

From Storehouse to Powerhouse

Philemon 1:6 (AMP) *I pray that the sharing of your faith may become effective and powerful because of your accurate knowledge of every good thing which is ours in Christ.*

Introduction: We have an awesome treasure, “Storehouse,” through knowledge of Jesus Christ. However, God’s truth is not for storage it is for sharing. When we individually acknowledge He gave us and invest that in others your faith becomes effective and powerful. You become a “Powerhouse.”

Philemon 1:6 (NKJV) *That the sharing of your faith may become effective by the acknowledgment of every good thing which is in you in Christ Jesus.*

1. Acknowledge every good thing within from Jesus
2. God’s design: Knowledge as fuel not furniture
3. The Powerhouse Paradigm

1. Acknowledge every good thing within from Jesus

A. Every Word is powerful

Hebrews 4:12 (NLT) *For the word of God is alive and powerful. It is sharper than the sharpest two-edged sword, cutting between soul and spirit, between joint and marrow. It exposes our innermost thoughts and desires. ¹³ Nothing in all creation is hidden from God. Everything is naked and exposed before his eyes, and he is the one to whom we are accountable.*

B. Faith is His Origin in action not a feeble copy

Matthew 17:19 (NLT) *Afterward the disciples asked Jesus privately, “Why couldn’t we cast out that demon?” ²⁰ “You don’t have enough faith,” Jesus told them. “I tell you the truth, **if you had faith even as small as a mustard seed, you could say to this mountain, ‘Move from here to there,’ and it would move. Nothing would be impossible.**”*

- The newest believer that has prayed the believer’s prayer can lead another in the same prayer and **Eternal Life will manifest through the act of faith!**

2. God’s design: Knowledge is fuel not furniture

A. Why we receive truth

Jeremiah 15:16a (NLT) *When I discovered your words, I devoured them. They are my joy and my heart’s delight,*

Matthew 5:14 (NKJV) *Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid. ¹⁵ Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house. ¹⁶ **Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.***

B. Never have a warehouse mentality: dust collects producing “knowledge hoarded with full shelves but empty streets”

- What you have received **GIVE OUT**

Ezekiel 3:1 (NLT) *The voice said to me, “Son of man, eat what I am giving you—**eat this scroll! Then go and give its message to the people of Israel.**” ² So I opened my mouth, and he fed me the scroll. ³ “Fill your stomach with this,” he said. And when I ate it, it tasted as sweet as honey in my mouth.--- ¹⁰ **Then he added, “Son of man, let all my words sink deep into your own heart first. Listen to them carefully for yourself.** ¹¹ **Then go to your people in exile and say to them, ‘This is what the Sovereign Lord says!’ Do this whether they listen to you or not.”***

- **Meditate on His Word until it becomes revelation**

C. Never hold back always give out!

- Break spiritual stagnation!
- Refuse the comfort in accumulation without application!
- Break complacency!
- His words are fire in your bones!

Jeremiah 20:9 *But if I say I'll never mention the LORD or speak in his name, his word burns in my heart like a fire. It's like a fire in my bones! I am worn out trying to hold it in! I can't do it!*

- Don't be like the dead sea be a river!

3. The Powerhouse Paradigm

- Become a conduit of God's truth

2 Corinthians 4:5 (KJV) *For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake. ⁶ For God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. ⁷ But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us.*

Romans 1:11 (AMP) *For I long to see you so that I may "impart" share with you some spiritual gift, to strengthen and establish you; ¹² that is, that we may be mutually encouraged and comforted by each other's faith, both yours and mine.*

- The Shift: Warehouse → Powerhouse: From storing to supplying.
- The Fuel: The Holy Spirit ignites knowledge into power

Acts 1:8 (KJV) *But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.*

- Impact: Truth shared!
 - Breaks chains!

John 8:32 (KJV) *And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.*

- Ignites faith!

Romans 10:17 (KJV) *So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God*

- Builds the Church!

Ephesians 4:15 (KJV) *But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ: ¹⁶ From whom the whole body fitly joined together and compacted by that which every joint supplieth, according to the effectual working in the measure of every part, maketh increase of the body unto the edifying of itself in love.*

We are not archivists—we are arsonists! God didn't fill you with His excellent knowledge to gather dust on your heart's shelves. You hold resurrection truth, living water, and the words of life. **Let it flow!** Break the warehouse doors, ignite your communities, and watch God turn your knowledge into kingdom power. The world isn't waiting for more information—it's waiting for **you** to unleash what you already know.

Go from warehouse to powerhouse—today!

Worship God with your first-fruits, tithes, offerings and sacrifices:

Proverbs 11:24 *There is that scattereth, and yet increaseth; and there is that withholdeth more than is meet, but it tendeth to poverty.*

2 Corinthians 9:6 *But this I say, He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully. ⁷ Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver. ⁸ And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work:*