

DOING THE GREATER WORKS

JOHN 14:12-14

I. THE LORD GAVE A PROMISE REGARDING THE MEAN TIME UNTIL HE RETURNS (14:12)

- A. Any Believer That Wants His Heart At Rest And Free From Fear Will Be Proactive And Not Passive In His Christianity
- B. The Apostles Did Indeed Do Many Of The Same Works As Christ
- C. The Promise Concerned The Doing Of Things Much Greater Than The Things Christ Did
 - 1. Greater In Terms Of The Sphere Of Ministry Geographically (Acts 1:8)
 - 2. Greater In Terms Of The Volume Of Response Numerically (Acts 2:41; 6:7)
 - 3. Greater In Terms Of The Variety Of People Groups Who Would Receive The Message Nationally (Acts 10)
 - 4. Greater In Terms Of The Content Disseminated Instructionally

II. THE LORD GAVE A SECOND PROMISE REGARDING THE FACT THAT OUR REQUESTS WILL BE GRANTED (14:13-14)

- A. He Said That We Can Just Simply Ask
- B. He Said That We Have To Ask In His Name
 - 1. That Is The Ground (Basis) On Which One Can Even Come
 - 2. That Is The Limiting Sphere (The Criterion) For The Content Of Our Prayer
- C. He Said That He Would Do It To The Father's Glory