

IMPACT PRAYER - NOVEMBER 2015

"......In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams. Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy..... The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off - for all whom the Lord our God will call."

Acts 2: 17-18, 39

Let me share with you briefly something of vital importance as we start the home run towards our official centenary year, and then we can join together in fervent prayer.

The promise of the Holy Spirit went beyond a demonstration of the gifts and move of God only within a particular generation or group of people. Rather, God desires that it impacts our future and the next generation, both within our church families and without. The promise is both present and forward looking, is non-discriminating and therefore requires all to be on board to advance the work of the kingdom. We need God to once again stir us so we will contract a passion, catch a vision and start to dream again. When we have done so, it is my prayer that we will believe and begin to prophesy and see it come to pass in our generation, to the glory of God.

One preacher has said, "we have never really come to believe God, until we believe that He can and will do the impossible". Will you dare to dream again?

KEY PRAYER POINTS

- 1. If you are a parent, please pray for your children and grandchildren that they will encounter the Holy Spirit in a powerful and personal way.
- 2. Let's pray for our young men and young women to be visionaries who are full of the Holy Spirit and achieve things for God and his kingdom.
- 3. Pray for older men and women to dream dreams and to pass on insight and passion for God's house to the next generation.
- 4. Pray that the apostolic church will look forward to the future with hope, purpose and appropriating the promise of Acts 2:39 in seeing growth and increase as the Holy Spirit works through us.
- 5. In light of 4 above, let's pray that we will have an outward looking and evangelistic paradigm which draws those afar off as well as those around us as part of our local, national and world mission.

God richly bless you and remain blessed
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