

# FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

## ACTS 4:13-22

*How did you see God working in your life this week? (Romans 1:11, 12)*

**WE HAVE COURAGE.** God uses ordinary people filled with the Holy Spirit to do the extraordinary! Because the Holy Spirit lives in us and will never leave us, we can be bold! (Acts 4:13, fn 4:13, I Corinthians 1:18-27, fn 1:27, Matthew 11:25, fn 11:25, Luke 21:12-19, fn 21:14-19) *How has God used you lately to stand up against an ungodly situation or predicament?*

**WE OBEY GOD** and seek His guidance and His approval. We are not intimidated, frightened or disappointed by man and his worldly “kingdom.” (Acts 4:18, 19, fn 4:13-18, Acts 5:27-32, fn 5:29, John 14:20-24, fn 14:21, Proverbs 3:5, 6, fn 3:5, 6) *How could you prepare your children to obey God and seek His guidance and approval when they are in evil or difficult circumstances?*

**WE SPEAK.** One of the biggest evidences of being filled with the Holy Spirit is the fact that we cannot help but talk of Jesus Christ and what He has done. (Acts 4:20, fn 4:20, Mark 13:9-11, fn 13:11, I Peter 1:8, Luke 19:37-40, II Corinthians 5:11-21, fn 5:20) *When is silence not “golden”?*

*Pray for one another's needs.*

*Who in your group needs your encouragement by phone or personal attention?*