SERMON OUTLINE

God is Unstoppable Acts 5:12-42

- I. <u>Power for salvation</u>: God drew many more people to faith in Christ (Acts 5:12-14).
 - Do we pray and expect God to grow his church through people getting saved?
- II. <u>Power for healing</u>: God healed many through the apostles (Acts 5:15-16).
 - Do we realize God still does miracles?
- III. <u>Protection through an angel</u>: God used an angel to free the apostles from jail (Acts 5:17-26).
 - Do we pray for God to use His power to proclaim His message of salvation?
- IV. <u>Power to speak boldly</u>: God used Peter to exalt Christ boldly before angry Jewish leaders (Acts 5:27-32).
 - Are we focused on exalting Christ or exalting human forms of power?
- V. <u>Protection through unbelievers</u>: God used an unbeliever to spare the apostles' lives (Acts 5:33-39).
 - Do we trust God to do his will even through unbelievers?
- VI. <u>Power to suffer willingly</u>: God was exalted as the apostles suffered joyfully and kept proclaiming the gospel (Acts 5:40-42).
 - Whatever difficulty I have serving Christ, do I consider it a privilege? Does it stop me from serving?

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