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Church of Christ in Christian Union



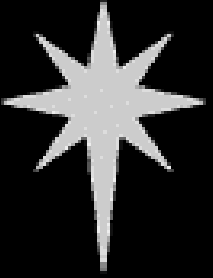
*-CHRISTMAS-
PRESENCE*

Acts 1

EMPOWERS



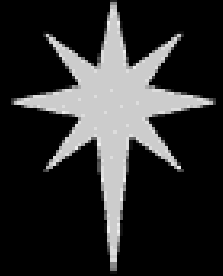
Acts 1:6-8 NIV



Then they gathered around him and asked him, “Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?” He said to them: “It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”



Empowered for Allegiance THE MESSIAH'S KINGDOM



*Lord, are you at this time going to
restore the kingdom to Israel?*

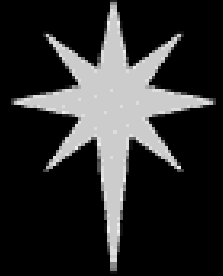
Certainty & Clarity Regarding the Mission

Confident Allegiance to the Kingdom

*For the Spirit God gave us does not
make us timid, but gives us power*



Empowered Personally **THE SPIRIT'S POWER**



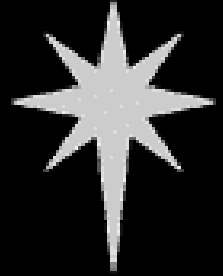
*But you will receive power when the
Holy Spirit comes on you*

**Controlled by the Holy Spirit
Full of His Presence
Full Devotion**

*by the power of the Holy Spirit you
may abound in hope*



Empowered to be Witnesses THE BELIEVER'S OBJECTIVE



*and you will be my witnesses... to
the ends of the earth*

Be Different

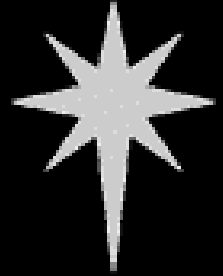
Make a Difference

What We Do & Who We Are

Joy, Consistency, Passion



His Presence Is Your Story



Emmanuel Provided Hope

We Have Direction and Power

Holy Spirit Designs, Arranges, Directs

God is Always with Us

surely I am with you always,

to the very end of the age.