


THE TABERNACLE SERMON NOTES

REVOLUTION | REVOLUTIONARY BOLDNESS | ACTS 4:1-31

Christians are called to be Jesus' witnesses to the ends of the earth, but many shrink back from being a witness out of fear or feeling inadequate. This is why we look back to how the Holy Spirit first empowered the Revolution.

SERMON NOTES:

Main points, questions or things that stuck out to you.

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FURTHER STUDY:

Cross References, Resources, etc.

- Church Multiplies: Acts 1:15; 2:41; 2:47; 4:4; 5:14; 6:7; 9:31; 11:21; 16:5; 19:20.
- Spiritual Boldness: Luke 9:26; Romans 1:16; Ephesians 6:19-20; Philippians 1:14; 2Timothy 1:7-8.

SMALL GROUP NOTES

GROUND RULES

What's said in a group stays in the group.

Encourage others and hold yourself accountable.

Where is it written in the Bible?

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

- What stands out to you in Peter's responses to the Sanhedrin after being arrested? (vv. 8–12; 19–20)

- What role does the Holy Spirit play in Peter and John's boldness throughout this passage?

- How does the prayer in verses 23–30 reflect the early church's priorities and mindset toward opposition?

WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR ME?

- What does it mean for you as a believer today to speak or live proclaiming Jesus "with boldness"?

- In what areas of life do you feel tempted to be silent or timid about your faith, or talking about Jesus? Why?

- What practical steps can you take this week to boldly proclaim Christ as a "domino."

- Challenge: As a group, pray for boldness like the early church did in verse 29.

- Read Ahead: Acts 4:32—5:11