

# Empowered By The Spirit: Opposition Expected

Acts 4:1-22

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The healing power of the Lord demonstrated through the early Church in Acts 3 led to an inevitable result in Acts 4 ... opposition. The early Church reacted by continuing to seek the Spirit's filling and empowerment.

The Holy Spirit sustained them through the persecution.

He will do the same for us . . .



Prepare for **persecution!**

When persecution comes, stay filled with the Holy Spirit and remember:

- **Jesus promised it.**  
Matthew 5:10; John 15:18-21; 2 Timothy 3:12
- **Point to Jesus.**  
Acts 4:8-12
- **People will see Jesus in us.**  
Acts 4:13; Acts 4:18-20

“Lord, help them to see You, not me!

Help me to get out of the way,  
so You can be seen!”

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