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DIFFERENT
TO MAKE A
DIFFERENCE

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A MISSIONAL AWAKENING
Acts 1-2

OUR PRAYER:

God, awaken our affections...

- The driving force behind the mission of the early church was the _____ of Jesus Christ.
 - ▶ Jesus is the risen _____.
 - ▶ Jesus is the exalted _____.
 - ▶ Jesus is the coming _____.
- _____ for the kingdom if fueled by _____ for the King.

...so that we obey Your Spirit...

- The Holy Spirit enables us to...
 - ▶ Experience God's _____.
 - ▶ Obey God's _____.
 - ▶ Fulfill God's _____.
- When the Spirit fills the church...
 - ▶ The church stands _____.
 - ▶ The world stands _____.

...and surrender to Your worldwide mission.

- The priorities of the church:
 - ▶ _____ boldly.
 - ▶ _____ sacrificially.
 - ▶ _____ wholeheartedly.
 - ▶ _____ desperately.
 - ▶ _____ exponentially.
- God promises to bless the church that works according to His _____.

THE BOTTOM LINE:

The Spirit wants _____
and the _____ for Christ.

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- The driving force behind the mission of the early church was the **person** of Jesus Christ.
 - ▶ Jesus is the risen **Savior**.
 - ▶ Jesus is the exalted **Lord**.
 - ▶ Jesus is the coming **King**.
- **Passion** for the kingdom if fueled by **passion** for the King.

...so that we obey Your Spirit...

- The Holy Spirit enables us to...
 - ▶ Experience God's **presence**.
 - ▶ Obey God's **commands**.
 - ▶ Fulfill God's **purpose**.
- When the Spirit fills the church...
 - ▶ The church stands **in awe**.
 - ▶ The world stands **amazed**.

...and surrender to Your worldwide mission.

- The priorities of the church:
 - ▶ **Speak** boldly.
 - ▶ **Care** sacrificially.
 - ▶ **Worship** wholeheartedly.
 - ▶ **Pray** desperately.
 - ▶ **Multiply** exponentially.
- God promises to bless the church that works according to His **plan**.

THE BOTTOM LINE:

The Spirit wants **Birmingham**
and the **world** for Christ.