

Ministry Of The Holy Spirit

(How to Do the Greater Works)

John 14:10-17 (Focus – John 14:12)

Most of us will admit that the church as a whole is not doing the “works of Jesus” let alone the “greater works.”

We will look at three things that will help us begin to do the “works of Jesus and the greater works.”

1. Because Jesus Has Gone to the Father (John 14:12)

He came to earth as a man.

He lived a sinless life.

He took upon Himself:

Our sins - Our sicknesses - Our curse

Tasted death for us

Suffer for us

Threw back demons of hell

Triumphed over death, hell, and the grave

Took keys from Satan

Led captivity captive

Came forth from tomb victoriously

Ascended to the Father

Hebrews 9:11-14, 23-28, Hebrews 10:1-22, Ephesians 1:20-23

2. He Has Given Us the Right to Use His Name (John 14:13)

Mark 16:15-20 – applies to all believers

Matthew 28:18-20 Commissioned us to go in His Name

3. The Holy Spirit is Given to Dwell in Us (John 14:16, 17)

John 14:10 – Spirit in Jesus enabled Him

Jesus is telling us that everything He did while He was here in the flesh He did by the enabling power of the Holy Spirit that dwelt in Him.

The same Spirit enables every believer to do the very same works that Jesus did and greater works.

Acts 1:8 You shall receive power (ability)

To do the works of Jesus:

Receive His redemptive work

Receive the right to use His name

Receive the Holy Spirit

To Receive means you have to accept, get a hold of, or take it upon yourself.

It's a welcoming into.

You have to receive God's ability in your life.