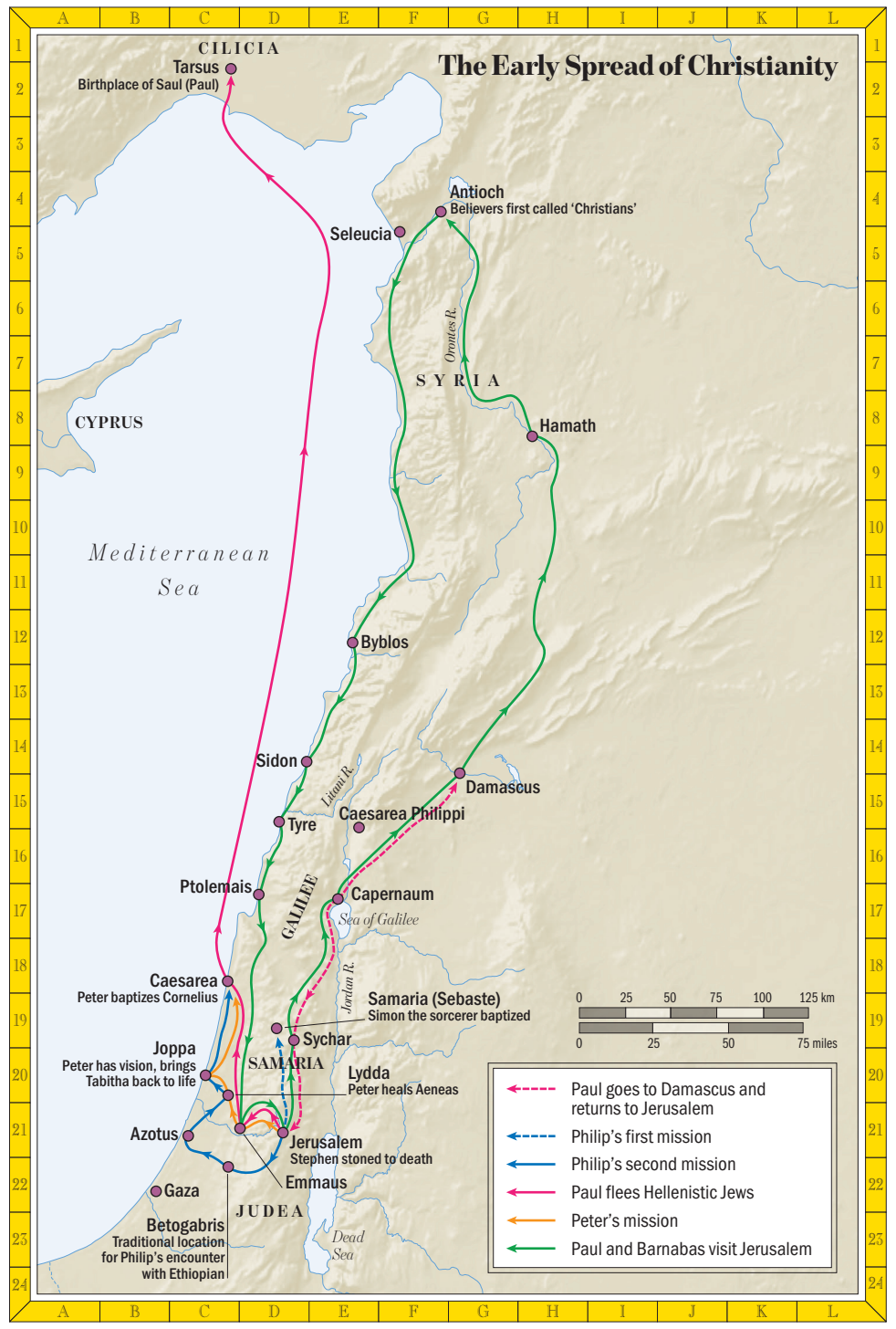
The Early Spread of Christianity
CILICIA
Tarsus
Birthplace of Saul (Paul)
Antioch
Believers first called 'Christians'
Seleucia
Orontes R.
SYRIA
Hamath
CYPRUS
Mediterranean Sea
Byblos
Sidon
Litani R.
Damascus
Caesarea Philippi
Tyre
Ptolemais
GALILEE
Capernaum
Sea of Galilee
Jordan R.
Caesarea
Peter baptizes Cornelius
Samaria (Sebaste)
Simon the sorcerer baptized
Sychar
Joppa
Peter has vision, brings Tabitha back to life
SAMARIA
Lydda
Peter heals Aeneas
Azotus
Jerusalem
Stephen stoned to death
Emmaus
Gaza
JUDEA
Betogabris
Traditional location for Philip's encounter with Ethiopian
Dead Sea
0 25 50 75 100 125 km
0 25 50 75 miles
Paul goes to Damascus and returns to Jerusalem
Philip's first mission
Philip's second mission
Paul flees Hellenistic Jews
Peter's mission
Paul and Barnabas visit Jerusalem