

**FEARLESS**

(3) Our "Once Upon A Time..."

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**WHAT WILL OUR "ONCE UPON A TIME" STORY SOUND LIKE?**

**We do not GO to Church... We ARE the Church!**

**WE ARE STEWARDS of THE FAITH for OUR GENERATION!**

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**Acts 4:12...**

**"SALVATION is found in NO ONE ELSE...  
for there is NO OTHER NAME under heaven given to  
mankind by which we must be SAVED!"**

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**Acts 4:13-14...**

**When they saw the COURAGE of PETER and JOHN... and realized  
that they were unschooled, ordinary men, they were ASTONISHED  
and they TOOK NOTE that these MEN had BEEN WITH JESUS! But  
since they could see the MAN who had been HEALED... STANDING  
THERE with them... there was NOTHING they could SAY.**

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**WHEN YOU HAVE BREAKFAST WITH A MAN WHO WAS  
DEAD A FEW DAYS EARLIER... YOU LOSE ALL FEAR...  
AND YOU LOSE ALL CONCERN FOR YOUR LIFE!**

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**WHAT WOULD YOU PRAY?**

**HOW WOULD YOU PRAY?**

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**Acts 4:23-30...**

On their release, Peter and John went back to their own people and reported all that the chief priests and the elders had said to them. When they heard this, they raised their voices together in **PRAYER** to God.

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**“SOVEREIGN LORD”** they said... **“You made the heavens and the earth and the sea – and EVERYTHING in them.**

You spoke by the Holy Spirit through the mouth of your servant - our father David: **“Why do the nations rage and the peoples plot in vain? The kings of the earth rise up and the rulers band together AGAINST the Lord and AGAINST His Anointed One.**

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Indeed Herod and Pontius Pilate met together with the Gentiles and the people of Israel in this city to conspire against your holy servant Jesus - whom you anointed. **THEY DID... what YOUR POWER and WILL had DECIDED BEFOREHAND** should happen.

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**WE PRAY... LITTLE PRAYERS!**

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**Acts 4:31...**

After they **PRAYED... the place where they were meeting was shaken. And they were all FILLED with the HOLY SPIRIT... and SPOKE THE WORD OF GOD BOLDLY!**

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When the **First Century Christians** went out and **SPOKE BOLDLY... they did so in such a way that it DREW PEOPLE IN... (NOT...) PUSH PEOPLE AWAY!**

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## **THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS!**

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**Acts 4:33a...**

With **GREAT POWER** the **APOSTLES** continued to **TESTIFY** to  
the... **RESURRECTION** of the **LORD JESUS!**

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**IT'S BECAUSE OF THIS AND THIS ALONE...**

**GOD... RAISED... JESUS... FROM... THE... DEAD.**

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