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**Dangers that distract us followers of Jesus from the MULTIPLY mission of Jesus . . .**

## **1. KINGDOM CONFUSION (1:6-8)**

**(We can become too EARTHLY-minded.)**

- The Gospel of the Kingdom is not POLITICAL, but SPIRITUAL.
- The Gospel of the Kingdom is not NATIONAL, but GLOBAL.
- The Gospel of the Kingdom is not IMMEDIATE, but GROWS GRADUALLY.

## **2. SKY-GAZING (1:9-11)**

**(We can become too HEAVENLY-minded)**

- Our mission is not to be SKY GAZERS, but to be WITNESSES to the WORLD.
- Jesus has gone, but is coming again. In the meantime, we have a MISSION to accomplish by the SPIRIT He's given.



**Waiting for the Spirit**

Acts 1

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*Dazed and a bit confused! It's an appropriate description for the early followers of Jesus as they try to digest all that Jesus is saying and all that's happening around them in Acts 1. . .*

# 3

**Quick Facts about the Book of Acts . . .**

1. Luke, the author, is a DOCTOR and a COMPANION of Paul.
2. Acts is a SEQUEL to the Gospel of Luke. (1:1)
3. Acts is a THEOLOGICAL HISTORY of all that Jesus CONTINUED to do and teach by His Spirit through His followers. (1:1)

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# 4

**Events that happen in Acts 1 . . .**

1. The MULTIPLY mission & PROMISE of the Spirit (1:4-8)
2. The ASCENSION of Jesus (1:9-11)
3. WAITING & PRAYING for the Spirit (1:12-14)
4. Selecting a new 12TH APOSTLE to replace Judas (1:15-26)