



## Jesus, The Way and Power We Need

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**How is your vision?**

**A Clear Vision of Jesus...** Invites us to [draw near](#) to God!

Hebrews 12:22-24 & 28-29

*<sup>22</sup> But you have come to Mount Zion, to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem. You have come to thousands upon thousands of angels in joyful assembly, <sup>23</sup> to the church of the firstborn, whose names are written in heaven. You have come to God, the Judge of all, to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, <sup>24</sup> to Jesus the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.*

*<sup>28</sup> Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us be thankful, and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe, <sup>29</sup> for our "God is a consuming fire."*

***When you see Jesus, will you draw closer and closer?***

**A Clear Vision of Jesus...** Guides us to the [best life possible](#)

## **Envision a life where everyone lived this way (this is God's vision)...**

- We love one another
- We show hospitality freely
- We care for those who are in prison
- We support the mistreated
- Marriage was honored and there was sexual faithfulness
- We did not love money but were content
- Leaders were remembered and honored
- Our doctrine was pure and uncompromised
- We lifted up praise regularly
- We all did good
- We all shared
- We prayed with passion and faith

## **Jesus, The Way and the Power...**

Frees us to worship [intimately](#) because He invites us [near](#)

Hebrews 12:28-29

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***How can you draw closer to God with awe, wonder, and reverence?***

## **Jesus, The Way and the Power...**

Shows us a **lifestyle** and **pathway** that we can follow in His strength

Hebrews 13:15-16

*<sup>15</sup> Through Jesus, therefore, let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise—the fruit of lips that openly profess his name. <sup>16</sup> And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased.*

***How can praise transform your actions for the glory of God?***

## **Jesus, The Way and the Power...**

The resurrection of Jesus **empowers** us to **live** for Him each day

Hebrews 13:20-21

*<sup>20</sup> Now may the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, <sup>21</sup> equip you with everything good for doing his will, and may he work in us what is pleasing to him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.*

***How can we tap into the resurrection power of Jesus?***

## **Jesus, The Way and the Power...**

Lives **transformed** by Jesus show His **presence** to this world!

*What action and lifestyle change will speak to the people God has placed in your life?*