



2020 Vision for Our...


Passion, Power and Purpose

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Your Life in God's Plan

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2 A Lesson for Believers

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### 3 DUNAMIS = POWER



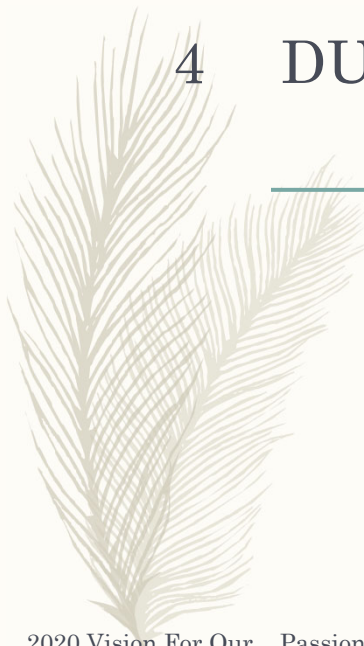
- a Greek word meaning to be able or possible, force, miraculous power, ability, might and strength
- Example; dynamite (a powerful explosive), dynamo (which generates energy power) and dynamic (powerful)

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In scripture; able to produce might, strength and supernatural manifestations of miracles, wonders, powerful deeds

Refers to His power in us which keeps us and forms our character as we glorify Him

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## 5 GOD: The Power Source

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**Acts 1:8 (NIV)**

**8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”**

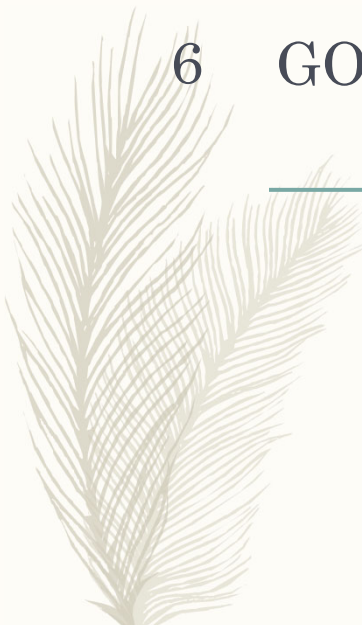
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## 6 GOD: The Power Source

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**Luke 24:49 (NKJV)**

**49 Behold, I send the Promise of My Father upon you; but tarry in the city [a]of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high.”**

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## 7 Relying on the Power of God

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Psalm 105:4-5 (NIV)

4 Look to the Lord and his strength;  
seek his face always.

5 Remember the wonders he has done,  
his miracles, and the judgments he  
pronounced,

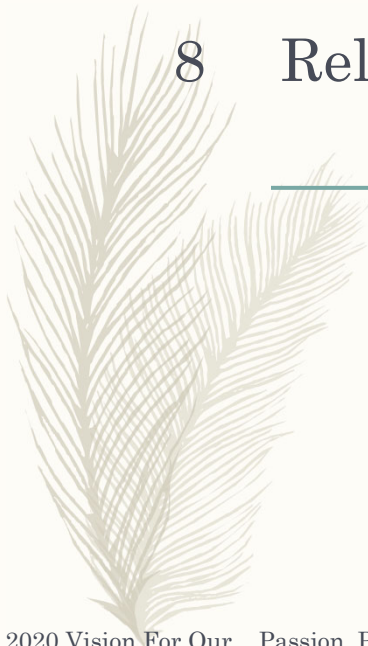
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## 8 Relying on the Power of God

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2 Corinthians 12:9 (NIV)

9 But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ’s power may rest on me.

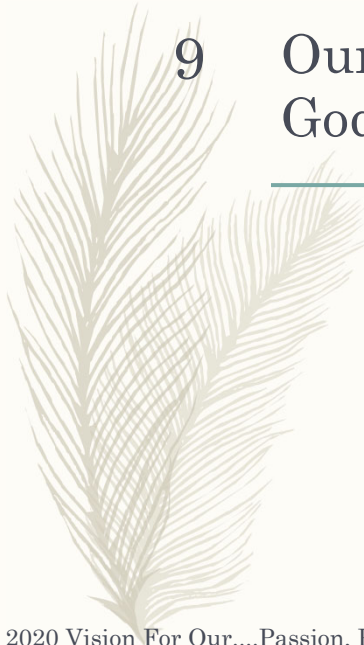
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## 9 Our Weakness is not a barrier to God's Power

