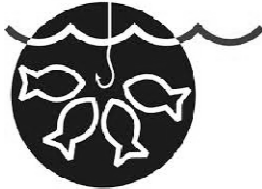


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- 1) Implore
- 2) Invest
- 3) Invite
- 4) Inform

Today's Message

Imploring God for Power in My Witness

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I) The Way God empowers me for my witness

- The Holy Spirit -

Imploring God for Power

II) Two methods the Holy Spirit uses to empower me for my witness

A) *By baptizing me* – 1 Cor. 12:12-14

B) *By filling me* – Eph. 5:18

III) Three results of the Holy Spirit empowering my witness

(Gal. 5:22-23; Acts 4:29, 31; John 16:8)

A) *The Holy Spirit sets my life apart for the witness – "Sanctification"*

B) *The Holy Spirit gives me the excitement and courage to witness*

C) *The Holy Spirit prepares the way for my witness*

IV) Four steps for receiving the Holy Spirit's empowerment for my witness

A) *Receive the Holy Spirit through faith – "baptism of the Holy Spirit."*

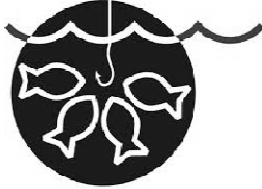
B) *Implore the Lord daily to fill you by His Spirit – "filling of the Holy Spirit"*

C) *Pray each day for boldness*

D) *Pray for divine opportunities (impact list)*

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