

## **The Power of the Holy Spirit – Part 2**

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### **Prayer Concerns:**

**Jesus promises the power of the Holy Spirit.** [Acts 1:1-11]

**The Holy Spirit comes at Pentecost.** [Acts 2:1-4]

**Living by the power of the Spirit.**

1. Power for \_\_\_\_\_ [Acts 1:8; 1 Cor. 2:4-5]

2. Power to \_\_\_\_\_ over \_\_\_\_\_ [Luke 4:1-13]

3. Power to \_\_\_\_\_ [2 Tim. 1:7]

4. Power to \_\_\_\_\_ [Rom. 8:26-28]

5. Power to \_\_\_\_\_ [Rom. 15:13]

6. Power to \_\_\_\_\_ [2 Tim. 1:7]

## Personal Study/Growth Group Discussion Questions

### Getting started:

1. What day of the year can you hardly wait for? Why?

### Digging deeper:

1. Read Acts 1:1-11. After three years of following and learning from Jesus, He told His followers to wait until the Holy Spirit came upon them. What did the Holy Spirit give them, and what did it empower them to do?
2. Read Acts 2:1-4. What happened on the day of Pentecost? How did the Holy Spirit manifest Himself? What supernatural abilities were given to these early believers?
3. Read Acts 1:8 and 1 Corinthians 2:4-5. Ministry is impossible without the Spirit's power working in us. When have you experienced the Spirit's power to witness to someone?

4. Read Luke 4:1-13. How did the Holy Spirit's power enable Jesus to resist temptation in the wilderness? How does the Spirit help us triumph over temptation?

5. Many Christians struggle to have a consistent prayer life. Read Romans 8:26-28. How does the Holy Spirit help us pray? What does it mean to you to know the Holy Spirit prays for you?

6. Read Romans 15:13 and 2 Timothy 1:7. How does the Holy Spirit give us power to hope and love?

### Taking it Home:

1. Are you yielding to the power of the Holy Spirit in your life? Are there areas in which you need to rely on Him more fully?