

We Must Create an Atmosphere for Revival

Acts 2:1-4

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- One Accord means they were in complete agreement
- They believed that they would receive the Power promised to them by the Lord

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- And that He would pour out his Spirit upon them and they would receive power to become witnesses

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- On the day that God poured out his spirit on the 120 there was a difference in them.
- b. They didn't go home complaining how long they had to stay there.

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- There is something about unity that brings revival!
- The upper room experience brought unity and unity brought about a move of God.

- **An emptying out of our heart needs to take place routinely (frequently).**

Why?

- Because stuff creeps in. This could not only be sins but any useless clutter.
- Thus, emptying the heart of any clutter so we can be free and single to our Lord.

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Why?

- Becoming simple and free to serve our Lord in single-hearted devotion.

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- **we need to take inventory and clean the house where necessary, spiritually speaking.**
- Get rid if any clutter and things that is of no use spiritually to us.

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- This will free us up in our thought life too.
- Our minds are cluttered, because our hearts are cluttered.
- Slow down and do some house cleaning.

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- Here are the signs of complete surrender to God; there were 4 things that took place (Acts 2:45-47)
- 1. They were givers
- 2. Not greedy or about self only

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- 3. They were thankful
- 4. They continued in Apostles Doctrine and fellowship

- Singleness of heart produces singleness of mind (focus). The biggest spiritual battle we have is the battle of the mind.

- We have to stop trying to serve God with our mind only; God wants our heart.

- We must learn to get our hearts and our minds right before God and that will create an atmosphere for Revival!

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- Have you been persecuted for living for God differently than others?
- Have you given up things your flesh desired?

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- Have you given up old friends and old lifestyles?
- If you have you have ceased from sin.

**There are five signs that shall follow
them that believe—**

- **In my name shall they cast out devils {Are we ready for that?}**
- **2. They shall speak with new tongues;**
- **3. They shall take up serpents.**

**There are five signs that shall follow
them that believe—**

- **And if they drink any deadly
thing, it shall not hurt them;**
- **5. They shall lay hands on the
sick, and they shall recover.**

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- The only way to create an atmosphere for revival is to be willing
- to be in one mind and one accord.

- But Are you willing to make the sacrifice?