

BECOMING MORE BOLD

I. The Enemy's weapon

A. Our enemy uses fear:

1. Connect us to bad things
2. Barrier to good things
3. Intimidate or cancel our witness

B. Matt. 10:26-33

II. Countering the Threat

A. Acts 4:1-33

B. Unlearned & ignorant yet bold

C. Acts 9:26-29; 13:46; 14:1-3 (19:8; 28:30, 31)

III. How to become more bold

A. Acts 4:13 – Spend time with Jesus

B. Pr. 28:1; Is. 54:14 - Be established in righteousness

C. Gal. 1:10; Jn. 8:29 - Be out to please God with your life

D. Eph. 6:19; Acts 4:29, 30 – Pray for it