

I. Ezekiel 37:1-14

A. God's plan to Ezekiel:

1. Speak to your situation - **WHERE** He tells you to speak
2. Speak the Word of God - **WHAT** He tells you to speak
3. Speak the right way - **HOW** He tells you to speak

B. V5-6 - Gods will. Not Ezekiel's will bossing God around.

C. V7 - As I prophesied then there was a noise and suddenly a rattling

1. **Acts 2:2-4** 2 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. 3 Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of fire, and one sat upon each of them. 4 And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

a) Word and Holy Spirit partnership:

(1) The Word of God is spoken

(2) His Power released

b) Jesus said, **Acts 1:5 5 for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."**

(1) Gen 1:2-3 2 The earth was without form, and void; and darkness was on the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering

over the face of the waters. 3 Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light.

D. **V8** - NO BREATH!

1. Keep speaking until you see the fullness of what He has said.

E. **V9-10** - Prophecy to the breath

1. **Four winds** — the four quarters of the globe - North, South, East and West.
2. **Army on their feet.** - Saying - "Trying to get back on my feet again",
 - a) **Ps 40:2** 2 He also brought me up out of a horrible pit, Out of the miry clay, And set my feet upon a rock, And established my steps.

F. **V11-12** - They say vs. You say

1. **Rom 4:18-21** 18 who, contrary to hope, in hope believed, so that he became the father of many nations, according to what was spoken, "So shall your descendants be." 19 And not being weak in faith, he did not consider his own body, already dead (since he was about a hundred years old), and the deadness of Sarah's womb. 20 He did not waver at the promise of God through unbelief, but was strengthened in faith, giving glory to God, 21 and being fully convinced that what He had **promised He was also able to perform.**

G. **V13-14**

1. **God's Pattern** - Speaking and performing

2. **Spoken** - *dabar* — root means to arrange; used figuratively for words or to speak.
 - a) **Arrange** - to move and organize (things) into a particular order or position
 - b) **Shift** - to move or to cause (something or someone) to move to a different place, position, etc
3. **Performed** - *asah* - To do, make or create
 - a) **Ps 33:6** 6 By the word of the Lord the heavens were **made**, And all the host of them by the breath of His mouth.

H. **God speaking through “wind”**

1. **Gen 3:8-10** — “Sound” of the Lord walking in the garden in the “cool” of the day
 - a) **Sound** - Voice
 - b) **Cool** - ruwach - Wind, breath
 - c) The Holy Spirit is the voice of God “inside us”
2. Sound is wind over your vocal chords

I. **Led or Driven & Tossed**

1. **James 1:6** 6 But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for he who doubts is like a wave of the sea driven and tossed by the wind
2. **Eph 4:14** 14 that we should no longer be children, tossed to and fro and carried about with every wind of doctrine,

J. Jesus Releases His Wind

1. Mark 4:39 - Jesus rebuked “the wind” and said to the sea, Peace be still.

(1) What kind of guy is this? Even the wind and the sea obey Him!