

Empowered By The Spirit: Be Ready

Acts 1:12-26

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A little girl and her grandfather were preparing for an afternoon on a sailboat. The young girl asked: "Grandpa, what is the wind?"

"I cannot explain the wind to you," the old sailor replied,
"but, I can teach you to raise the sails!"

Our passage shows us how to have the wind of the Holy Spirit in our sails.

The attitude that makes way for the filling of the Holy Spirit
is the same attitude seen in Jesus' followers
just before the Holy Spirit was given on the Day of Pentecost.



Expect the Holy Spirit
to empower me!

The waiting followers demonstrated:

1. Expectant **belief**. Acts 1:12-13, 14b; John 14:16-17a

2. Expectant **prayer**. Acts 14a, 23-26; Luke 11:5-13

Do I want Him to empower me?

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