

TITLE SLIDE:

Children Of God

Yielding To The Power Of God

SLIDE 1:

Power without relationship:

Solomon, the man who had everything except

- **Eccl 1:2 "Meaningless! Meaningless!" says the Teacher. "Utterly meaningless! Everything is meaningless."**
- **Eccl 1:8 All things are wearisome, more than one can say. The eye never has enough of seeing, nor the ear its fill of hearing.**
- **Eccl 1:9 What has been will be again, what has been done will be done again; there is nothing new under the sun.**

SLIDE 2:

Ecclesiastes:

- **Reveals the results of a person who TRIES all the world has to offer.**
- **Reveals the conclusion of a person who HAS all this earth can supply.**
- **Reveals the philosophy of a person who UNDERSTANDS all the wisdom of humankind.**

Who fails to maintain a relationship with God.

SLIDE 3:

Power without relationship – SALVATION - Power with relationship

Rom 1:16 I am not ashamed of the gospel, because IT IS THE POWER OF GOD for the SALVATION of everyone who believes

SLIDE 4:

- **Born Again
(John 3:7)**
- **Born of God
(John 1:13)**
- **Born of the Spirit (John 3:8)**

John 1:12-13

Yet to all who received Him, to those who believed in His name, He gave the right (power) to become children of God--children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God.

SLIDE 5:

Power Through Spirit Relationship:

Rom 8:13-14 For if you live according to the sinful nature, you will die; but if **BY THE SPIRIT YOU** put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live, because those who are led by the Spirit of God ARE sons of God.

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Why The Power Is Needed:

Rom 7:23 But I see another law at work in the members of my body, waging war against the law of my mind and making me a prisoner of the law of sin at work within my MEMBERS.

SLIDE 7:

Power The Relationship Provides:

Rom 8:11 And if the Spirit of Him Who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, He Who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit, Who lives in you.

SLIDE 8:

The Relationship Power Steps:

James 1:26 If anyone considers himself religious and yet does not keep a tight rein on his tongue, he deceives himself and his religion is worthless.

James 3:2 We all stumble in many ways. If anyone is never at fault **IN WHAT HE SAYS**, he is a perfect man, able to keep his whole body in check.

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SLIDE 10:

Life To The Full:

John 10:10b I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.