

Ambassador

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Ephesians 6

(19) Pray also for me, that whenever I speak, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel, (20) for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it fearlessly, as I should

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How Paul asks for Prayer from the churches:

Romans 15:30-32; 2 Corinthians 1:10,11;

Ephesians 6:18-20; Philippians 1:19;

Colossians 4:2-4; 1 Thessalonians 5:25;

2 Thessalonians 3:1,2;

Hebrews 13:18-19 (if Paul wrote Hebrews)

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Pray
that I may declare
the mystery of the gospel
fearlessly

- Ephesians 6:20

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1 Corinthians 2

(3) I came to you in weakness with great fear and trembling. (4) My message and my preaching were not with wise and persuasive words, but with a demonstration of the Spirit's power,

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- Ephesians 6:20

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Acts 3,4

Peter and John heal a crippled man
in the name of Jesus
at the temple in Jerusalem -
and were threatened by authorities

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Acts 4

(10) know this, you and all the people of
Israel:

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Acts 4

(10) It is by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified...

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Acts 4

(10) It is by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified but whom God raised from the dead, that this man stands before you healed.

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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)...they saw the courage of Peter and John and realized that they were unschooled, ordinary men, they were astonished...they took note that these men had been with Jesus

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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 signs and wonders through the name of your holy servant Jesus.” (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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2 Corinthians 2

(14) But thanks be to God, who always leads us as captives in Christ’s triumphal procession and uses us to spread the aroma of the knowledge of him everywhere. (15) For we are to God the pleasing aroma of Christ among those who are being saved and those who are perishing.

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2 Corinthians 2

(16) To the one we are an aroma that brings death; to the other, an aroma that brings life. And who is equal to such a task?

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Around the world people fear the raised fist;
in America we fear the raised eyebrow.

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Luke 6

(22) Blessed are you when people hate you, when they exclude you and insult you and reject your name as evil, because of the Son of Man. (23) "Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, because great is your reward in heaven.

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Philippians 1

(14) And because of my chains, most of the brothers and sisters have become confident in the Lord and dare all the more to proclaim the gospel without fear.

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Ephesians 6

(19) Pray also for me, that whenever I speak...I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel,
(20) for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it fearlessly, as I should.

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Die to the frowns and smiles of the world and
live for the pleasure and favor of God.

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2 Timothy 4

(17) But the Lord stood at my side and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed.