The Story: Chapter Twenty-Eight

New Beginnings

*“Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes in me will also do the works that I do; and greater works than these will he do, because I am going to the Father.****13****Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.****14****If you ask me[*[*e*](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=john+14&version=ESV#fen-ESV-26671e)*] anything in my name, I will do it.”*  (John 14:12-14)

**The Acts of Jesus and the Holy Spirit:**

**F**or you:

***4****And while staying[*[*a*](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=acts+1&version=ESV#fen-ESV-26916a)*] with them he ordered them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the promise of the Father, which, he said, “you heard from me;****5****for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with[*[*b*](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=acts+1&version=ESV#fen-ESV-26917b)*] the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”* (Acts 1:4-5)

**I**n you:

***8****But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”* (Acts 1:8)

**T**hrough you:

***4****And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.*

***17****“‘And in the last days it shall be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions,   and your old men shall dream dreams;…”* (Acts 2:4 & 17)

**The Response of a believer (Peter):**

1. Pentecost (*The Story* p. 390-392)
2. A lame beggar (*The Story* p. 393-394)
3. Cornelius: a gentile (*The Story* p. 401-403)

**The Responsibility of a believer (Paul):**

1. The stoning of Stephen (*The Story* p. 398-399)
2. The Road to Damascus (*The Story* p. 399-400)
3. The vision from God (Acts 26)

***11****This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone.* ***12****And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.”* (Acts 4:11-12)