

SUPERNATURAL POWER – 2
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REVIEW:

- 1 CORINTHIANS 2:4-5** – Paul demonstrated supernatural power. **2 CORINTHIANS 12:12**
ACTS 10:38 – Jesus received and demonstrated supernatural power.
ACTS 1:8 – All believers can receive and demonstrate supernatural power.
MARK 16:19-20 – The key is learning to walk hand in hand with God.

CONTINUE: JOHN 5:19 (CEV), JOHN 14:8-12

In order for us to do the works of Jesus, we must understand how He did them. Jesus took no credit for the works He did. What He did was directly connected to His close walk with the Father. Even though something may be God's will, there may be reasons why it won't be done. We don't manipulate God's power with a formula.

TESTIMONIES OF TWO BABIES: ONE DIED, ONE LIVED

Keys to developing a close walk with God and displaying His power.

1. Surrender. **MATTHEW 16:24**
 - A. Deny self – Of living independent of God; Ungodly living.
 - B. Take up your cross – Submit to the will of God; endure hardness.
 - C. Follow me – His example, way of thinking, allowing His life to shape ours.
2. Humility. **JAMES 4:6** – Grace is God's operational power. We must humble ourselves – **LUKE 5:12-13**
The man humbled himself and tapped into God's supernatural power.
3. Worship. **PSALMS 22:3** – The more we worship, the more of God's presence we carry. The more of God's presence we carry, the more of His power we have, ready for display.
4. Hunger. **MARK 10:46-52** – "Bart" was hungry for God's power. Nothing could satisfy his hunger. We must never be satisfied.
5. Faith. **MATTHEW 15:25-28** – True faith rises above logic, reason, and the law. True faith flows out of the spirit and effects the mind. It's not moved by emotional feelings.
6. Actions. **JAMES 2:20** – Jesus confessed the purpose of, and reason for the Spirit's anointing in His life. He was intentional about looking for opportunities to release God's power in people's lives.
LUKE 4:18-19
7. Desire. **1 CORINTHIANS 14:1** – We show desire for spiritual gifts by stirring up the gift of God within.
8. Association. **2 KINGS 2** – The example of Elijah and Elisha reveals how we can experience an impartation from those we associate with: CD's, books, laying on of hands.
9. Love. **1 CORINTHIANS 14:1** – Love is the foundation for all we do. Without it, power can lead to pride. Love is the greatest manifestation of God's power. It never fails, it conquers all.
10. Listening. **JOHN 16:13** – The Spirit speaks to us as He spoke to Jesus. We must be aware of what He's communicating for us to do. Jesus used different methods when dealing with the sick. Sometimes He laid hands on them. Sometimes He instructed them to take a specific action.

CONCLUSION:

Before there can be an outflow, there must be an inflow. **JOHN 7:37-39** – As we maintain a spirit-filled life and stir up the gift of God within, we make ourselves available for God's power to flow through our lives to bless others. **EPHESIANS 5:17-20**