

Power of Another Kind

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REVIEW LAST WEEK'S NEXT STEPS

What, if any, next step did you commit to last week, how did it go?

- I will remember God is bigger than my but — one t.
- I will say, "But God," not "But I."
- I will not allow insecurity, fear, weakness or worry to prevent me from taking risks for God.
- I will keep praying, serving, dreaming and asking God to use me.

SERMON SUMMARY

Pastor Matt discusses the concept of power in the sermon "Power of Another Kind." He delves into how power affects human behavior, citing studies and real-world examples.

The sermon emphasizes a spiritual power beyond human capabilities found in faith and the Spirit of God. Surrendering to this power allows individuals to unleash gifts, cultivate virtues, and experience transformation in their lives.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Why is the misuse of power harmful, and how does it affect our relationships with others? Have you ever seen or experienced the negative effects of power in your own life or the lives of others? How can you prevent this from happening in your own life?

2. How did Paul demonstrate a different kind of power in his interactions with the Corinthians? In what ways can you demonstrate this different kind of power in your own life and interactions with others?

3. What is the relationship between faith, spiritual power, and our unseen side? How can you cultivate your faith and better understand the spiritual aspect of your life?

4. What are some benefits of surrendering to the Spirit of God and becoming more sensitive to His presence? How can you practice surrendering to the Spirit of God in your daily life and respond to His prompting?

5. How does understanding and embracing the Spirit's power impact your daily life and relationships? In what specific ways can you apply the Spirit's power in your everyday actions and interactions with others?

SCRIPTURE REFERENCE

- 1 Corinthians 2:3-5
- 1 Corinthians 1:26
- Zechariah 4:6

- Acts 1:8
- Hebrews 11:13
- Ephesians 6:18
- Ephesians 3:16-17
- Acts 2:2
- 1 Corinthians 6:19

Next Steps

- I will discover and use my spiritual gifts to serve Jesus and his church.
- I will make room for the fruit of the Spirit to grow in my life this week.
- I will invite the Spirit to dwell in my life this week.
- I will make this week an adventure with the Spirit of God, power of another kind.

Prayer Request(s)

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