

“Power to be Witnesses”

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“ But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy [Spirit] is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth” Acts 1:8 (KJV).

- God gives us the power to do what he has asked us to do.
- We receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on us.

“How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy [Spirit] and with power: who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with him. And we are witnesses of all things which he did both in the land of the Jews, and in Jerusalem...” Acts 10:38-39a (KJV).

- God anointed Jesus with the Holy Spirit and with power.
- God anoints us with the Holy Spirit and with power to be witnesses.
- Anoint comes from the root word which means “to furnish what is needed.”

“...follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness. Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses” 1 Timothy 6:11b-12 (KJV).

- Profess = G3670 - covenant, acknowledge:--con- (pro-)fess, confession is made, give thanks, promise.
- Fight the good fight of faith.
- Be a witness of the goodness of the Lord.
- Tell other people what He has done for you!