

THE LAWS OF MULTIPLICATION: Spirit-Empowered

LUKE 4:14-15

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Spirit-Empowered Multiplication:

Luke 4:14-15 (ESV)

1. Surrender to the Holy Spirit's _____ (14).

“And Jesus returned in the power of the Spirit to Galilee, and a report about him went out through all the surrounding country. ¹⁵And he taught in their synagogues, being glorified by all.”

2. Depend on the Holy Spirit's _____ (14).

3. Embrace the Holy Spirit's _____ (15).

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APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. Who multiplied their faith to you? What obstacles did they have to overcome to minister to you when you were lost?
2. **Read 2 Corinthians 5:15-20.** Christians often see ministry or evangelism as the pastor's job, but in reality, all believers are called into the ministry. How has God specifically called you to be His ambassador?
3. Do you regularly share your faith? What priorities would need to change to get you and your family focused on the singular mission of appealing to non-Christians to be reconciled to God?
4. **Read John 16:7-8.** What does this passage say the Spirit will do as we move forward to proclaim Jesus? How does this encourage you in the ministry?

Quote for the Week. . . by Mark Dever



"I think many times we don't evangelize because we undertake everything in our own power. We attempt to leave God out of it. We forget that it is His will and pleasure for His gospel to be known. He wants sinners saved. Simply put, we don't pray for opportunities to share the gospel, so how surprised should we be when they don't come? If you're not evangelizing because you think you lack opportunities, pray and be amazed as God answers your prayers."