

UNSTOPPABLE 

the book of Acts

**“Expect great things from God;
attempt great things for God.”**

~ William Carey

Ordinary and Extraordinary

Acts 8:26-40

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A. God leads His people and opens doors for witness.

Hebrews 1:14

**“Are they not all ministering spirits,
sent forth to minister for them who
shall be heirs of salvation?”**

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B. God prepares the heart and stirs the interest of those He is drawing.

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- 2. God uses His people to proclaim the good news.**

2 Timothy 3:15

“And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.”

Romans 10:13-15a

“For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved. 14 How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? and how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard? and how shall they hear without a preacher? 15 And how shall they preach, except they be sent? ...”

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Luke 24:27

“And beginning at Moses and all the prophets, he expounded unto them in all the scriptures the things concerning himself.”

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- 2. God uses His people to proclaim the good news.**
- 3. God's purpose in salvation is transformed lives.**

C. H. Spurgeon wrote ...

“The gospel is preached in the ears of all; it only comes with power to some. The power that is in the gospel does not lie in the eloquence of the preacher; otherwise men would be converters of souls. Nor does it lie in the preachers’ learning; otherwise it would consist of the wisdom of men. ...

“We might preach till our tongues rotted, till we should exhaust our lungs and die, but never a soul would be converted unless there were mysterious power going with it—the Holy Ghost changing the will of man. O Sirs! We might as well preach to stone walls as to preach to humanity, unless the Holy Ghost be with the Word to give it power to convert the soul.”