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GREATEST POWER EVER!

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The world has always thought that it can stop  
the followers of Jesus by threats, force,  
imprisonment and death, but it cannot.

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Acts 4:5-7, 18 “The next day the rulers, the elders and the teachers of the law met in Jerusalem. Annas the high priest was there, and so were Caiaphas, John, Alexander

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and others of the high priest's family. They had Peter and John brought before them and began to question them: "By what power or what name did you do this?"



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Verse 18 “So they called them back in, and told them never again to speak about Jesus.”



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1. The world can't deny the miraculous power of Jesus when it stands right in front of them.



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2. The world can't overcome the boldness of the Spirit in  
a follower of Jesus.

Acts 4:8-12, 19-20



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We want to highlight the change that the  
Spirit made in Peter





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But this is what the Holy Spirit does.

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When the Spirit comes into our hearts, His business is to take a risen Lord's life and give it to you, to empower you, to encourage you, to

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strengthen you and to do whatever you need to  
be done to make you able to overcome life.



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Obviously Peter needed boldness.





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What do you need to turn you into a  
fully-surrendered follower of Jesus?

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The same resurrection power of Jesus that  
worked in Peter works in your spirit today!

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Remember our struggles here are only  
temporary and our victory is eternal!

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3. The world's persecution only the followers of Jesus to grow stronger and stronger in their faith!



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Don't be afraid of persecution but expect it  
and even be glad for it!

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James 1:2-4 “Consider it pure joy, my brothers  
and sisters whenever you face trials of many  
kinds, because you know that the testing of your

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faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance  
finish its work so that you may be mature and  
complete, not lacking anything.”

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4. There is nothing the world can do to defeat the followers of Jesus if we faithfully follow Him!

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1 Peter 2:6-12 “For in Scripture it says: ‘See, I lay a stone in Zion, a chosen and precious



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cornerstone, and the one who trusts in him  
will never be put to shame.””



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That is what the world has always  
done with Jesus.



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From Peter's sermon we learn our purpose "that you may declare the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light."

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“There is salvation in no one else! Under all  
heaven there is no other name for men to call  
upon to save them.” Acts 4:12