

The Power of God to Save

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- I. The power of Christ is to be proclaimed (vv. 1-2).
 - A. The Gospel must be shared plainly (v. 1).
 - B. The Gospel must point to Christ (v. 2).

- II. The power of the Spirit <u>provides</u> enabling (vv. 3-4).
 - A. Paul's ministry was presented with humility (v. 3).
 - B. Paul's ministry was not a <u>performance</u> (v. 4).

- III. The power of God produces faith (v. 5).
 - A. Faith is not <u>placed</u> in man's wisdom (v. 5a).
 - B. Faith must have the <u>proper</u> foundation (v. 5b).

Conclusion Are you convinced of the simple truth of the Gospel?