



## Living By God's Power

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*In the same way that you gave me a mission in the world, I give them a mission in the world.*

**John 17:18 (MSG)**

*I, Paul, have been sent on a special mission by the Messiah, Jesus, planned by God himself.*

**2 Corinthians 1:1 (MSG)**

*... Jesus of Nazareth was a man proved to you by God himself through the works of power, the miracles and the signs which God showed through him here amongst you—as you very well know.*

**Acts 2:22 (PH)**

*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 1:8 (NIV)**

*And the apostles gave powerful witness to the resurrection of the Lord, and God's great favor was upon them all.*

**Acts 4:33 (NLT)**

*The Kingdom of God is not just talking; it is living by God's power.*

**1 Corinthians 4:20 (LB)**

### **How do I live by God's power?**

#### **1. I become a follower of Jesus Christ.**

*Peter said to them, "Each one of you must turn away from your sins and be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ, so that your sins will be forgiven; and you will receive God's gift, the Holy Spirit." <sup>39</sup> For God's promise was made to you and your children, and to all who are far away—all whom the Lord our God calls to himself."*

**Acts 2:38-39 (GNT)**

#### **2. I call out to God.**

*They all joined together constantly in prayer... **Acts 1:14 (NIV)***

*These men are not drunk as you suppose. It's only 9 in the morning.*

**Acts 2:15 (GW)**

*Lord, pay attention to their threats now, and allow us to speak your word boldly. <sup>30</sup> Show your power by healing, performing miracles, and doing amazing things through the power and the name of your holy servant Jesus." <sup>31</sup> When they had finished praying, their meeting place shook. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and continued to speak God's word boldly.*

**Acts 4:29-31 (GW)**

#### **3. I obey The Lord.**

*They asked, "Why are you men from Galilee standing here looking at the sky? Jesus, who was taken from you to heaven, will come back in the same way that you saw him go to heaven." <sup>12</sup> Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mountain called the Mount of Olives. It is near Jerusalem, about half a mile away.*

**Acts 1:11-12 (GW)**

*We are witnesses of these things, and so is the Holy Spirit, whom God has given to those who obey him.*

**Acts 5:32 (NIV)**

#### **4. I step out by faith.**

*Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: "Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say.*

**Acts 2:14 (NIV)**