



Can I Get A Witness?!

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Text: Acts 1:1-11

Passage Summary: While it is true that as believers in the Lord Jesus Christ our future has never looked _____, it is also true that our present has never been more _____!

180 Degree Truth #1: See that while a glorious future awaits the believer in the Lord Jesus Christ through the arrival of the Kingdom, God has tasked us with the important role of bearing _____ to the _____ message of Jesus Christ in the here and now! (1:1-11)

Application: Recognize that when it comes to being a witness for Jesus Christ, be bold...

- For _____ is _____! (v.1-3)

Remember: When it comes to bearing witness for Jesus, _____ is not a function of our personality or pedigree, but the _____ of the Holy Spirit moving in and through a heart that is fully convinced that Jesus is alive and fully aware of the implications of that truth in our lives today!

- For Jesus has _____ us _____ through the Holy Spirit! (v.4-8)

Tapping into the power of the Holy Spirit: As a believer in the Lord Jesus Christ, realize you...

Have been _____ with the Holy Spirit! (Acts 1:4-5, 8)

Need to be continually _____ with the Holy Spirit!(Ephesians 5:18)

Have a Divine _____! (Matthew 10:17-20, John 14:26, 16:13)

Can _____ a _____! (Hebrews 4:12, Ephesians 6:17)

Are the _____, not the _____! (John 6:44)

Are _____ through _____! (Ephesians 6:18-20, Colossians 4:2-6)

Remember: When it comes to bearing witness for Jesus, don't allow the Holy Spirit to become the _____ God in your life and ministry; instead _____ yourself to Him like never before and watch your testimony bear fruit to the glory of God!

- For _____ is coming _____! (v.9-11)

Remember: When it comes to bearing witness for Jesus, "your past is redeemed, your present makes sense, and your future is secure;" so what are you waiting for... _____!

Core Conviction to Live By: Resolutely determine that the plight of the elephant will not be the elephant in the room for you; instead, allow God to open your eyes to the _____ witness you _____ are through the abiding, anointing power of the Holy Spirit!

"So when they met together, they asked him, 'Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?' He said to them: 'It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.'"

Acts 1:6-8