

**Simply Strategy**  
**Pt. 6 - A Remote Possibility**  
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**Acts 1:6-8 (NIV)**

<sup>[6]</sup> So when they met together, they asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?"

<sup>[7]</sup> He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority.

<sup>[8]</sup> 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 2:1-12 (NIV)**

<sup>[1]</sup> When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.

<sup>[2]</sup> Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting.

<sup>[3]</sup> They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them.

<sup>[4]</sup> All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

<sup>[5]</sup> Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven.

<sup>[6]</sup> When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard them speaking in his own language.

<sup>[7]</sup> Utterly amazed, they asked: "Are not all these men who are speaking Galileans?"

<sup>[8]</sup> Then how is it that each of us hears them in his own native language?

<sup>[9]</sup> Parthians, Medes and Elamites; residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia,

<sup>[10]</sup> Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya near Cyrene; visitors from Rome

<sup>[11]</sup> (both Jews and converts to Judaism); Cretans and Arabs--we hear them declaring the wonders of God in our own tongues!"

<sup>[12]</sup> Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, "What does this mean?"