



**FAITH, FREEDOM, & FITNESS**

# **POWER CHURCH**

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**Happy  
RESURRECTION DAY,  
and welcome to Power Church!**

**Today is Easter Sunday, April 5,  
in the year of our Lord 2026.**

**And it's also the last time we'll be recording  
POWER CHURCH  
from the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains  
for a while.**

**Next Sunday we'll be back in the free state of Florida and,  
Good Lord willing,  
we'll close on our home here in Virginia on the 14<sup>th</sup>  
and on our new home in Florida on the 15<sup>th</sup>.**

**Let us pray:**

*Father,*

*Thank You, Lord, for creating us and for giving us Your Word,  
our roadmap to true freedom*

*Teach us, Lord,  
to learn Your will for our lives and to follow You*

*Help us, Lord,  
to become vessels of honor, to fulfill Your purpose for our lives*

*In Jesus' Name, Amen*



## **VESSELS OF HONOR**

**1 Thessalonians 4:3-4**

***“It is God’s will that you should be sanctified ...  
that each of you should learn to control your own body  
in a way that is holy and honorable.”***

Last Sunday we talked about the equipment in home gyms, specifically a heavy-duty, Texas deadlift bar. Today, think about having a brand-new piece of equipment like a combo rack being delivered to your home.



**If you open the box, throw out the assembly instructions, used the uprights as tent stakes and the bench as a television stand, you will destroy its purpose. You aren't giving it freedom to do more things. You're using it against the purpose for which it was made and treating it as though it has no real value.**



**Modern culture says freedom means you can do anything you want with your life, your body, your sexuality, gender, marriage, family, and with existence itself. What it's really saying is, that there's no real purpose or value to your life, so do whatever you want with it. Unfortunately, this belief will destroy your life.**

*Why?*

Because we have a Creator, and the Bible is His instruction manual. Therefore, our existence and our lives have purpose.



The more we live our lives according to the Bible the more purpose and freedom we have. Jesus sacrificed His life for us so that we could find true freedom by fulfilling our purpose that God created for each of us.

This Resurrection Sunday, we must find our purpose and fulfill it. Because we're made to be a vessel of honor for the most high and noble purposes of our God.



Thank you so much for joining us for today's "Power Church" message.

Until next Sunday: ***"Be strong in the Lord, and the power of His might."***