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Jesus replied, "You are in error because you do not know the Scriptures or the power of God.

#### Matthew 22:29

Leave this way, get off this path, a **Holy One of Israel**!".

#### Leave this way, get off this path, and stop confronting us with the

Isaiah 30:11

19 But I will come to you very soon, if the Lord is willing, and then I will find out not only how these arrogant people are talking, but what power they have. 20 For **the kingdom of God** is not a matter of talk **but of power**.

1 Corinthians 4:19-20

18 I will not venture to speak of anything except what Christ has way around to Illyricum, I have fully proclaimed the gospel of Christ.

### accomplished through me in leading the Gentiles to obey God by what I have said and done— 19 by the power of signs and wonders, through the power of the Spirit of God. So from Jerusalem all the

**Romans 15:18-19** 

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#### **Romans 15:19**

#### JESUS WONDERED

the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on the earth?"

## I tell you, he will see that they get justice, and quickly. However, when

Luke 18:8

#### PAUL WARNED

1 But mark this: There will be terrible times in the last days. 2 People will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boastful, proud, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy . . . .
- 5 having a form of godliness but denying its power. Have nothing to do with such people.

2 Timothy 3:1-6

### **PAUL POINTED OUT** Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power.

19 and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That raised Christ from the dead.

#### **Ephesians 6:10**

## power is the same as the mighty strength 20 he exerted when he

#### **Ephesians 1:19-20**

### SIGNS, WONDERS AND MIRACLES MUST BE A PART OF THE GOSPEL PROCLAMATION

This salvation, which was first announced by the Lord, was confirmed to us by those who heard him. 4 God also testified to it by signs, wonders and various miracles, and by gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will.

#### **Hebrews 2:3-4**

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#### **Romans 15:18-19**

#### The Twelve

7 As you go, preach this message: 'The kingdom of heaven is near.' 8 Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons. Freely you have received, freely give.

**Matthew 10:7-8** 

#### The seventy

is near you.'

#### 8 "When you enter a town and are welcomed, eat what is set before you. 9 Heal the sick who are there and tell them, 'The kingdom of God

#### Luke 10:8-9

#### All who believe

17 And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name they will drive out demons; they will speak in new tongues; 18 they will pick up snakes with their hands; and when they drink deadly poison, it will not hurt them at all; they will place their hands on sick people, and they will get well."

#### Mark 16:17 -18

### SIGNS, WONDERS AND MIRACLES VALIDATE THOSE WHO PROCLAIM THE GOSPEL

4 For we know, brothers and sisters loved by God, that he has chosen you, 5 because our gospel came to you not simply with words but also with power, with the Holy Spirit and deep conviction.

1 Thessalonians 1:4-5

including signs, wonders and miracles.

## I persevered in demonstrating among you the marks of a true apostle,

#### 2 Corinthians 12:12

### SIGNS, WONDERS AND MIRACLES ARE SUPPOSED TO BE PILLARS OF OUR FAITH

4 My message and my preaching were not with wise and persuasive words, **but with a demonstration of the Spirit's power**, 5 **so that your faith might** not **rest** on human wisdom, but **on God's power**.

1 Corinthians 2:4-5

me? The words I say to you I do not speak on my own authority. least believe on the evidence of the works themselves.

#### 10 Don't you believe that I am in the Father, and that the Father is in

- Rather, it is the Father, living in me, who is doing his work. 11 Believe
- me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; or at

John 14:10-11

### JESUS GREAT PROMISE STILL REMAINS

before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight.

8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." 9 After he said this, he was taken up

Acts 1:8-9

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