

Power Arrives

Acts 2

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Power Plant in Calvert County



BGO Power

CJ's Generator

- Temporary
- Only powers a few things
- I control it
- Must be maintained

- Always available
- Provides all the power needed
- Given by God
- Never fails

John 16:7 (ESV)

⁷ Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you. But if I go, I will send him to you.

Main Idea

God's chosen plan to reconcile the world to Himself is for believers to allow the Holy Spirit to empower them to be witnesses.

I The Holy spirit meets people where they are (v. 1-4)

1 Corinthians 6:19-20 (ESV)

¹⁹ Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, ²⁰ for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.

John 14:16-17(ESV)

¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, ¹⁷ even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you.

II People notice when the Holy spirit is working (v. 15-13)

III We advance God's kingdom when we allow the Holy Spirit to bear witness through us (v. 37-41)

1 Peter 3:15 English Standard Version (ESV)

¹⁵ but in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect,

My Next Step Today Is:

- a. Memorize Acts 2:38
- b. Pray daily for divine appointments
- c. Begin to listen to the Holy Spirit's guidance
- d. Get ready by learning the key points of the gospel message