"Witnessing an Explosion"

Acts 1:1-11 (Legacy Standard Bible, pg. 1464)

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Introduction: He is RISEN! What happened next?? (Luke 24:44 – 49)

In Acts, we see the _____ through _____, in _____! (John 14:12)

Prayer. Proclamations of the Gospel. Conversion of sinners. Baptisms. Healings. Deliverance from demons. Resurrections. Power of Jesus' Name. Demolition of racial divides. Establishment / organization of churches. Fellowship. Boldness. Worship. Prisons shaken. Chains broken. Missionaries. Martyrs.

All to the Glory of God! All for the advancement of His Kingdom! To this very day!

Acts describes an explosion _____! (Colossians 1:6)

Theophilus (and we) need to know the _____ of what we've been_____! (Luke 1:1 – 4)

1. **Jesus is _____! (Acts 1:1 - 4)**

2. **He gives the _____ of the mission: _____!**

He gives _____ to His disciples! (Acts 1:5, 8a)

3. **He gives the _____ of the mission: _____! "*euangelizō*" – *verb* (gospelize!) (Acts 5:42; 8:4; 8:12; 8:25; 8:35; 8:40; 10:36; 11:20; 13:32; 14:7; 14:15; 14:21; 15:35; 16:10; 17:18)**

The message demands _____!

4. **He gives the _____ of the mission: _____! (Matt 28:18 – 20)**

***Memory & Meditation Verses: Acts 1:7 – 8**

<u>Questions / Reflections</u>

1. **Jesus is *still* alive and in command! When & how are you taking time to listen to and obey Him?**

2. **If we're saved, Jesus has put His Holy Spirit in us (John 14:16- 17), how is He instructing you to yield to Him?**

3. **Are you still looking for open doors for the Gospel? Opportunities to "gospelize" by the power of the Holy Spirit?**