

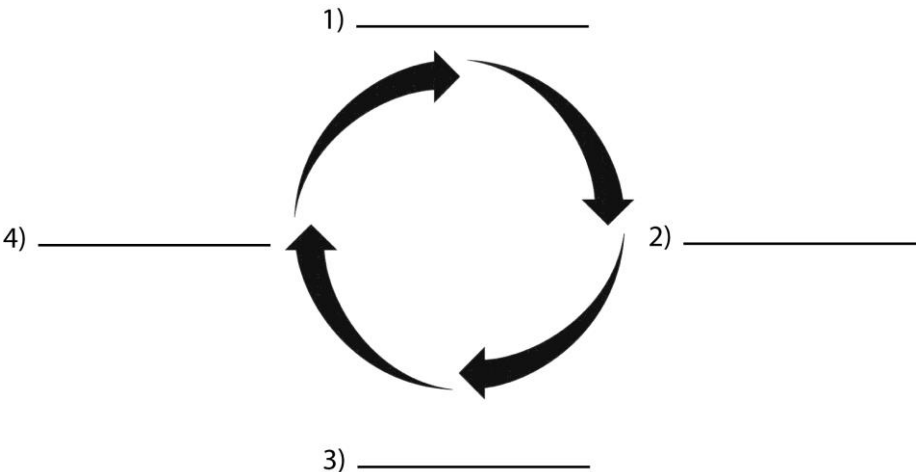
Mountain Moving Prayer

Putting Power Into Your Prayer

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Matthew 17:20 - He replied, "Because you have so little faith. I tell you the truth, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you."

- **God works through our faith. Our responsibility is to put our faith in Him, to trust Him, and allow Him to accomplish what He wills.**



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.

Acts 4:16-20 - "What are we going to do with these men?" they asked.

"Everybody living in Jerusalem knows they have done an outstanding miracle, and we cannot deny it.¹⁷ But to stop this thing from spreading any further among the people, we must warn these men to speak no longer to anyone in this name."

¹⁸ Then they called them in again and commanded them not to speak or teach at all in the name of Jesus. ¹⁹ But Peter and John replied, "Judge for yourselves whether it is right in God's sight to obey you rather than God. ²⁰ For we cannot help speaking about what we have seen and heard."

Acts 4:21-23 - After further threats they let them go. They could not decide how to punish them, because all the people were praising God for what had happened.

²² For the man who was miraculously healed was over forty years old. ²³ On their release, Peter and John went back to their own people and reported all that the chief priests and elders had said to them.

1. What we _____ about God determines whether our prayers are "Mountain Moving Prayers."

Acts 4:24 - When they heard this, they raised their voices together in prayer to God. "Sovereign Lord," they said, "you made the heaven and the earth and the sea, and everything in them."

A. Do you believe God is the _____ ?

Genesis 1:1 - In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.

- **They looked beyond the visible to the invisible.**

B. Do you believe God is in _____ ?

Acts 4:25-28- 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? ²⁶ The kings of the earth take their stand and the rulers gather together against the Lord and against his Anointed One.' ²⁷ 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. ²⁸ **They did what your power and will had decided beforehand should happen.**

Psalms 2:6- "I have installed my King on Zion, my holy hill."

2. The _____ behind our mountain moving prayer:

Acts 4:29- "Now, Lord, consider their threats and enable your servants to speak your word with great boldness. ³⁰ Stretch out your hand to heal and perform miraculous signs and wonders through the name of your holy servant Jesus."

A. They desired to _____ God's Word.

Acts 4:29- "...speak your word with great boldness..."

B. They desired to _____ God's hand.

Acts 4:30- "Stretch out your hand to heal and perform miraculous signs and wonders through the name of your holy servant Jesus."

C. They desired to _____ Jesus.

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- **It means to pray with His authority for His glory.**

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