

Victory Connect Lesson
The Anointing Changes Everything
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Key Passage: Act 1:8 NKJV - "But you shall receive **power** when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."

Introduction: When we are anointed, we are empowered by God's presence for God's purposes. We can change the lives of others when we move in the power of the anointing. On the other hand, we will have a minimal impact on others when we act only in our own strength.

1. Jesus told the disciples to wait for the baptism of the Holy Spirit before they go out to preach. Act 1:5 NKJV - "for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."

2. The Holy Spirit was poured out as the disciples waited in unity. Act 2:4 NKJV - And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

3. Knowledge alone is not edifying. 1Co 8:1 AMP - ...we know that we all have knowledge [concerning this]. **Knowledge [alone]** makes [people self-righteously] arrogant, but love [that unselfishly seeks the best for others] builds up and encourages others to grow [in wisdom].

4. Peter went from denying Christ to preaching boldly because of the anointing. Act 4:13 KJV - Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus.

5. We do not live on yesterday's anointing. God will renew our strength and anoint us with fresh oil.
Psa 92:10 CSB - You have lifted up my horn like that of a wild ox; I have been anointed with the finest oil.

Discussion Questions:

1. Are you a witness of Jesus or a prosecutor (accuser)?
2. Have you ever felt unqualified for a task before you?
3. Do you hunger for more of God's presence?

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