

UNSHAKEABLE

Mission

Instructions for the *Unshakeable Guide*:

1. Bring this with you each Sunday.
2. Bring it with you when you are in your group. Talk-it-Over notes are in the back of the guide for each Sunday.
3. Place each week's notes in your binder.
4. Use the Commitment Card as a tool to pray.

¹ The Lord said to Moses, ² "Tell the Israelites to bring me an offering. You are to receive the offering for me from everyone whose heart prompts them to give.

Exodus 25:1-2 (NIV)

² They are being tested by many troubles, and they are very poor. But they are also filled with abundant joy, which has overflowed in rich generosity. ³ For I can testify that they gave not only what they could afford, but far more. And they did it of their own free will.

2 Corinthians 8:2-3 (NIV)

Our primary goal is for 100% of us to obey the Holy Spirit to build an *unshakeable* faith.

God is on an *unshakeable* mission to establish His *unshakeable* kingdom.

²⁶ When God spoke from Mount Sinai his voice shook the earth, but now he makes another promise: "Once again I will shake not only the earth but the heavens also." ²⁷ This means that all of creation will be shaken and removed, so that only *unshakeable* things will remain.

Hebrews 12:26-27 (NLT)

- **God uses times of shaking to anchor our faith in Him.**
- **The more our faith (our trust and our reliance) is in Christ, the more *unshakeable* our faith will be.**

Matthew 16:16-18

Jesus started His *unshakeable* Church to accomplish His *unshakeable* mission to establish His *unshakeable* kingdom.

¹ In my former book, *Theophilus*, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach ² until the day he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen. ³ After his suffering, he presented himself to them and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God. ⁴ On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. ⁵ For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

⁶ Then they gathered around him and asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?"

⁷ He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. ⁸ But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

Acts 1:1-8 (NIV)

The mission of the Church is to be a witness to the power of the gospel until Christ returns.

What God did in the 1st Century, He is still doing today. Will I be a part of what God is doing?

³⁶ "Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Messiah." ³⁷ When the people heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?" ³⁸ Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

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³⁹ The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off—for all whom the Lord our God will call.” ⁴⁰ With many other words he warned them; and he pleaded with them, “Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.” ⁴¹ Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added to their number that day.

Acts 2:36-41 (NIV)

Repent. Receive. Obey.

Since we are receiving a Kingdom that is unshakable, let us be thankful and please God by worshiping him with holy fear and awe.

Hebrews 12:28 (NLT)

SERIES BIG IDEA:

In Christ, we are *unshakeable!*

We are receiving God's Kingdom that gives us an *unshakeable* faith so we can release an *unshakeable* love.



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TEACHING SUMMARY:

God is calling our church family to step out in obedience to Him so He can build an *unshakeable* faith in us. Only through obedience does faith grow and we become *unshakeable*.

God's Church is an unshakeable force who is empowered by the Holy Spirit to be a witness to the gospel in our neighborhoods, cities, county, state, and beyond. What God did in the 1st Century Church, He wants to do through us. The question is, will we step out in faith? Only by stepping out in faith, will God use each and every one of us to establish His kingdom so the whole earth is filled with the knowledge of Him.

We step out in faith by doing what the 1st Century Church did. We repent of not following Jesus as Lord; we receive His forgiveness and our place in God's family; we walk in obedience to Jesus as Lord. This is how we, the church, will please God.

When we walk in faith, we learn that, "In Christ, we are *unshakeable!*"

TALK-IT-OVER:

You will find the questions to discuss with others in the *Unshakeable Guide*.

You can access the *Unshakeable Guide* and more at <http://unshakeable.faith>

DAILY SCRIPTURE READING:

Day 1) Luke 10:21; Luke 4:1

Day 2) John 14:15-17

Day 3) Romans 15:12-13; 1 Corinthians 6:19-20

Day 4) Ephesians: 1:13-14; Ephesians 4:29-31

Day 5) 2 Timothy 1:13-14

Day 6) Titus 3:4-6