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### **2 Corinthians 4:7 (AMP)**

**7 But we have this precious treasure [the good news about salvation] in [unworthy] earthen vessels [of human frailty], so that the grandeur and surpassing greatness of the power will be [shown to be] from God [His sufficiency] and not from ourselves.**

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## 10 Our Weakness is not a barrier to God's Power

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### **2 Corinthians 12:10 (NKJV)**

**10 Therefore I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in needs, in persecutions, in distresses, for Christ's sake. For when I am weak, then I am strong.**

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## 11 God's Power is demonstrated:

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### Romans 10:1-2 (AMP)

**10** Brothers and sisters, my heart's *desire* and my prayer to God for Israel is for their salvation. **2** For I testify about them that they have a certain *enthusiasm* for God, but not in accordance with [correct and vital] knowledge [about Him and His purposes].

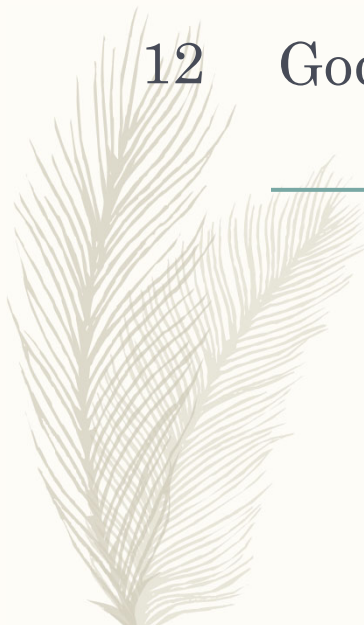
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## 12 God's Power is demonstrated:

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### Romans 1:16 (NIV)

**16** For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile.

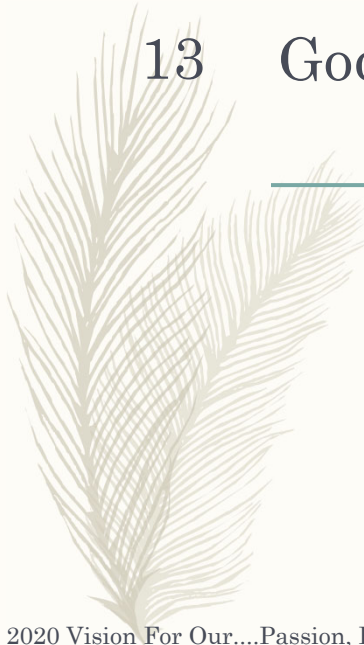
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## 13 God's Power is demonstrated:



### **Ephesians 3:7 (AMP)**

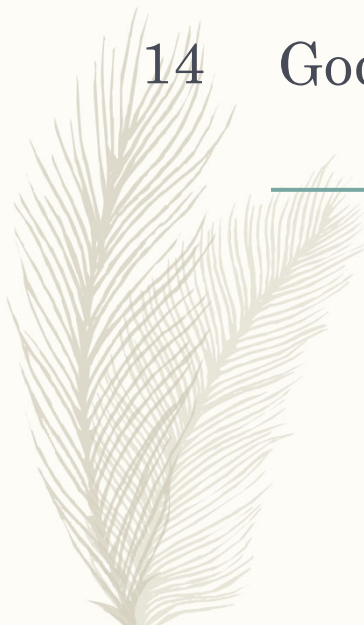
**7 Of this [gospel] I was made a minister by the gift of God's grace given me through the working of His power.**

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## 14 God's Power is demonstrated:



### **Ephesians 3:16-20 (NIV)**

**16 I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, 17 so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, 18 may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, 19 and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.**

**20 Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us,**

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