

Series: Make Your Faith Great Again!
Sermon: Be Led by the Spirit – Faith Requires Action
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# **Start Thinking:**

Have you ever been in a place where you "knew" what God said, you "hoped" for it, you "trusted" Him, you even "spoke" His Word over your situation—but then you realized there had to be a moment where you actually "stepped out"? Faith is not just believing, it's moving. And to move in faith, we must be led by the Spirit.

#### MAIN THOUGHT:

Be led by the Spirit. There will come a time when there has to be action to your faith.

### **Review:**

- Week 1 WORD: Sport Mode Faith Faith begins when you know God's will.
- Week 2 HOPE: Abraham was fully persuaded because he knew Him who made the promise!
- Week 3 TRUST: Great faith is the result of a relationship.
- Week 4 SPEAK: Your heart believes what it's most aware of.
- Today FOLLOW: Faith that follows the Spirit moves mountains.

# **Key Scripture:**

Romans 8:14 (AMP) – "For all who are allowing themselves to be led by the Spirit of God are sons of God."

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- 1. Point 1: We Have More to Learn in Living by Faith
  - a. John 14:12 Greater works will we do.
  - b. Isaiah 1:19 Willing and obedient will eat the good of the land.

2.	Point 2: You Have a Choice – Spirit or Senses
	a. Romans 8:5-6 – To be spiritually minded is life and peace.
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- 3. The New Testament Picture of Spirit-Led Living
  - a. Romans 8:14 Led as sons and daughters
  - b. John 16:13 Spirit guides into all truth
  - c. Galatians 5:16 Walk in the Spirit
  - d. Acts 1:8 Empowered for ministry

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- 4. What If I Don't Know How to Be Led by the Spirit?
  - a. How did the Spirit lead the Apostles in the book of Acts?
    - i. Direct Commands and Clear Guidance Acts 8:29, Acts 10:19-20, Acts 13:2
    - ii. Restraining and Redirecting Acts 16:6-7
    - iii. Speaking Through Prophets and Gifts Acts 11:28, Acts 21:4
    - iv. Decisions Confirmed by the Spirit Acts 15:28, Colossians 3:15
    - v. Empowered Action and Boldness Acts 4:31, Acts 6:10

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# What Now?:

- Ask: Holy Spirit, I want to be led by You in every area of my life.
- Act: When He prompts, move. Faith requires action.
- Abide: Spend time with Him. The more aware you are of His presence, the clearer His leading becomes.
- Agree: Speak out loud: "I am a child of God. I am led by the Spirit of God."