

A POWER TO BE ABOUT

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Acts 2:38-47

OPENING QUESTION

Have you ever claimed to have gone “all in” on something, and then realized you weren’t really “all about it”?

Be About It by Being with God

Acts 2:38-41

- Peter had failed Jesus,, but had been restored and was now boldly preaching the Gospel, and calling for people to repent and be baptized.
- After trying to follow Jesus on his own power, Peter now relied on the power of the Holy Spirit.
- You can’t be about God without God!

Has there been a time in your life when you tried to walk the Christian life without God? What does it mean to be about God with God?

Be About It by Being Different

Acts 2:42-47

- The Church was now formed and the Holy Spirit was moving, not just through the apostles but through His bride, the Church.
- The Holy Spirit empowers us to live a radical life.
- To “be about it” is to be radically different from the world by being devoted to the apostles’ teaching, committed to cultivating relationships in small groups, and dedicated to reaching people for Jesus and making disciples.

Is your walk with Christ a private matter or a public one? How is your life different from the world around you?

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CLOSING QUESTIONS

Hear

What are some things that stood out to you in this week’s sermon and Scriptures?

Obey

Are you living a “private” Christian life, or do those around you see something different in you? How did Peter and the early Church in Acts 2 live a radically different life? What can you do differently in your walk with Christ?

Pray

Choose one or two particular applications from this passage and pray that the Holy Spirit will help you continually walk in the Spirit. How can you pray for one another in this area this week?